

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

Ninety-Second Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1945

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AUGUSTA, MAINE

HOUSE

Tuesday, February 13, 1945.

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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Mercer of Randolph.

Journal of the previous session read and approved.

Papers From the Senate

Bill "An Act relating to Penalty for Obstructing Commissioner of Agriculture in Performance of Duty" (S. P. 185) (L. D. 495)

Bill "An Act Governing the Handling of Pasteurized Milk" (S. P. 186) (L. D. 493)

Bill "An Act relating to Soil Conservation" (S. P. 187) (L. D. 494)

Bill "An Act Regulating the Labeling of Fresh Eggs for Sale" (S. P. 188) (L. D. 492)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Agriculture in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to the Appropriation for Schools in Unorganized Territory and to the Funds for Teachers' Pensions" (S. P. 189) (L. D. 496)

Bill "An Act relating to Reenactment of Law Dealing with Unexpended Appropriations" (S. P. 190) (L. D. 491)

Bill "An Act to Simplify the Financial Structure of the State" (S. P. 192) (L. D. 489)

Bill "An Act relating to the Audit of the Department of Education and the Teachers' Retirement System" (S. P. 193) (L. D. 488)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Accomplish Conformity to State School Building Standards" (S. P. 197) (L. D. 487)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Education.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Education in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to Open Season on Muskrats" (S. P. 198) (L. D. 486)

Same from the Senate referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game in concurrence.

Resolve Appropriating Money for a Dam on the Marsh River (S. P. 176) (L. D. 461)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to Guardians for Minors" (S. P. 199) (L. D. 485)

Bill "An Act relating to the Assignment of Accounts Receivable" (S. P. 200) (L. D. 484)

Bill "An Act relating to Admission to Practice Law" (S. P. 201) (L. D. 483)

Bill "An Act relating to Probation Officers in Penobscot County" (S. P. 202) (L. D. 482)

Bill "An Act relating to State Personnel Law" (S. P. 203) (L. D. 481)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to Aid to Veterans" (S. P. 204) (L. D. 480)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Military Affairs in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to the Transportation of Poles" (S. P. 205) (L. D. 479)

Bill "An Act relating to Registration of Motor Vehicles" (S. P. 206) (L. D. 478)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles in concurrence.

Tabled

Resolve relating to Retirement Pension for Percy E. Averill, of Thomaston (S. P. 207) (L. D. 477)

(On motion by Mr. Ward of Millinocket, tabled pending reference in concurrence)

Resolve Granting a Pension to Mervyn McCusick, of Somerville (S. P. 208) (L. D. 476)

Resolve Providing for an Increase in State Pension for Hallie W. Stone of Portland (S. P. 209) (L. D. 475)

Resolve Providing for an Increase in State Pension for Emery Bartlett, of Mexico (S. P. 258)

Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Herbert H. Overlock, of Bangor (S. P. 259)

Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Birdena Whittemore Foster, of Mexico (S. P. 260)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Pensions.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Pensions in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to Contagious Diseases" (S. P. 210) (L. D. 474)

Bill "An Act Amending the Control of Venereal Diseases Law" (S. P. 211) (L. D. 473)

Bill "An Act relating to Public Health" (S. P. 212) (L. D. 471)

Bill "An Act relating to Local Health Officers" (S. P. 213) (L. D. 472)

Bill "An Act relating to Pre-marital Medical Examinations" (S. P. 214) (L. D. 470)

Bill "An Act relating to Examination and Registration of Osteopathic Physicians" (S. P. 215) (L. D. 469)

Bill "An Act relating to Prenatal Examinations" (S. P. 216) (L. D. 468)

Bill "An Act relating to Prevention of Blindness" (S. P. 217) (L. D. 467)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Public Health.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Public Health in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to Salary of Recorder of Rockland Municipal Court" (S. P. 218) (L. D. 466)

Bill "An Act to Increase the Salary of the Judge of the Norway Municipal Court" (S. P. 219) (L. D. 465)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Salaries and Fees in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Encourage Marine Farming in the Tidal Waters of the State" (S. P. 220) (L. D. 463)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to the State Prison" (S. P. 221) (L. D. 464)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on State Prison.

