

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE

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SENATE

Thursday, February 6, 1947

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Prayer by Councillor Lee C. Good of Montecello.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Papers from the House referred in concurrence.

House Committee Report

The Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance on Bill "An Act Relating to Examination of Domestic Companies," (H. P. 93) (L. D. 73) reported that the same ought to pass.

Which report was read and adopted in concurrence, the bill read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Referred to Committees

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

Claims

Mr. Willey of Hancock presented "Resolve in Favor of United Radio and Electric Service Co., of Portland." (S. P. 188)

The same Senator presented "Resolve in Favor of David J. Hyler, of Rockland." (S. P. 189)

Mr. Dube of Androscoggin presented "Resolve in Favor of Harold Sinclair, of Bluehill." (S. P. 190)

The same Senator presented "Resolve in Favor of Stanley A. Gracie, of Sedgwick." (S. P. 191)

Mr. Haskell of Penobscot presented "Resolve in Favor of the Maine Distributors, Inc." (S. P. 192)

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Dube of Androscoggin presented "Resolve in Favor of Reginald Oliver, of Lewiston." (S. P. 193)

(Ordered printed)

Mr. Willey of Hancock presented "Resolve in Favor of T. P. Walker, of Bluehill." (S. P. 194)

(Ordered printed)

The same Senator presented "Resolve in Favor of E. W. Brann, of Ellsworth Falls." (S. P. 195)

(Ordered printed)

The same Senator presented "Resolve in Favor of Edwin Sprague, of Ellsworth." (S. P. 196)

(Ordered printed)

The same Senator presented "Resolve in Favor of Boyd A. Blaisdell, of Ellsworth." (S. P. 197)

(Ordered printed)

Mr. Smith of Knox presented "Resolve in Favor of Robert G. Spaulding, of Thomaston." (S. P. 198)

(Ordered printed)

Mr. Willey of Hancock presented "Resolve in Favor of Howard P. Weising, of Sedgwick." (S. P. 199)

(Ordered printed)

Mr. Greeley of Waldo presented, by request "Resolve in Favor of Joshua Treat, Jr., of Winterport." (S. P. 200)

(Ordered printed)

Sent down for concurrence.

Education

Mr. McKusick of Piscataquis presented "Resolve Relating to Teaching Service of Frank Kent, of Guilford." (S. P. 201)

Sent down for concurrence.

Inland Fisheries and Game

Mr. Haskell of Penobscot presented "Resolve Closing Coffeelos Lake, T. 6. R. 11, W. E. L. S., Piscataquis County, to all Fishing except Fly Fishing." (S. P. 202)

(Ordered printed)

Sent down for concurrence.

Judiciary

Mr. Cross of Kennebec presented Bill "An Act to Create the Augusta Parking District." (S. P. 203)

The same Senator presented Bill "An Act Relating to the Maine Trunpike Authority." (S. P. 204)

Mr. Batchelder of York presented Bill "An Act to Authorize Fraser Paper, Limited to Merge with and into, or to Consolidate with, a Corporation Organized Under the Laws of the State of Maine." (S. P. 205)

The same Senator presented, by request Bill "An Act to Incorporate the Saco Bay Company." (S. P. 206)

Mr. Williams of Penobscot presented Bill "An Act Relative to Hearings Conducted by the Secretary of State." (S. P. 207)

Mr. Barnes of Aroostook presented Bill "An Act Relating to the Van Buren Municipal Court." (S. P. 208)

The same Senator presented Bill "An Act Amending the Acts which Constitute the Charter of Colby College, Formerly Colby University." (S. P. 209)

Mr. Greeley of Waldo presented Bill "An Act Relating to the Waldo County Municipal Court." (S. P. 210)

Mr. Blanchard of Aroostook presented Bill "An Act Relating to Insane Criminals." (S. P. 211)

(Ordered printed)

Sent down for concurrence.

