

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE



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**HOUSE**

Tuesday, January 28, 1941.

The House met according to adjournment and was called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Fowle of Hallowell.

Journal of the previous session read and approved.

Bill and Resolves from the Senate requiring reference disposed of in concurrence.

From the Senate: The following Order:

**ORDERED**, the House concurring, that the State Highway Commission be authorized to expend not to exceed \$8,000.00 from the general highway fund for completing the traffic flow maps undertaken by the statewide highway planning survey, and for the compilation of data collected by the Planning Survey, necessary to establish a secondary Federal-aid highway system in accordance with the requirements of the U. S. Public Roads Administration (S. P. 134)

Came from the Senate, read and passed.

In the House, read and passed in concurrence.

**Senate Order Tabled**

From the Senate: The following Order:

**ORDERED**, the House concurring, that the Personnel Director shall file immediately with the Secretary of the Senate a list of names and legal residences, at the time of employment, of all persons appointed to and promoted in the classified service during the calendar years of 1939 and 1940. (S. P. 136)

Came from the Senate, read and passed.

In the House, on motion by Mr. Payson of Portland, tabled pending passage in concurrence.

From the Senate: The following Order:

**ORDERED**, the House concurring, that S. P. 83, L. D. 70, Bill "An Act relating to the Charter of the City of Lewiston" be recalled to the Senate from the Committee on Legal Affairs. (S. P. 141)

Came from the Senate, read and passed.

In the House, read and passed in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Report of the Recess Committee of the 89th Legislature on Wage and Hour Legislation (S. P. 137)

Report of the Recess Committee of the 89th Legislature on Motor Vehicle Legislation (S. P. 138)

Came from the Senate, read and accepted, and ordered printed in pamphlet form.

In the House, report read and accepted in concurrence.

The following Bills and Resolves were received, and upon recommendation of the Committee on Reference of Bills, were referred to the following Committees:

**Banks and Banking**

Bill "An Act relative to the Use of the word 'Savings' by Loan and Building Associations" (H. P. 456) (Presented by Mr. Shesong of Portland)

(500 copies ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

**Claims****Resolve tabled**

Resolve in favor of the town of Camden (H. P. 457) (Presented by Mr. Dwinal of Camden)

(On motion by Mr. Dwinal of Camden, tabled pending reference.)

**Claims****(Continued)**

Resolve to reimburse the town of Greenville for Support of State Paupers (H. P. 458) (Presented by Mr. Rollins of Greenville)

Resolve to reimburse the town of Greenville for Support of Doris Magee and family (H. P. 459) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of Oliver B. Libby of Warren (H. P. 460) (Presented by Mr. Starrett of Warren)

Sent up for concurrence.

**Education**

Bill "An Act relating to Apportionment of School Funds" (H. P. 461) (Presented by Mr. Pratt of Turner)

(1000 copies ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Apportionment of School Funds" (H. P. 462) (Presented by same gentleman)

(1000 copies ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Appor-

tionment of School Funds" (H. P. 463) (Presented by same gentleman) (1000 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Limington Academy (H. P. 464) (Presented by Mr. Ayer of Cornish)

Resolve in favor of Robert W. Traip Academy (H. P. 465). (Presented by Mr. Seeger of Kittery) Sent up for concurrence.

#### Federal Relations

Resolution Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to Taxes on Incomes, Inheritances and Gifts (H. P. 466) (Presented by Mr. McGlaulin of Portland) (500 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence.

#### Indian Affairs

Bill "An Act relating to Adoption of Persons into Penobscot Tribe of Indians" (H. P. 467) (Presented by Mr. Sylvia of Danforth) (500 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence.

#### Inland Fisheries and Game

Bill "An Act relative to Game Preserve in York County" (H. P. 468) (Presented by Mr. Ayer of Cornish) (500 copies ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relative to Game Preserve on Munroe Island" (H. P. 469) (Presented by Mr. Sleeper of Rockland) (500 copies ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relative to Game Preserve on Spruce Head Island" (H. P. 470) (Presented by same gentleman)

(500 copies ordered printed) Resolve Regulating Fishing in Chase's Mill Stream (H. P. 471) (Presented by Mr. Small of E. Machias)

(500 copies ordered printed) Resolve Regulating Deer Hunting on Swans Island in the county of Hancock (H. P. 472) (Presented by Mr. Teel of Long Island Pt.)

(500 copies ordered printed) Resolve relating to Trapping in the county of York (H. P. 473) (Presented by Mr. Welch of No. Berwick by request)

(500 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence.

#### Judiciary

Bill "An Act Relating to Hunting while under the Influence of Liquor

or Drugs" (H. P. 474) (Presented by Mr. Mercier of Rumford) (500 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence.