In the House, referred to the Committee on State Prison in concurrence.

Bill "An Act relating to Taxation of Property of United States" (S. P. 222) (L. D. 462)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Taxation.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Taxation in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of the town of Wilton (S. P. 278)

Resolve in favor of the town of Wilton (S. P. 279)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Ways and Bridges in concurrence.

Senate Reports of Committees Ought to Pass

Report of the Committee on Legal Affairs reporting "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act to Change the Name of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England" (S. P. 77) (L. D. 78)

Came from the Senate the Report read and accepted and the Bill passed to be engrossed.

In the House, Report was read and accepted in concurrence and the Bill read twice and tomorrow assigned.

Ought to Pass with Committee Amendment

Report of the Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act Authorizing the Withholding of the Federal Income Tax" (S. P. 31) (L. D. 329) reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Came from the Senate the Report read and accepted and the Bill passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A".

In the House, Report was read and accepted in concurrence and the Bill read twice. Committee Amendment "A" was read by the Clerk as follows:

Committee Amendment "A" to S. P. 31 (L. D. 329), Bill "An Act Authorizing the Withholding of the Federal Income Tax."

Amend said bill by inserting after the title and before the enacting clause thereof the following:

'Emergency preamble.

Whereas, in order to cooperate with the federal government in the collection of income taxes it is necessary to provide for the withholding of a certain per cent of the salaries and wages of all state, county and municipal officials and employees; and

Whereas, any delay in setting up the mechanics for withholding said income taxes would work a hardship on said state, county and municipal officials and employees, and the state; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety now, therefore,

Further amend said bill by adding at the end thereof the following:

'Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.'

Committee Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence and tomorrow assigned for third reading of the Bill.

The communication was read and accepted, ordered placed on file, and sent up for concurrence.

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

Agriculture

Bill "An Act relating to Damage to Poultry by Dogs or Wild Animals" (H. P. 1645) (Presented by Mr. Wight of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Provide a Tonnage Tax on Commercial Fertilizer" (H. P. 1116) (Presented by Mr. Bird of Rockland)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Resolve Authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to Employ Poultry Expert (H. P. 1047) (Presented by Mr. Adams of Kennebunkport)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Banks and Banking

Bill "An Act relating to Personal Loans Made by Savings Banks" (H. P. 1117) (Presented by Mr. Cobb of Gardiner)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Guaranteed Loans for Veterans by Loan and Building Associations" (H. P. 1118) (Presented by Mr. Meloon of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Retiring Allowances or Life Insurance for Officers and Employees of Savings Banks" (H. P. 1173) (Presented by Mr. Cobb of Gardiner)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Claims

Resolve in favor of Dr. Charles H. Buck of Naples (H. P. 1048) (Presented by Mr. Cole of Casco)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve to Reimburse the city of Bangor for Supplies Furnished Various Individuals (H. P. 1049) (Presented by Mr. Haskell of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of the New England Shipbuilding Corporation (H. P. 1050) (Presented by Mr. Jordan of So. Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Messages and Documents

The following Communication: (H. P. 1168)

December 31, 1944.

To the Maine Legislature, Augusta, Maine.

This is to certify that Albert Dana was elected as representative at the Maine Legislature from the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians on the second Tuesday of October last.

(Signed)

Oscar H. Brown.

Indian Agent.

