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SENATE

Tuesday, February 11, 1919.

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Rev. W. J. Layton of Augusta.

Journal of the previous session read and approved.

Papers from the House disposed of in concurrence.

House Bills in First Reading

H. D. 5: An Act to amend Sections 11 and 13 of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes relating to the enrolment of voters at primary elections.

H. D. 96: Resolve authorizing the State land agent to sell certain lots in the town of St. Agatha in the county of Aroostook.

H. D. 97: Resolve authorizing the State land agent to sell certain public lots in St. Francis plantation in Aroostook county.

H. D. 88: An Act relative to the taxation of money deposited in banks outside the State.

The following bills, resolves, etc., were presented, and on recommendation of the committee on reference of bills, were referred to the following committees:

Education

By Mr. Walker of Solerset An Act to amend Section 86 of Chapter 16 of the Revised Statutes, relating to returns from towns showing expenditure for high school tuition.

Orders

On motion by Mr. Peacock of Washington, it was

Ordered, that the use of the Senate Chamber be granted to the committee on ways and bridges Thursday afternoon, February 13, 1919.

Bills in First Reading

S. D. 60: An Act to amend Chapter 37 Revised Statutes by repealing Section 16, relating to the capacity of milk cans.

S. D. 62: An Act to amend Section 32, Chapter 33, of the Revised Statutes of 1916, relative to mill waste deposited in lakes and ponds.

S. D. 64: An Act to amend Section 36 of Chapter 36, Revised Statutes,

relating to hearings in case of violation of the apple packing law.

S. D. 65: An Act to amend Section 4, Chapter 48, of the Revised Statutes, relating to State sealer.

Reports of Committees

Mr. Emerson for the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, on Resolve making an appropriation in favor of the Peoples' Ferry Company to aid in the construction of a new ferry boat with the necessary slips and approaches thereto, reported same be referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

Report accepted and sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Thombs for the Committee on Legal Affairs, on S. D. 32, An Act to establish a superior court in the county of Penobscot, submitted the same in a new draft under the same title, and that it ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the bill laid on the table to be printed under the joint rules.

Passed to Be Engrossed

S. D. 58: An Act to amend section 2 of chapter 194 of the Private and Special Laws of 1915, amending the Act establishing a municipal court for the city of Auburn.

S. D. 58: An Act to amend chapter 636 of the Private and Special Laws of 1877, relating to An Act to establish a municipal court for the city of Lewiston.

S. D. 55: An Act to amend chapter 585 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901, as amended by chapter 331 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to An Act to establish a municipal court in the town of Skowhegan.

S. D. 56: An Act to amend section 15 of chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes, relating to indexes in the registries of deeds. (On motion by Mr. Lord of York, tabled pending second reading.)

H. D. 94: Resolve in favor of William R. Roix for services rendered to the Speaker and Clerk in organizing the House of Representatives of the 79th Legislature.

Orders of the Day

The PRESIDENT: The Chair desires to call the attention of the Sen-

ators to the following which shows the number of Acts and Resolves in the hands of the various committees. This is for your information.

Agriculture: 14 Acts, 9 Resolves; 1 reported out.

Appropriations and Financial Affairs: 1 Act, 70 Resolves; 3 reported out.

Banks and Banking: 3 Acts.

Claims: 29 Resolves; 2 reported out.

Counties: 1 Resolve.

Education: 20 Acts, 48 Resolves.

Indian Affairs: 4 Acts, 4 Resolves.

Inland Fisheries and Game: 9 Acts, 12 Resolves.

Insane Hospitals: 6 Resolves.

Interior Waters: 14 Acts, 5 Resolves; 1 reported out.

Judiciary: 75 Acts, 10 Resolves; 8 Acts reported out, 1 Resolve.

Legal Affairs: 87 Acts, 4 Resolves; 9 Acts reported out.

Library: 7 Acts, 6 Resolves.

Mercantile Affairs and Insurance: 2 Acts.

Military Affairs: 20 Acts, 6 Resolves; 1 Resolve reported out.

Pensions: 1 Act, 51 Resolves; 1 Resolve reported out.

Public Buildings and Grounds: 1 Resolve.

Public Health: 13 Acts, 1 Resolve.

Public Utilities: 23 Acts, 1 Act reported out.

Railroads and Expresses: 2 Acts; 1 reported out.

Salaries and Fees: 90 Acts, 2 Resolves.

School for Feeble-minded: 3 Resolves.

Sea and Shore Fisheries: 17 Acts, 1 Resolve.

State Lands and Forest Preservation: 10 Acts, 8 Resolves; 3 Acts and 4 Resolves reported out.

State Prison: 2 Resolves.

State Sanatoriums: 3 Acts, 2 Resolves.

State School for Boys, State School for Girls, and Women's Reformatory: 3 Acts, 3 Resolves.

Taxation: 11 Acts, 2 Resolves.

Temperance: 1 Act, 1 Resolve.

Towns: 6 Acts; 3 reported out.

Ways and Bridges: 6 Acts, 149 Resolves.

The Chair desires to state further for your information that this compares very favorably with the results at this period two years ago. I trust, however, that the various committees will find it convenient to report out at the earliest possible moment all acts and resolves before them.

On motion by Mr. Metcalf of Piscataquis,

Adjourned.