

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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## THE LEGISLATURE,

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE,

DURING ITS SESSION

A. D. 1837.

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# RULES AND ORDERS

TO BE OBSERVED

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## IN THE SENATE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE.

DURING THE

CURRENT POLITICAL YEAR,

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**STATE OF MAINE.**

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**IN SENATE, JANUARY 13, 1837.**

**ORDERED**, that the Secretary of the Senate procure 300 copies of the Rules and Orders to be printed for the use of the Senate.

[Extract from the Journal.]

**ATTEST :**

**WILLIAM TRAFTON**, *Secretary.*

## **RULES AND ORDERS.**

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1. At the hour to which the Senate may be adjourned, the President shall take the chair.

2. In case the President shall be absent, the Secretary shall preside until a President pro tem. be chosen.

3. When the Senate are called to order in the morning, on the appearance of a quorum, the Journal of the preceding day shall be read.

4. All Messages from the Senate to the House, and to the Governor, or Governor and Council, shall be carried by the Secretary, and all papers shall be transmitted to the Governor and Council and to the House by the Secretary or his Assistant.

5. No member shall absent himself from the Senate, without leave, unless there be a quorum left present at the Board.

6. The President may read sitting, but shall rise to put a question.

7. The President shall have the right to name a member to perform the duties of the Chair during his absence ; but such substitution shall not extend beyond an adjournment.

8. The President shall consider a motion to adjourn as always first in order, and it shall be decided without debate.

9. A motion when seconded, and not before, shall be received and considered ; and if desired by the President, or any other member, shall be reduced to writing and laid on the table.

10. Every member, when he speaks, shall address the President, standing in his place, and when he has finished, shall sit down. When the President speaks, he shall address the Board.

11. No member shall speak more than once to the same question, to the prevention of any other, who desires to speak and has not spoken ; nor more than twice, without first obtaining leave of the Board.

12. No member shall interrupt another while speaking, except to call to order, or to correct a mistake, in point of fact.

13. After a question is put to vote, no member shall speak to it.

14. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received, but to adjourn, to lie on the table, to commit, to amend, to postpone to a day certain, or to postpone indefinitely ; which several motions shall have precedence in the order they stand arranged.

15. An amendment proposed may be amended before it is adopted, but not afterwards, except the vote adopting it be first reconsidered.

16. When a motion has been made and carried, it shall be in order for any member of the majority to move for a reconsideration thereof, on the same or succeeding day.

17. When the yeas and nays shall be taken, the members shall be called alphabetically.

18. Every member who shall be at the Senate Board when a question is put, where he is not excluded by interest, shall give his vote, unless the Senate, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

19. Questions of order may be debated, like other questions, and shall be decided by the President, subject to an appeal to the Board on motion thereof regularly made and seconded.

20. A question containing two or more propositions capable of division, shall be divided whenever desired by any member.

21. In filling up blanks, the largest sum and longest time shall be put first.

22. No bill shall pass to be engrossed without being twice read; nor shall a bill have a second reading, unless a time, (not less than an hour,) be assigned therefor; and before any bill shall pass to be enacted, it shall be reported by the committee



for the examination of engrossed bills, to be truly copied from the original, and the title thereof read by the President.

23. No Resolve of any kind, or Order making any grant of money, lands or other public property, shall be finally passed without being twice read; nor shall such resolve or order have a second reading, unless a time, not less than one hour, be assigned therefor; and before any such resolve or order shall finally pass, it shall be reported by the committee for the examination of engrossed bills, to be truly copied on paper from the original, and the title thereof read by the President.

24. Upon the second reading of a Bill or Resolve, after the same shall be read through, and before the question is put upon its passage, it shall be read and considered by paragraphs, at the request of any member of the Board.

25. All Committees shall be nominated by the President, (except when it may be determined that the election may be by ballot,) and appointed by the Board.

26. The following Standing Committees shall be appointed at the commencement of the Session, viz :

#### STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE.

On Bills in the second Reading,  
On Engrossed Bills,

To consist of twelve members each, any two of whom shall constitute a Quorum.

# JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

- On the Judiciary,
- On Literary Institutions,
- On Banks and Banking,
- On Incorporations of Towns,
- On Division of Towns,
- On State Lands,
- On State Roads,
- On the State Prison,
- On Roads and Bridges,
- On Canals and Rail Roads,
- On Interior Waters,
- On the Militia,
- On Agriculture,
- On Manufactures,
- On Accounts,
- On Parishes,
- On Claims,
- On Public Buildings,
- On Interior Fisheries,
- On Military Pensions,
- On division and alteration of Counties,
- On the Library.