Legal Affairs

Mr. Williams of Penobscot presented Bill "An Act Relating to Unredeemed Tickets on Pari-Mutuel Pools." (S. P. 212)

Mr. Dube of Androscoggin presented Bill "An Act Relating to Marriage after Intentions are Filed." (S. P. 213)

Mr. McKinnon of Oxford presented Bill "An Act Amending the Charter of the Town of Rumford." (S. P. 214)

Mr. Cross of Kennebec presented Bill "An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Augusta by Providing for the Appropriation of School Funds by the City Council." (S. P. 215)

(Each ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Mercantile Affairs and Insurance

Mr. Hopkins of Kennebec presented Bill "An Act Relating to Casualty and Surety Insurance Rate Regulation." (S. P. 216)

The same Senator presented Bill "An Act Relating to Fire Marine and Inland Marine Insurance Rate Regulation." (S. P. 217)

(Each ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Motor Vehicles

Mr. Crosby of Franklin presented Bill "An Act Relating to the Issuance of Dealer's Registration." (S. P. 218)

The same Senator presented Bill "An Act Relating to Inspection of Motor Vehicles." (S. P. 219)

(Ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Pensions

Mr. McKinnon of Oxford presented "Resolve Granting a Pension to Minnie Murphy, of Mexico." (S. P. 220)

Sent down for concurrence.

Salaries and Fees

Mr. Boucher of Androscoggin presented Bill "An Act Increasing the

Salary of Register of Probate in Androscoggin County." (S. P. 221)

(Ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

State Lands and Forest Preservation

Mr. Williams of Penobscot presented "Resolve Authorizing the State Tax Assessor to Convey Certain Interest of the State in Lands in Hancock County to Malcolm P. Noyes, of Franklin." (S. P. 222)

(Ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Temperance

Mr. Dube of Androscoggin presented Bill "An Act Relating to Eligibility of Certain Clubs for Liquor Licenses." (S. P. 223)

(Ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Ways and Bridges

Mr. McKusick of Piscataquis presented "Resolve in Favor of the Town of Wellington." (S. P. 224)

Mr. Willey of Hancock presented "Resolve in Favor of the City of Ellsworth." (S. P. 225)

The same Senator presented "Resolve in Favor of the Town of Brooksville." (S. P. 226)

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Cross of Kennebec presented Bill "An Act to Provide for Reissuance of State Highway Bonds." (S. P. 227)

(Ordered printed.)

Mr. Welch of Aroostook presented Bill "An Act to Make Allocations from the General Highway Fund for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1948 and June 30, 1949." (S. P. 228)

(Ordered printed.)

Mr. Murchie of Washington presented Bill "An Act to Provide for the Reconstruction or Enlargement of the International Bridge at Calais, in the County of Washington, Known as the Ferry Point Bridge." (S. P. 229)

(Ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Senate Committee Report

Mr. Spear from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill "An Act Relating to Free Hunting, Trapping and Fishing Licenses for Indians," (S. P. 27) (L. D. 1) reported that the same ought to pass.

Which report was adopted, the bill read once, and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Passed to be Engrossed

Bill "An Act Providing for the Reappointment of Active Retired Justices." (H. P. 116) (L. D. 80)

Which was read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Jurisdiction of Supreme Judicial Court." (S. P. 70) (L. D. 64)

Which was read a second time and passed to be engrossed, as amended.

Sent down for concurrence.

Passed to be Enacted

Bill "An Act Providing for Procedure for Eminent Domain for Park Commission." (S. P. 28) (L. D. 2)

Bill "An Act Amending the Small Claims Law." (S. P. 40) (L. D. 14)

Bill "An Act Relating to Tenure

of Office of Civil Officers Appointed by the Governor." (S. P. 42) (L. D. 16)

Bill "An Act Relating to Publication of Delinquent State, County and Forestry District Taxes." (S. P. 43) (L. D. 17)

Bill "An Act Relating to Collection of Unpaid Personal Property Taxes in Unorganized Territory." (S. P. 44) (L. D. 18)

Bill "An Act Relating to Writ of Audita Querela Before Justice in Vacation." (H. P. 7) (L. D. 6)

Orders of the Day

The PRESIDENT: Is there any further business to come before the Senate?

On motion by Mr. Ela of Somerset
Adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.