

# 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, February 20, 1945.

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Reverend Donald A. Scanlin of Kennebunk.

Journal of Friday, February 16th, 1945, read and approved.

Papers from the House referred in concurrence.

**Referred to Committees**

The following bills were received and on recommendation by the Committee on Reference of Bills were referred to the following committees:

**Education**

Mr. Bishop of Sagadahoc presented Bill "An Act Relating to School Superintendents." (S. P. 365)

The same Senator presented Bill "An Act Relating to Superintending School Committees." (S. P. 366)

(Severally ordered printed.)  
Sent down for concurrence.

**Pensions**

The same Senator presented Bill "An Act Relating to Maximum Pensions." (S. P. 367)

(Ordered printed.)  
Sent down for concurrence.

**Legal Affairs**

Mr. Boucher of Androscoggin presented, by request, Bill "An Act Amending an Act to Authorize the Incorporation of Credit Unions." (S. P. 368)

(Ordered printed.)  
Sent down for concurrence.

**Senate Committee Reports**

Mr. Dunbar from the Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act Relating to Laws Passed by the Ninety-second Legislature," (S. P. 48) (L. D. 12) reported that the same ought not to pass.

Which report was read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Miss Clough from the Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act Relating to the University of Maine," (S. P. 75) (L. D. 70) reported that the same ought to pass.

Mr. Batchelder from the Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act Relating to the Organization of Plantations," (S. P. 179) (L. D. 383) reported that the same ought to pass.

Mr. Gould from the same Committee on Bill "An Act Amending the Charter of the Preachers' Aid Society of the Maine Conference of the Methodist Church," (S. P. 177) (L. D. 385) reported that the same ought to pass.

Which reports were severally read and accepted, the bills read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Mr. Leavitt from the Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act to Regulate the Practice of Architecture and to Create a Board to Provide for the Examination and Registration of Architects," (S. P. 103) (L. D. 178) reported that the same ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A".

(On motion by Mr. Brown of Aroostook tabled pending acceptance of the report.)

Mr. Gould from the same Committee on Bill "An Act to Amend the Charter of Lincoln Academy," (S. P. 143) (L. D. 349) reported that the same ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A".

Which report was read and accepted and the bill was given its first reading.

The Secretary read Committee Amendment A as follows:

"Committee Amendment A to Bill, An Act to Amend the Charter of Lincoln Academy. (S. P. 143) (L. D. 349).

"Amend said bill by striking out all of Section 6 and inserting in place thereof the following: 'Sec. 6. Officers elected annually. There shall be a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and executive committee. The executive committee shall consist of three members, the president to serve ex-officio. The officers, with the exception of the executive committee shall be elected annually. The executive committee shall first be elected, one for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, and one for a term of three years, and as each term expires a member of the executive committee shall be elected for a period of three years. The officers and members of the executive committee shall be elected from the board of trustees as their acts shall be governed by the by-laws of the corporation.'

Which amendment was adopted and the bill as so amended was tomorrow assigned for second reading.

**Passed to be Engrossed**

Bill "An Act Relating to Compensation of Members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Lewiston." (H. P. 427) (L. D. 235)

Bill "An Act Relating to Solicitation from City of Lewiston Employees and Officials." (H. P. 430) (L. D. 238)

Bill "An Act Relating to Nomination Papers in the City of Lewiston." (H. P. 431) (L. D. 239)

Bill "An Act Relating to Expense Accounts of State Officers." (H. P. 527) (L. D. 258)

Which bills were severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to the Use of the Prefix 'Dr.' by Chiropractors." (S. P. 66) (L. D. 45)

Bill "An Act Relating to the Examination of Applicants for the Practice of Chiropractic." (S. P. 67) (L. D. 46)

Bill "An Act Relating to Sale by Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game of Arms and Ammunition." (S. P. 100) (L. D. 181)

Which bills were severally read a second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Dissolve the Portland and Ogdensburg Railway." (S. P. 40) (L. D. 4)

Bill "An Act Relating to the Definition of Chiropractic Service." (S. P. 65) (L. D. 44)

Bill "An Act Relating to Local Rehabilitation of Veterans." (S. P. 147) (L. D. 353)

Which bills were severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed as amended.

Sent down for concurrence.

**Orders of the Day**

On motion by Mr. Brown of Aroostook, the Senate voted to take from the table, bill, An Act Relating to Fish Weirs (S. P. 342) tabled by that Senator on February 15 pending motion by the Senator from Washington, Senator Washburn, that the bill be referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Thereupon, the bill was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Brown of Aroostook, the Senate voted to take from the table bill, An Act Relating to Teachers' Pensions (H. P. 1192) (L. D. 751) tabled by that Senator on February 16 pending motion by the Senator from Sagadahoc, Senator Bishop, that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education in non-concurrence.

Thereupon, the bill was referred to the Committee on Education in non-concurrence.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Washburn of Washington

Adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.