27. All Bills and Resolves in the second reading shall be committed to the Committee on Bills in

the second reading, to be by them examined, corrected and so reported to the Senate.

28. All Bills and Resolves, immediately after the same shall have passed to be engrossed, shall be committed to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, whose duty it shall be to examine the same, and to see that the same have been correctly engrossed.

29. No member of the Senate shall act as counsel for any party, before any Committee of the Legislature.

30. Every member who shall present a petition, shall place his name thereon, and briefly state its subject.

31. All confidential communications made by the Governor to the Senate, shall be by the members thereof kept inviolably secret, until the Senate shall by their resolution take off the injunction of secrecy.

32. No rule shall be dispensed with, except by the consent of two thirds of the members present.

33. Any member of the Senate may exchange seats on consulting the President and obtaining his permission.

**CIVIL GOVERNMENT**  
**OF THE**  
**STATE OF MAINE,**

*For the Political Year*

**1837.**

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**ROBERT P. DUNLAP,** *Brunswick,*  
**GOVERNOR.**

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**COUNCIL.**

**HENRY HOBBS,**  
**WILLIAM DUNN,**  
**JOSIAH MERROW,**  
**JOSEPH JOHNSON,**  
**SAMUEL SMALL,**  
**SAMUEL VEAZIE,**  
**DAVID W. LOTHROP.**

**JOHN REED,** *Messenger to the Governor and Council.*

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**ASAPH R. NICHOLS,** *Secretary of State.*

**ASA REDINGTON, JR.** *Treasurer.*

**ABNER B. THOMPSON,** *Adjutant General.*

**JOHN HODGDON,** *Land Agent.*

## SENATE.

**JOHN C. TALBOT, *President.***

1st Sen. Dist.			SAMUEL MILDGRAM, LEVI J. HAM, STEPHEN WOODMAN.
2d	"	"	RUFUS SOULE, NATHAN L. WOODBURY, ROSCOE G. GREENE, NATHANIEL S. LITTLEFIELD.
3d	"	"	JOHN MANNING, GEORGE ROGERS, DAVID C. MAGOUN, EDWARD ROBINSON.
4th	"	"	SAMUEL P. BENSON, LUTHER SEVERANCE, ELIJAH ROBINSON.
5th	"	"	JOSIAH STAPLES, BENJAMIN CARR.
6th	"	"	JOHN R. REDMAN.
7th	"	"	TRISTRAM REDMAN.
8th	"	"	JOHN C. TALBOT, PRES'T.
9th	"	"	JONATHAN BURR, EBENEZER HIGGINS.
10th	"	"	JOHN H. SMITH, MARSHALL H. WHITNEY.
11th	"	"	ISAAC STRICKLAND, JONATHAN SWIFT.

WILLIAM TRAFTON, *Secretary.*

OLIVER C. GUPTILL, *Assistant Sec.*

ROBERT MARTIN, *Messenger.*

WILLARD BRACKETT, *Assistant Mess.*

# SENATE.

## ARRANGEMENT

OF THE MEMBERS AT THE SENATE BOARD.



**JOHN C. TALBOT, Esq. President.**

No. of Seat.	Left.	No. of Seat.	Right.
2. Roscoe G. Greene,		1.	
4. Nathaniel S. Littlefield,		3. Ebenezer Higgins,	
6.		5. Jonathan Burr,	
8. Nathan L. Woodbury,		7. Luther Severance,	
10. John R. Redman,		9. Samuel P. Benson,	
12. Edward Robinson,		11. Rufus Soule,	
14. David C. Magoun,		13. John Manning,	
16. Elijah Robinson,		15. George Rogers,	
18. Stephen Woodman,		17.	
20. Levi J. Ham,		19. Benjamin Carr,	
22. Samuel Mildram,		21. Josiah Staples,	
24. Tristram Redman,		23.	
26. John H. Smith,		25. Jonathan Swift,	
28. Marshall H. Whitney.		27.	
30.		29. Isaac Strickland.	