Resolve in favor of Ann A. Ridyard, of Worcester, Massachusetts (H. P. 1051) (Presented by Mr. Le-gard of Bath)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Roy Marshall, of Sanford (H. P. 1052) (Presented by Mr. Pascucci of Sanford)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Mary Louise Bernier, of Sanford (H. P. 1053) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Cornelius E. Conley, of Lewiston (H. P. 1054) (Presented by Mr. Ward of Milli-nocket)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Louis F. Flem-ing, of Bangor (H. P. 1119) (Pre-sented by Mr. Cobb of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Harold Har-vey and Henry Marsh, of Corinth (H. P. 1120) (Presented by Mr. El-liott of Corinth)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of F. H. Botting, of Smyrna Mills (H. P. 1055) (Pre-sented by Mr. Benn of Smyrna Mills)

Resolve in favor of W. W. Emery of Patten (H. P. 1056) (Presented by Mr. Boulier of Stacyville by re-quest)

Resolve in favor of Thomas P. Packard, of Houlton (H. P. 1057) (Presented by Mr. Corson of Hodg-don)

Resolve in favor of Odelas Foster, of Bingham (H. P. 1058) (Present-ed by Mr. Dutton of Bingham)

Resolve in favor of Norman Gra-ham, of Waterville (H. P. 1059) (Presented by Mr. Jones of Water-ville)

Resolve in favor of Frank T. Kel-ly, of Waterville (H. P. 1060) (Pre-sented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of Stinson Can-ning Company of Prospect Harbor (H. P. 1061) (Presented by Mr. Mor-ri-son of Winter Harbor)

Resolve in favor of Alphonse Thi-bodeau, of Rumford (H. P. 1062) (Presented by Mr. Poulin of Rum-ford)

Resolve in favor of Robert B. Stewart, of Bowdoinham (H. P. 1121) (Presented by Mr. McFee of Richmond)

Resolve in favor of Sereno T. Brown, of Boothbay Harbor (H. P. 1122) (Presented by Mr. Perkins of Boothbay Harbor)

Resolve to Reimburse the town of Lubec for the Funeral Expenses of Merton Rice (H. P. 1123) (Present-ed by Mr. Prout of Lubec)

Sent up for concurrence.

Counties

Bill "An Act relating to Interest Payments by Counties on Lost Heir Funds, So Called" (H. P. 1063) (Presented by Mr. Weeks of Water-ville)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Education

Resolve in favor of Leavitt In-stitute (H. P. 1064) (Presented by Mr. Hemphill of Mechanic Falls)

Resolve in favor of East Corinth Academy (H. P. 1124) (Presented by Mr. Elliott of Corinth)

Sent up for concurrence.

Indian Affairs

Bill "An Act relating to Over-seer of Poor and Other Special Of-ficers of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians" (H. P. 1065) (Presented by Mr. Palmeter of Charlotte)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Vital Sta-tistics in Indian Tribes" (H. P. 1125) (Presented by Mr. Carpenter of Skowhegan)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

On motion by Miss Deering of Bath, House Rule 25 was suspended for the remainder of today's session, in order to permit smoking.

Inland Fisheries and Game

Bill "An Act Creating a Game Sanctuary in Aroostook County" (H. P. 1123) (Presented by Mr. Collins of Caribou)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Trapping of Beaver" (H. P. 1127) (Presented by Mr. DeSanctis of Madison)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Theft from Traps" (H. P. 1128) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Use of Gill Net in Taking White Fish in Junior Lake, Washington County" (H. P. 1129) (Presented by Mr. Dicker of Lakeville Pl.)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Prevent the De-struction of Fish in East Machias Waters" (H. P. 1130) (Presented by

Mr. Hayward of Machias by request)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Close Time on Deer in the counties of Hancock and Washington" (H. P. 1131) (Presented by Mr. Morrison of Winter Harbor)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve to Repair Fish Screen at Outlet of Porter Lake (H. P. 1063) (Presented by Mr. Jennings of Strong)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve to Permit Fishing for Atlantic Salmon on the Narraguagus River (H. P. 1067) (Presented by Mr. Lackee of Addison)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve Opening Lake Onawa to Ice Fishing Under the General Law (H. P. 1068) (Presented by Mr. Rollins of Greenville)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve Providing for a Fish Screen at Foot of Echo Lake in the town of Fayette (H. P. 1132) (Presented by Mr. Downs of Rome)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve to Simplify the Ice Fishing Laws by Counties (H. P. 1134) (Presented by Mr. MacKinnon of Mexico)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Judiciary

