

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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SENATE.

Tuesday, January 23, 1917.

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. Robert T. Pinkham of Gardiner.

Journal of previous session read and approved.

Papers from the House disposed of in concurrence.

From the House: An Act for the enforcement of liens on jewelry, clocks and watches repaired by jewelers.

In the Senate this act was referred to the committee on legal affairs and sent down for concurrence. The House referred the act of the committee on judiciary in non-concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Davies of Cumberland, the Senate receded and concurred with the action of the House.

From the House: H. D. 10. Resolve relating to the conservation of the storage reservoirs and water powers of the State of Maine.

In the House pending reference to the committee on judiciary this resolve was tabled and 500 copies ordered printed.

In the Senate on motion by Mr. Baxter of Sagadahoc the resolve was tabled pending reference in concurrence and 100 copies ordered printed.

The following bills, petitions, etc., were received and on recommendation of the committee on reference of bills were referred to the following committee:

Claims.

By Mr. Burleigh of Aroostook: Resolve in favor of Alfred Yankauer.

Inland Fisheries and Game.

By Mr. Higgins of Penobscot: Resolve to appropriate \$200 to screen Parks pond in the county of Penobscot.

By the same Senator: Petition of Sidney A. Parks and 30 others, residents of Clifton, in favor of a resolve

for screening Parks Pond in Clifton, Penobscot county.

Insane Hospitals.

By Mr. Higgins of Penobscot: An Act to amend Section 34 of Chapter 145 of the Revised Statutes relating to temporary leave of absense of patients from insane hospitals.

Interior Waters.

By Mr. Gillin of Penobscot: An Act additional to and amendatory to Chapter 206 of the Private and Special Laws of 1907, relating to the West Branch Driving and Reservoir Dam Company.

Judiciary.

By Mr. Davies of Cumberland: An Act to amend Chapter 51 of the Revised Statutes relating to corporations (Ordered printed.)

By Mr. Deering of York: An Act to repeal so much of Chapter 29 of the Revised Statutes of 1916 and any act amendatory thereof as authorized the cities and towns of the State to maintain almshouses, workhouses or houses of correction, and to provide for the establishment of district infirmaries in lieu thereof. (One thousand copies ordered printed.)

By Mr. Peacock of Washington: An Act to amend Section 5, Chapter 80, page 695, Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to the terms of the supreme judicial court in Washington county.

By the same Senator: An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 82, page 706, Revised Statutes of 1903, relating to the bonds of sheriffs.

Library.

By Mr. Gordon of York: Resolve in favor of the purchase of 200 copies of the history of the town of York.

Mercantile Affairs and Insurance.

By Mr. Bartlett of Kennebec: An Act to license non-resident brokers. (1000 copies ordered printed.)

Sea and Shore Fisheries.

By Mr. Grant of Cumberland: An Act to amend Chapter 235, Section 3 of the Public Laws of 1915, relating to the licensing of lobster fishermen. (1000 copies ordered printed.)

Ways and Bridges.

By Mr. Conant of Waldo: An Act to amend Chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes, relating to State and State Aid highways and to provide a mill tax fund for their construction. (2000 copies ordered printed.)

By Mr. Peacock of Washington: Resolve in favor of township No. 14, in Washington county.

By the same senator: Resolve in favor of the town of Addison.

By the same Senator: An Act to repeal Chapter 271, Private and Special Laws of 1911, relating to ways and bridges in plantation No. 14 in Washington county.

On motion by Mr. Fulton of Aroostook, it was

Ordered, that Percy F. Crane, assistant secretary, pro tempore, serve as as-

sistant to the messenger of the Senate during the remainder of the present session.

On motion by Mr. Butler of Knox, it was

Ordered, that the committee on military affairs be given the use of the Senate Chamber at 2 P. M. on Thursday, Feb. 8, for the purpose of holding a public hearing on a resolve in favor of the General Knox Memorial.

Orders of the Day.

On motion by Mr. Davies of Cumberland, resolve in favor of the trustees of the North Yarmouth Academy, was taken from the table, and on further motion by the same Senator referred to the committee on education.

On motion by Mr. Ricker of Hancock, Adjourned.