**Standing Committees of the Senate.**

**ON BILLS IN THE SECOND READING.**

Messrs. Littlefield,  
Greene,  
Ham,  
Benson,  
Severance,  
Manning,  
T. Redman,  
Magoun,  
Strickland,  
J. R. Redman,  
Higgins,  
Woodman.

**ON ENGROSSED BILLS.**

Messrs. Staples,  
Carr,  
Rogers,  
Soule,  
Mildram,  
Swift,  
Woodbury,  
Robinson, of Kennebec.  
Burr,  
Robinson, of Lincoln.  
Smith,  
Whitney.

## House of Representatives.

### HANNIBAL HAMLIN, *Speaker.*

#### COUNTY OF YORK.

9	Moses Ayer,	Newfield.
127	Simeon Barker,	Limerick.
92	Solomon Brooks,	York.
99	Thomas Carll,	Hollis.
145	Abraham L. Came,	Buxton.
11	Daniel Clark,	North Berwick.
39	William Cook,	Waterborough.
104	Roger Deering,	Kittery.
85	Moses Emery,	Saco.
49	John Gowen,	Shapleigh.
178	John Holmes,	Alfred.
134	Aaron Hubbard,	Acton.
123	Augustus Johnson,	Cornish.
50	Cephas Meeds,	Limington.
73	John T. Paine,	Sanford.
68	William Patten,	Kennebunk Port.
57	Elisha Perkins,	Biddeford.
165	Levi J. Shapleigh,	Elliot.
6	Josiah W. Seaver,	South Berwick.
188	Harvey M. Towle,	Parsonsfield.
124	Tobias Walker,	Kennebunk.
164	Jacob Waterhouse,	Lyman.
119	Theodore Wells,	Wells.

#### COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND.

114	James Appleton,	Portland.
173	Elias Baker,	Windham.
79	Stephen Beman,	Bridgton.
152	John D. Buzzell,	Cape Elizabeth.
77	Randolph A. L. Codman,	Portland.
116	Isaac Cushman,	Pownal.



90 David Dunlap,	Brunswick.
110 Charles Fox,	Portland.
42 Charles Hunt,	Gorham.
153 Meshach Humphrey,	Gray.
194 Mark Jordan,	Raymond.
118 Enoch Littlefield,	Minot.
82 S. R. Lyman,	Portland.
95 Stephen M. Marble.	Poland.
172 Jonathan C. Merrill,	Durham.
126 Haskell Peirce,	Harrison.
96 Samuel Phinney,	Standish.
136 David Potter,	Sebago.
169 Benjamin Quinby,	Westbrook
7 Benjamin Randall,	Harpswell.
43 Nicholas Rideout, Jr.	Cumberland.
88 Stephen Sewall,	Scarborough.
183 Alfred Soule,	Freeport.
115 Samuel Stinchfield,	Danville.
17 Nathaniel True,	North Yarmouth.
31 George Turner,	Falmouth.
41 Moses Woodman,	New Gloucester.

#### COUNTY OF LINCOLN.

102 Benjamin D. Bryant,	Lisbon.
185 Joseph Berry,	Georgetown.
117 William Carlisle,	Boothbay.
64 David M. Cunningham,	Alna.
56 Solomon Eaton,	Bowdoin.
148 John Fosset,	Bristol.
86 Nathan C. Fletcher,	Thomaston.
174 Thomas Hodgkin,	Lewiston.
60 Wales Hubbard,	Wiscasset.
69 Avery Hulett,	Bowdoinham.
33 Wait W. Keen,	Bremen.
70 Atwood Levensaler,	Thomaston.
182 John W. Lindley,	Union.
131 William Newhall,	Washington.
23 Edward O'Brien,	Warren.

181 Samuel Palmer, 2d,	Whitefield.
26 Norton P. Parsons,	Westport.
94 William G. Rollins,	Nobleboro'.
81 William D. Sewall,	Bath.
5 Thomas H. Smalley,	St. George.
78 George Sproul,	Waldoborough.
107 William C. Stinson,	Richmond.
30 Charles Thayer,	Dresden.
98 John H. Thompson,	Topsham.
22 Ephraim Weeks,	Jefferson.