Bill "An Act relating to Bidding for Institutional Supplies" (H. P. 1069) (Presented by Mr. Carpenter of Skowhegan)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Financial Responsibility Following Accident" (H. P. 1070) (Presented by Mr. Carpenter of Augusta)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Witnesses Summoned to Appear Before the State Liquor Commission" (H. P. 1071) (Presented by Mr. Coombs of Belfast by request)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act Revising the Teachers' Pension Law" (H. P. 1072) (Presented by Mr. Corson of Hodgdon by request)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Subordinate Officers and Employees of the Senate and House of Representatives" (H. P. 1073) (Presented by Mr. Jordan of South Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Make Compulsory the Workmen's Compensation Act"

(H. P. 1074) (Presented by Mr. Jordan of Saco)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Payment of Alimony" (H. P. 1075) (Presented by Mr. Perkins of Boothbay Harbor)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Amend the Workmen's Compensation Act as to Minors Illegally Employed, Attorneys' Fees and Waiting Period" (H. P. 1076) (Presented by Mr. Poulin of Rumford)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act Permitting Employees of Water Districts and Other Quasi-Municipal Corporations to Become Members of the State Employees' Retirement System" (H. P. 1140) (Presented by Mr. Payson of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Judges of Municipal Courts Not to Act as Counsel" (H. P. 1141) (Presented by Mr. Peirce of Augusta)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Hearings upon Petitions for the Support of Parents" (H. P. 1165) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Appointment of State Humane Agents" (H. P. 1165) (Presented by Mr. Smart of Ellsworth)

(Ordered printed)

Tabled

Bill "An Act Amending the Unemployment Compensation Act to Employer's Experience Classifications" (H. P. 1077) (Presented by Mr. Warren of Westbrook)

(On motion by Mr. Warren, tabled pending reference)

Bill "An Act relating to Inactive Savings Accounts of Former Inmates of the State School for Boys" (H. P. 1164) (Presented by Miss Deering of Bath)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act Reallocating the Laws relating to Private Hospitals for the Mentally Deranged" (H. P. 1136) (Presented by Mr. Forhan of Canton)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Settlement of Suits by or against Infants" (H. P. 1137) (Presented by Mr. Haskell of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Interlocutory Petitions Pending Divorce

Libel or Petitions Amending Divorce Decrees" (H. P. 1138) (Presented by same gentleman)
(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Employer-Employee Agreements Under the Workmen's Compensation Act" (H. P. 1139) (Presented by Mr. Jordan of Saco)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve Permitting Examination of Arthur Andrews, of Rockport, by State Board of Examiners of Funeral Directors and Embalmers (H. P. 1078) (Presented by Mr. Bird of Rockland)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Labor

Bill "An Act relating to Dangerous Occupations for Minors" (H. P. 1079) (Presented by Mr. Bird of Rockland)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence

Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act relating to Acquiring of Wharf by city of Rockland" (H. P. 1080) (Presented by Mr. Bird of Rockland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Town By-Laws and Ordinances for Trailer Camps" (H. P. 1081) (Presented by Mr. Donahue of Biddeford)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Pauper Settlement" (H. P. 1082) (Presented by Mr. Hawes of Vassalboro)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Public Dumping Grounds" (H. P. 1083) (Presented by Mr. Leathers of Hermon)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Records of Sale of Real Estate for Taxes" (H. P. 1084) (Presented by Mr. Payson of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Issuance of a Receipt for Payment of Poll-Taxes" (H. P. 1142) (Presented by Mr. Haskell of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Permits for Digging Into and Opening Streets and Highways" (H. P. 1143) (Presented by Mr. Lackee of Addison)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence

Library

Resolve for the Purchase of One Hundred Copies of "History of Hartford" and One Hundred Copies of "Directory of Mexico, Dixfield and Rumford" (H. P. 1085) (Presented by Mr. Forhan of Canton)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence

Mercantile Affairs and Insurance

Bill "An Act relating to the Payment of Taxes by Domestic Insurance Companies" (H. P. 1086) (Presented by Mr. Jordan of Saco)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Personal Examination of Certain Applicants to Solicit Insurance (H. P. 1144) (Presented by Mr. Morse of Oakland)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence

Military Affairs

Resolve in favor of the National Guard Association (H. P. 1087) (Presented by Mr. Southard of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence

Pensions

Resolve Granting Additional Pension for Burtis F. Fowler, of Augusta (H. P. 1103) (Presented by Mr. Carpenter of Augusta)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence

Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Ernest Bragg, of Stacyville (H. P. 1145) (Presented by Mr. Boulter of Stacyville)

Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Willard J. Leonard, of Fort Fairfield (H. P. 1146) (Presented by Mr. Dorsey of Fort Fairfield)

Resolve Granting a Pension to Elmira A. Brown, of Auburn (H. P. 1102) (Presented by Mr. Jacobs of Auburn)

Resolve Providing for a State Pension for George King, of Eagle Lake (H. P. 1088) (Presented by Mr. Martin of Eagle Lake)

Resolve Granting a Pension to Mabel McKay of Bucksport (H. P. 1083) (Presented by Mr. Sargent of Bucksport)

Resolve Providing for a Pension for Edward Lind of Stockholm (H. P. 1090) (Presented by Mr. Wright of Limestone)

Sent up for concurrence

Salaries and Fees

Bill "An Act relating to the Salary of the Judge of the Franklin Municipal Court" (H. P. 1091) (Presented by Mr. Crosby of Farmington)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Salaries of Various Officers of Franklin County" (H. P. 1092) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Salary of Register of Probate in Sagadahoc County" (H. P. 1093) (Presented by Miss Deering of Bath)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Salary of the Judge of Probate and the Register of Probate in Cumberland County" (H. P. 1094) (Presented by Mr. Haskell of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Salary of the Sheriff of Oxford County" (H. P. 1095) (Presented by Mr. Morrison of Rumford)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Salary for Clerks in County Offices in Lincoln County" (H. P. 1096) (Presented by Mr. Perkins of Boothbay Harbor)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Salary of the Commissioner of Labor and Industry" (H. P. 1147) (Presented by Mr. Brown of Brunswick)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Salary of the Clerk of Courts of Kennebec County" (H. P. 1148) (Presented by Mr. Peirce of Augusta)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Salaries of the Judge and Recorder of the Northern Cumberland Municipal Court" (H. P. 1149) (Presented by Mr. Rankin of Bridgton)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Salaries of Clerks in County Offices in Penobscot County" (H. P. 1150) (Presented by Mr. Ward of Millinocket)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Increase the Salaries of the Judge and the Recorder of the Westbrook Municipal Court" (H. P. 1151) (Presented by Mr. Warren of Westbrook)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Salaries of the Officers of the Legisla-

ture" (H. P. 1167) (Presented by Mr. Haskell of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

State Lands and Forest Preservation

Resolve Authorizing Conveyance of the Interest of the State in Certain Land in Albany Township (H. P. 1097) (Presented by Mr. Poulin of Rumford)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve for Location of Lookout Station on Picked Mountain in the town of Clifton, Penobscot County (H. P. 1098) (Presented by Mr. Williams of Clifton)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve Authorizing the Forest Commissioner to Convey Certain Interest of the State in Washington County to Irvin G. Lincoln, of Carroll (H. P. 1152) (Presented by Mr. Dicker of Lakeville Pl.)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Taxation

Bill "An Act relating to the Use Fuel Tax" (H. P. 1153) (Presented by Mr. Dutton of Bingham)

(Ordered printed)

•Bill "An Act relating to the Gasoline Tax" (H. P. 1154) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Temperance