#### Pensions

Resolve providing for a State Pension for George B. Paul of Searsmont (H. P. 475) (Presented by Mr. Davis of Montville)

Resolve providing for a State Pension for Carroll G. Lander of Kingfield (H. P. 476) (Presented by Mr. Winter of Kingfield) Sent up for concurrence.

#### State Lands and Forest Preservation

Resolve authorizing the Forest Commissioner to Convey certain land to Agnes Lapointe Plourd of Frenchville (H. P. 477) (Presented by Mr. Babin of Frenchville) (500 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence.

#### Taxation

Bill "An Act relating to Revaluation Surveys" (H. P. 478) (Presented by Mr. Bubar of Weston) (500 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence.

#### Towns

Bill "An Act relating to Expenses of Town Clerks" (H. P. 479) (Presented by Mr. Shesong of Portland) (500 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence.

#### Ways and Bridges

Bill "An Act permitting Lebanon to Apply for Aid under the Bridge Act" (H. P. 480) (Presented by Mr. Welch of No. Berwick)

(500 copies ordered printed) Sent up for concurrence. Resolve in favor of the town of Parsonsfield (H. P. 481) (Presented by Mr. Ayer of Cornish)

Resolve in favor of the town of Limerick (H. P. 482) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Cornish (H. P. 483) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Corinna (H. P. 48) (Presented by Mr. Brown of Corinna)

Resolve in favor of the town of Newport (H. P. 485) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Hollis (H. P. 486) (Presented by Mr. Davis of Buxton)

Resolve in favor of the town of Lyman (H. P. 487) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Dayton (H. P. 488) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Buxton (H. P. 489) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Appleton (H. P. 490) (Presented by Mr. Dwinall of Camden)

Resolve in favor of the town of Camden (H. P. 491) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Appleton (H. P. 492) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Hope (H. P. 493) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Cornville (H. P. 494) (Presented by Mr. Goodrich of Palmyra)

Resolve in favor of the town of Standish (H. P. 495) (Presented by Mr. Harold of Standish)

Resolve in favor of the town of Baldwin (H. P. 497) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Cambridge (H. P. 498) (Presented by Mr. Hamilton of Hartland)

Resolve in favor of the town of Hartland (H. P. 499) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Harmony (H. P. 500) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Lowell (H. P. 501) (Presented by Mr. Lane of Lincoln)

Resolve in favor of the town of Athens (H. P. 502) (Presented by Mr. Milliken of Madison)

Resolve in favor of the town of Madison (H. P. 503) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Newburg (H. P. 504) (Presented by Mr. Newcomb of Carmel)

Resolve in favor of the town of Old Orchard Beach (H. P. 505) (Presented by Mr. Pearson of Kennebunkport)

Resolve in favor of the town of No. Kennebunkport (H. P. 506) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Dedham (H. P. 507) (Presented by Mr. Pierce of Bucksport)

Resolve in favor of the town of Windham (H. P. 496) (Presented by Mr. Robbins of Harrison)

Resolve in favor of Greenville-Kokadjo Road (H. P. 508) (Pre-

sented by Mr. Rollins of Greenville)

Resolve in favor of Chesuncook Plantation (H. P. 509) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Shirley (H. P. 510) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Lebanon (H. P. 511) (Presented by Mr. Welch of No. Berwick)

Resolve in favor of the town of North Berwick (H. P. 512) (Presented by same gentleman)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### Orders of the Day

On motion by Mr. Farwell of Unity, the House voted to take from the table the second tabled and unassigned matter, Resolve in Favor of the City of Belfast (H. P. 203) tabled by that gentleman on January 21st, pending reference.

Mr. WORTH of Stockton Springs: Mr. Speaker, I would like permission to withdraw this Resolve.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Stockton Springs, Mr. Worth, asks permission of the House to withdraw the Resolve. Is there objection? The Chair hears no objection and permission is granted.

On motion by Mr. Sleeper of Rockland, the House voted to take from the table the first tabled and unassigned matter, Bill "An Act Relating to the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries" (H. P. 308) tabled on January 21st by that gentleman, pending reference.

Mr. SLEEPER: Mr. Speaker, I now move that this Bill be passed on to the Committee to which it was first referred, where I hope that it will not be dealt with too kindly.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Rockland, Mr. Sleeper, moves that this Bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary, and that five hundred copies be printed, and the Bill sent up for concurrence. Is this the pleasure of the House?

The motion prevailed and the Bill was so referred.

On motion by Mr. Willey of Ellsworth,

Adjourned until ten o'clock tomorrow morning.