### COUNTY OF HANCOCK.

163 Wilson Godfrey,	Gouldsborough.
128 Moses Higgins,	Eden.
29 Bushrod W. Hinckley,	Bluehill.
97 James Hooper,	Castine.
142 Eliphalet Pettingill, 2d,	Hancock.
149 Moody Pillsbury,	Bucksport.
2 Benjamin Rea, Jr.,	Brooksville.
10 John D. Richards,	Ellsworth.
12 David Smith,	Vinalhaven.
Samuel C. Stinson,	Deer Isle.
157 William W. Thom,	Mount Desert.

### COUNTY OF WASHINGTON.

20 Taft Comstock,	Lubec.
67 Josiah Eaton,	Robbinston.
47 Robert Foster.	Cherryfield.
177 Stephen C. Foster,	Pembroke.
28 Jesse Gilman,	New Limerick.
190 Clement Hopkins,	Jonesport.
21 Hendrick W. Judkins,	Houlton.
186 Phineas Libby,	Cutler.
122 Joshua A. Lowell,	East Machias.
171 George W. McLellan,	Eastport.
63 James P. Vance.	Calais.

### COUNTY OF KENNEBEC.

58 Francis J. Bowles,	Wayne.
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75 Solomon Brown,	Greene.
129 Robert A. Cony,	Augusta.
59 Varnum Cram,	New Sharon.
25 Samuel Davis,	Mount Vernon.
48 Shubael Dixon,	Clinton,
146 Ebenezer Freeman,	Monmouth.
16 Dearborn French,	Chesterville.
113 Nehemiah Getchell,	Waterville.
161 Ezekiel Holmes,	Winthrop.
24 Issachar Lane,	Leeds.
38 Henry W. Paine,	Hallowell.
150 Alfred Redington,	Augusta.
106 Freeman Shaw,	China.
84 Parker Sheldon,	Gardiner.
109 Hiram Shorey,	Litchfield.
3 Asa Smiley,	Sidney.
62 George Smith,	Belgrade.
89 Samuel Stanley,	Farmington.
65 Hiram Stevens,	Pittston.
105 Moses Taber,	Vassalborough.
132 William Vance,	Readfield.
141 Benjamin Webb,	Albion.
83 Samuel Wells,	Hallowell.
55 Ephraim Woodman,	Wilton.

### COUNTY OF OXFORD.

15 Leonard Benson,	Sumner.
37 Thomas Booker,	Berlin.
76 James Burbank,	Gilead.
125 Ebenezer Eames,	Bethel.
138 Rufus K. Goodenow,	Paris.
93 Isaac Gross,	Turner.
61 John Greenwood,	Hebron.
80 Isaac Hamlin,	Hiram.
159 Joseph Hastings,	Stow.
130 Samuel B. Holt,	Livermore.
139 Cyrus Ingalls,	Denmark.

18 Adam Knight,	Peru.
37 Daniel Merritt,	Jay.
Samuel Nevers,	Sweden.
53 Virgil D. Parris,	Buckfield.
133 Edward L. Poor,	Andover.
158 Jonathan B. Smith,	Norway.

## COUNTY OF SOMERSET.

168 Davis Chase,	Moscow.
154 William Conner,	Fairfield.
160 Cornelius Davis,	Industry.
8 Ambrose Finson,	Hartland.
54 George C. Getchell,	Anson.
179 Stephen Greenleaf,	Starks.
162 Joseph Hayden,	Madison.
193 John Pratt,	Parkman.
19 Truman Pratt,	New Vineyard.
45 Sewall Prescott,	St. Albans.
66 Silas Richardson,	Skowhegan.
13 Ebenezer E. Russell,	Norridgewock.
175 Seth Soule,	Cambridge.
4 Caleb Sylvester,	Phillips.
196 Charles Thompson,	Brighton.
52 Mark D. Wellcome,	Freeman.
195 Isaac Hopkins,	New Portland.

## COUNTY OF PENOBSBOT.

137 Elisha H. Allen,	Bangor.
108 Joseph Bradford,	Sebec.
32 Elias Breck,	Springfield.
40 Jonathan M. Eddy,	Corinth.
120 Gilbert Ellis,	Etna.
Hannibal Hamlin, <i>Speaker</i> ,	Hampden.
91 Benjamin Milliken,	Maxfield.
176 Benjamin Morrill,	Brewer.
191 William Oakes, Jr.,	Sangerville.
170 Isaac Russ,	Dexter.
35 John Shaw,	Orono.