Bill "An Act relating to the State Liquor Commission and Appointments thereof" (H. P. 1999) (Presented by Mr. Coombs of Belfast by request)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Licenses for Sale of Liquor to be Consumed on the Premises, Authorized" (H. P. 1120) (Presented by same gentleman by request)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Minors on Premises where Liquor is Consumed" (H. P. 1155) (Presented by Mr. Smart of Ellsworth)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Selling of Malt Liquor Near National Soldiers Homes, etc." (H. P. 1156) (Presented by Mr. Weston of Farmingdale)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Ways and Bridges

Bill "An Act relating to Construction of Addition to State

Police Barracks" (H. P. 1220) (Presented by Mr. Jordan of Saco)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Snow Removal in Unorganized Territory" (H. P. 1221) (Presented by Mr. Lackee of Addison)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Reapportionment of Maintenance of Unimproved Roads and Construction of State-Aid and Third-Class Road Moneys" (H. P. 1104) (Presented by Mr. Dutton of Bingham)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Snow Removal" (H. P. 1157) (Presented by Mr. Carpenter of Skowhegan)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Permits for Truck Loads Upon Designated Roads" (H. P. 1158) (Presented by Mr. Collins of Caribou)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve for the Maintenance and Repair of Roads and Bridges (H. P. 1161) (Presented by Mr. House of Lincoln)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of a Bridge Across the St. John River (H. P. 1101) (Presented by Mr. Daigle of Madawaska) *

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of the town of Searsmont (H. P. 1031) (Presented by Mr. Ames of Northport)

Resolve in favor of the town of Montville (H. P. 1032) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Brighton (H. P. 1033) (Presented by Mr. Dutton of Bingham)

Resolve in favor of the town of Alton (H. P. 1034) (Presented by Mr. Elliott of Corinth)

Resolve in favor of the town of Hudson (H. P. 1035) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of LaGrange (H. P. 1036) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of North Kennebunkport (H. P. 1037) (Presented by Mr. Marshall of York)

Resolve in favor of Allagash Plantation (H. P. 1038) (Presented by Mr. Martin of Eagle Lake)

Resolve in favor of St. John Plantation (H. P. 1039) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Eagle Lake (H. P. 1040) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of Winterville Plantation (H. P. 1041) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of New Canada Plantation (H. P. 1042) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Brewer (H. P. 1043) (Presented by Mr. Thompson of Brewer)

Resolve in favor of the town of Stockholm (H. P. 1044) (Presented by Mr. Wright of Limestone)

Resolve to Repair the Corro Road in Limestone, in the county of Arostook (H. P. 1045) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Dyer Brook (H. P. 1105) (Presented by Mr. Benn of Smyrna)

Resolve in favor of the town of Littleton (H. P. 1106) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Ludlow (H. P. 1107) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Morrill (H. P. 1108) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of New Limerick (H. P. 1109) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Oakfield (H. P. 1110) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Oakfield (H. P. 1111) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Smyrna (H. P. 1112) (Presented by same gentleman)

Resolve in favor of the town of Denmark (H. P. 1113) (Presented by Mr. Blake of Brownfield)

Resolve in favor of the town of York (H. P. 1114) (Presented by Mr. Marshall of York)

Resolve in favor of the town of North Berwick (H. P. 1115) (Presented by Mr. Walsh of Lebanon)

Resolve in favor of the town of Fayette (H. P. 1159) (Presented by Mr. Downs of Rome)

Resolve in favor of the city of Eastport (H. P. 1160) (Presented by Mr. Gallant of Eastport)

Resolve in favor of the town of Strong (H. P. 1162) (Presented by Mr. Jennings of Strong)

Resolve in favor of the town of Knox (H. P. 1222) (Presented by Mr. Ames of Northport)

Resolve in favor of the town of Avon (H. P. 1223) (Presented by Mr. Jennings of Strong)

Resolve in favor of the town of Millinocket (H. P. 1224) (Presented by Mr. Ward of Millinocket)

Sent up for concurrence.