135 Daniel Small,	Bradford.
151 Edward Smart,	Plymouth.
143 Hiram Tibbetts,	Charleston.

### COUNTY OF WALDO.

36 Joseph Ames,	Prospect.
140 Thomas Bartlett,	Hope.
14 Robert Chase,	Camden.
34 John Durham,	Waldo Plantation.
121 Ezekiel T. Hatch,	Jackson.
111 Nathan Ide,	Frankfort.
101 Ebenezer Knowlton,	Montville.
46 George Knowlton,	Northport.
155 Ralph C. Johnson,	Belfast.
187 David Lennan,	Searsmont.
44 Alver Marden,	Palermo.
156 Benjamin Noyes,	Lincolntonville.
112 Seth Thompson,	Unity.
87 Elijah Vose,	Knox.

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CHARLES WATERHOUSE, of Augusta, *Clerk*.  
 JOSEPH F. HALL, of Belfast, *Assistant Clerk*.

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THOMAS BAKER, of Portland, *Messenger*.  
 WILLIAM M. SAUNDERS, } *Assistant Messengers*.  
 CHARLES BRAY, }  
 JOHN K. L. BAKER, of Portland, *Page*.

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The CLERGYMEN of Augusta and Hallowell officiate  
 as Chaplains, in rotation.

### MONITORS.

1st Division,	Mr. Breck of Springfield.
2nd do.	" Bryant of Lisbon.
3d do.	" Cram of New Sharon.
4th do.	" O'Brien of Warren.
5th do.	" Gross of Turner.
6th do.	" Smith of Vinalhaven.

## STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE.

*On Elections.*

Messrs. Parris, of Buckfield,  
 Hunt, of Gorham,  
 Paine, of Hallowell,  
 Paine, of Sanford,  
 Comstock, of Lubec,  
 Allen, of Bangor,  
 Hatch, of Jackson.

*On Leave of Absence.*

Messrs. Merritt, of Jay,  
 Rea, of Brocksville,  
 Randall, of Harpswell,  
 Russ, of Dexter,  
 Cunningham, of Alna,  
 Libby, of Cutler,  
 Soule, of Cambridge.

*On Finance.*

Messrs. Fox, of Portland,  
 Brooks, of York,  
 Ames, of Prospect,  
 Taber, of Vassalborough,  
 Hamlin, of Hiram,  
 McLellan, of Eastport,  
 Fletcher, of Thomaston.

*On Change of Names.*

Messrs. Marden, of Palermo,  
 Pratt, of Parkman,  
 Walker, of Kennebunk.

*On County Estimates.*

Messrs. Eames, of Bethel,  
 Lyman, of Portland,  
 Hooper, of Castine,  
 Freeman, of Monmouth,

Berry, of Georgetown,  
 Carll, of Hollis,  
 Russell, of Norridgewock.

*On Engrossed Bills.*

Messrs. Humphrey, of Gray,  
 Shapleigh, of Eliot,  
 Getchell, of Waterville,  
 Ide, of Frankfort,  
 Weeks, of Jefferson,  
 Burbank, of Gilead,  
 Buzzell, of Cape Elizabeth.

*On Bills in the Third Reading.*

Messrs. Wells, of Hallowell,  
 Smart, of Plymouth,  
 Emery, of Saco,  
 Vance, of Calais,  
 Cony, of Augusta,  
 Hubbard, of Wiscasset,  
 Hinckley, of Bluehill.

*On Pay Roll.*

Messrs. Levensaler, of Thomaston,  
 True of North-Yarmouth,  
 Poor, of Andover,  
 Waterhouse, of Lyman,  
 Cram, of New Sharon,  
 Conner, of Fairfield,  
 Stinson, of Richmond.

## Joint Standing Committees.

### *On the Judiciary.*

Messrs. Littlefield, }  
Benson, } *Of the Senate.*  
Higgins, }

Messrs. Paine of Sanford, }  
Holmes of Alfred, }  
Parris of Buckfield, } *Of the House.*  
Comstock of Lubec, }  
Wells of Hallowell, }  
Codman of Portland, }  
Ide of Frankfort, }

### *On Literature and Literary Institutions.*

Messrs. Greene, }  
Severance, } *Of the Senate.*  
Ham, }

Messrs. Lowell of East Machias, }  
Humphrey of Gray, }  
Allen of Bangor, } *Of the House.*  
Hunt of Gorham, }  
Thayer of Dresden, }  
Vance of Readfield, }  
Seaver of South Berwick, }