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

Agriculture

Bill "An Act Imposing a Tax on Sweet Corn for the Suppression of the European Corn Borer" (H. P. 1135) (Presented by Mr. Brown of Unity)

(750 copies ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Oleomargarine" (H. P. 1169) (Presented by Mr. Savage of Mt. Desert by request)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Test for Butter-fat in Milk" (H. P. 1170) (Presented by Mr. Tozier of Fairfield)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Bill "An Act Appropriating Additional Funds for Maine Post War Public Works Reserve" (H. P. 1171) (Presented by Mr. Haskell of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Knox Arboretum (H. P. 1133) (Presented by Mr. Gowell of Poland)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Claims

Resolve in favor of F. Gilbert Congdon, of Portland (H. P. 1173) (Presented by Mr. Payson of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Nellie D. Pennell, of New York City (H. P. 1175) (Presented by Mr. Wells of New Gloucester by request)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Dr. Andrew Fortine, of Madison (H. P. 1172) (Presented by Mr. DeSanctis of Madison)

Resolve in favor of Ella B. Boyd, of Winn (H. P. 1174) (Presented by Mr. Ward of Millinocket)

Sent up for concurrence.

Education

Bill "An Act Designating Certain Academies as High Schools" (H. P. 1176) (Presented by Mr. Jordan of Saco)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to apportionment to Towns for Teaching Positions" (H. P. 1177) (Presented by Mrs. Roberts of Westbrook)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Lincoln Academy (H. P. 1178) (Presented by Mr. Gay of Damariscotta)

Sent up for concurrence

Inland Fisheries and Game

Bill "An Act relating to Control of Deer in Acadia National Park" (H. P. 1179) (Presented by Mr. Savage of Mt. Desert)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Open Season on Bull Moose in Cumberland County" (H. P. 1180) (Presented by Mr. Wells of New Gloucester by request)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Hunting and Trapping Seasons" (H. P. 1181) (Presented by Mr. Wight of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve relating to Ice Fishing in Churchill Lake, Umsaskis Lake, Harvey Pond, Long Pond and Round Pond, in Aroostook County (H. P. 1182) (Presented by Mr. Morneault of Fort Kent)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve relating to Belgrade Stream (H. P. 1183) (Presented by Mr. Weston of Farmingdale)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence

Judiciary

Bill "An Act relating to Reports of Thefts of Motor Vehicles" (H. P. 1184) (Presented by Mr. Allen of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Proxies" (H. P. 1185) (Presented by Mr. Cousins of Old Town)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Trustee Process" (H. P. 1186) (Presented by Mr. Haskell of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Parties in Interest in the Trial of Causes" (H. P. 1187) (Presented by Mr. Peirce of Augusta)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Payment of Salaries and Wages of State Officers and Employees" (H. P. 1188) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Reporting by Drivers Involved in Accidents" (H. P. 1189) (Presented by Mr. Plummer of Lisbon)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Discharge Chattel Mortgages and Conditional Sales of Record" (H. P. 1190) (Presented by Mr. Sweetser of Cumberland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Authority of Towns to Raise Money for Pensions for Town Employees" (H. P. 1191) (Presented by Mr. Webber of Mapleton)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Teachers' Pensions" (H. P. 1192) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Androscoggin County Law Library" (H. P. 1193) (Presented by Mr. Williams of Auburn)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Payments to County Law Libraries" (H. P. 1194) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution to Provide for the Appointment of the Attorney-General by the Governor, with the Advice and Consent of the Council, Upon Nomination by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court (H. P. 1195) (Presented by Mr. Payson of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve relating to Retirement Pension for Henry H. Randall, of Rockland (H. P. 1196) (Presented by Mr. Russell of Gorham)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Lewis Cook of Bangor (H. P. 1197) (Presented by Mr. Webber of Mapleton)

(Ordered printed)

Resolve in favor of Agnes Cook, of Bangor (H. P. 1198) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act Amending the Charter of the Calais School District" (H. P. 1199) (Presented by Mr. Christensen of Calais)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act Creating the Passamaquoddy District Authority" (H.

P. 1200) (Presented by Mr. Gallant of Eastport)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Provide Civil Service Rules for Police and Fire Departments" (H. P. 1201) (Presented by Mr. Jalbert of Lewiston)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Horse Races" (H. P. 1202) (Presented by Jordan of South Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Motor Vehicles

Bill "An Act to Authorize the Secretary of State to Issue Operators' Licenses for One, Two, Three or Five Years' Validity" (H. P. 1203) (Presented by Mr. Carpenter of Augusta)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Registration of Truck Tractor and Semi-Trailer" (H. P. 1204) (Presented by Mr. Christensen of Calais)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Speed Limit on Bridge" (H. P. 1205) (Presented by Mr. Smart of Ellsworth)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Operators' Licenses" (H. P. 1206) (Presented by Mr. Stillings of Berwick)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Inspection of Motor Vehicles" (H. P. 1207) (Presented by Mr. Weston of Farmingdale)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Registration of Motor Vehicles" (H. P. 1208) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Special License for Motor Service Station" (H. P. 1209) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Rate of Speed of Commercial Vehicles" (H. P. 1210) (Presented by Mr. Wight of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Joint Select Committee On Postwar Planning

Bill "An Act Appropriating Funds from the Maine Post War Public Works Reserve for State House Improvements" (H. P. 1211) (Presented by Mr. Peirce of Augusta)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

**Public Health
Tabled**

Bill "An Act relating to Vital Statistics" (H. P. 1216) (Presented by Mr. Ward of Millinocket)

(On motion by Mr. Ward, tabled pending reference)

Public Utilities

Bill "An Act to Extend the Charter of the Central Aroostook Railway Company" (H. P. 1227) (Presented by Mr. Haskell of Bangor)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Extend the Charter of the Patten Water and Power Company" (H. P. 1217) (Presented by Mr. Jones of Waterville)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Extend the Charter of the Vanceboro Water Company" (H. P. 1226) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act to Aid in Prevention of Flood Damage" (H. P. 1225) (Presented by Mr. Peirce of Augusta)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Salaries and Fees

Bill "An Act relating to Salary of Sheriff of Cumberland County" (H. P. 1212) (Presented by Mr. Connelan of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Salary of Sheriff in Washington County" (H. P. 1213) (Presented by Mr. Palmer of Charlotte)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Salary of the Attorney-General" (H. P. 1214) (Presented by Mr. Payson of Portland)

(Ordered printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Salaries of All Municipal Court Judges" (H. P. 1215) (Presented by Mr. Plummer of Lisbon)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Sea and Shore Fisheries

Bill "An Act relating to Bounty on Seals" (H. P. 1218) (Presented by Ames of Northport)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

State Hospitals

Bill "An Act relating to Expenses of Patients in State Hospitals" (H. P. 1219) (Presented by Mr. Judkins of Woodstock by request)

(Ordered printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Orders

On motion by Mr. Williams of Clifton, it was

ORDERED, that there be printed two hundred fifty additional copies of the following Public Bills:

Bill "An Act Relieving Towns from Care of Neglected and Dependent Children" (H. P. 449) (L. D. 174)

Bill "An Act Relating to Rural Electrification Cooperatives" (H. P. 544) (L. D. 322)

Passed to be Engrossed

Bill "An Act relating to the State Historian, State History and Public Records" (S. P. 55) (L. D. 26)

Bill "An Act relating to the Annual Report of the State Auditor" (H. P. 63) (L. D. 43)

Bill "An Act relating to the Capitol Island Village Corporation" (H. P. 212) (L. D. 83)

Bill "An Act relating to the Port of Calais Authority" (H. P. 333) (L. D. 147)

Were reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, read the third time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Orders of the Day

The SPEAKER: The House is proceeding under Orders of the Day.

If there is no further business, the Clerk will read the notices.

On motion by Mr. True of Rangeley,

Adjourned until ten o'clock tomorrow morning.