### *On Banks and Banking.*

Messrs. Magoun, }  
Greene, } *Of the Senate.*  
Burr, }

Messrs. Vance of Calais, }  
Sewall of Bath, }  
Rollins of Nobleborough, } *Of the House.*  
Lyman of Portland, }  
Richards of Ellsworth, }  
Poor of Andover, }  
Paine of Hallowell, }



*On the Incorporation of Towns.*

Messrs. Burr,  
 Staples, } *Of the Senate.*  
 Woodbury, }

Messrs. Shaw of China,  
 Higgins of Eden,  
 Merrill of Durham,  
 Morrill of Bremen,  
 Davis of Industry,  
 Knight of Peru,  
 Libby of Cutler, } *Of the House.*

*On Division of Towns.*

Messrs. Woodbury, }  
 Whitney, } *Of the Senate.*  
 Swift, }

Messrs. O'Brien of Warren,  
 Chase of Moscow,  
 Brown of Greene,  
 Hubbard of Acton,  
 Cushman of Pownal,  
 Hulett of Bowdoinham,  
 Tibbets of Charleston, } *Of the House.*

*On State Lands.*

Messrs. Smith,  
 Burr, } *Of the Senate.*  
 Redman of Washington Co. }

Messrs. Foster of Pembroke,  
 Judkins of Houlton,  
 Soule of Freeport,  
 Breck of Springfield,  
 Lennan of Searsmont,  
 Getchell of Anson,  
 Phinney of Standish, } *Of the House.*

*On State Roads.*

Messrs. Ham,  
Strickland, } *Of the Senate.*  
Higgins,

Messrs. Prescott of St. Albans,  
Littlefield of Minot,  
Smith of Belgrade,  
Booker of Berlin,  
Gowen of Shapleigh,  
Milliken of Maxfield,  
Newhall of Washington, } *Of the House.*

*On State Prison.*

Messrs. Manning,  
Magoun, } *Of the Senate.*  
Mildram,

Messrs. Fossett of Bristol,  
Chase of Camden,  
Wells of Hallowell,  
Greenleaf of Starks,  
Turner of Falmouth,  
Cony of Augusta,  
Smalley of St. George, } *Of the House.*

*On Rail Roads and Canals.*

Messrs. Benson,  
Manning, } *Of the Senate.*  
Carr,

Messrs. Johnson of Belfast,  
Holmes of Winthrop,  
Vance of Calais,  
Oakes of Sangerville,  
Dunlap of Brunswick,  
Hubbard of Wiscasset,  
Smith of Norway, } *Of the House.*

*On Roads and Bridges.*

Messrs. Swift,  
J. R. Redman, } *Of the Senate.*  
Woodman,

Messrs. Cram of New Sharon,  
Eddy of Corinth,  
Bryant of Lisbon,  
Meed of Limington, } *Of the House.*  
Pierce of Harrison,  
Finson of Hartland,  
Benson of Sumner,

*On Interior Waters.*

Messrs. Mildram,  
T. Redman, } *Of the Senate.*  
Manning,

Messrs. Shaw of Orono,  
Baker of Windham,  
Carll of Hollis,  
Richardson of Skowhegan, } *Of the House.*  
Sheldon of Gardiner,  
Hastings of Stow,  
Foster of Cherryfield,

*On the Militia.*

Messrs. Strickland, } *Of the Senate.*  
Burr,  
Carr,

Messrs. Redington of Augusta,  
Sproul of Waldoborough,  
Marble of Poland,  
Thompson of Unity, } *Of the House.*  
Pratt of New Vineyard,  
Waterhouse of Lyman,  
Gross of Turner,

*On Agriculture.*

Messrs. Rogers, }  
 Mildram, } *Of the Senate.*  
 Whitney, }

Messrs. Holmes of Winthrop, }  
 Deering of Kittery, }  
 Beeman of Bridgton, } *Of the House.*  
 Greenwood of Hebron, }  
 Keen of Breman, }  
 Sylvester of Phillips, }  
 Johnson of Cornish, }

*On Manufactures.*

Messrs. Higgins, }  
 Woodman, } *Of the Senate.*  
 Whitney, }

Messrs. Goodenow of Parris, }  
 Appleton of Portland, }  
 Hodgkin of Lewiston, } *Of the House.*  
 Small of Bradford, }  
 Lane of Leeds, }  
 Vose of Knox, }  
 Pettingill of Hancock, }

*On Accounts.*

Messrs. Robinson of Ken. }  
 Mildram, } *Of the Senate.*  
 Magoun, }

Messrs. Bowles of Wayne, }  
 Rideout of Cumberland, }  
 Hinckley of Bluehill, } *Of the House.*  
 Lindley of Union, }  
 Stanley of Farmington, }  
 Holt of Livermore, }  
 Wellcome of Freeman, }

*On Parishes.*

Messrs. Soule,  
           Robinson of Ken. } *Of the Senate.*  
           Robinson of Lin. }

Messrs. Knowlton of Montville,  
           Smiley of Sidney,  
           Eaton of Robbinston,  
           Thoms of Mount Desert, } *Of the House.*  
           Ellis of Etna,  
           Jordon of Raymond,  
           Sewall of Scarborough, }

*On Claims.*

Messrs. Staples,  
           Soule, } *Of the Senate.*  
           Severance, }

Messrs. Woodman of Wilton,  
           Cook of Waterborough,  
           Quinby of Westbrook,  
           Ingalls of Denmark, } *Of the House.*  
           Noyes of Lincolnville,  
           Perkins of Biddeford,  
           Thompson of Topsham, }

*On Public Buildings.*

Messrs. Severance,  
           Magoun, } *Of the Senate.*  
           J. R. Redman, }

Messrs. Buzzell of Cape Elizabeth,  
           Durham of Waldo Pl.  
           Carlisle of Boothbay,  
           Dixon of Clinton,  
           Hopkins of Jones Port,  
           Hayden of Madison,  
           Stinchfield of Danville, } *Of the House.*

*On Interior Fisheries.*

Messrs. J. R. Redman,  
 Staples,  
 Robinson of Lin. } *Of the Senate.*

Messrs. Pillsbury of Bucksport,  
 Knowlton of Northport,  
 Stevens of Pittston,  
 Stinson of Richmond,  
 Godfrey of Goldsborough,  
 Bradford of Sebec,  
 Smith of Vinalhaven, } *Of the House.*

*On Military Pensions.*

Messrs. T. Redman,  
 Benson,  
 Ham, } *Of the Senate.*

Messrs. Ames of Prospect,  
 French of Chesterville,  
 Woodman of New Gloucester,  
 Palmer of Whitefield,  
 Patten of Kennebunk Port,  
 Eaton of Bowdoin,  
 Thompson of Brighton, } *Of the House.*

*On Division and Alteration of Counties.*

Messrs. Carr,  
 Smith,  
 Strickland, } *Of the Senate.*

Messrs. Fletcher of Thomaston,  
 Emery of Saco,  
 Gowen of Shapleigh,  
 Davis of Mount Vernon,  
 Shaw of Orono,  
 McLellan of Eastport,  
 Nevers of Sweden, } *Of the House.*

*On the Library.*

Messrs. Severance, } *Of the Senate.*  
 Greene, }

Messrs. Lowell of East Machias, }  
 Getchell of Anson, } *Of the House.*  
 Codman of Portland, }

**Joint Select Committee.***On the Treasurer's Report.*

Messrs. Mildram, }  
 Severance, } *Of the Senate.*  
 Burr, }

Messrs. Fox of Portland, }  
 Ames of Prospect, }  
 Taber of Vassalboro', } *Of the House.*  
 Hamlin of Hiram, }  
 McLellan of Eastport, }  
 Fletcher of Thomaston, }

**Joint Select Committees on Governor's  
 Message.***On so much as relates to Internal Improvements.*

Messrs. Woodman, }  
 Manning, } *Of the Senate.*  
 J. R. Redman, }

Messrs. Parris of Buckfield,  
 Taber of Vassalboro',  
 Bartlett of Hope,  
 Breck of Springfield,  
 O'Brien of Warren,  
 Deering of Kittery,  
 Appleton of Portland, } *Of the House.*

*On so much as relates to a Geological Survey.*

Messrs. Benson,  
 Ham  
 T. Redman, } *Of the Senate.*

Messrs. Holmes of Winthrop,  
 Johnson of Cornish,  
 Allen of Bangor,  
 Goodenow of Paris,  
 Phinney of Standish,  
 Sproul of Waldoboro',  
 Foster of Cherryfield, } *Of the House.*

*On so much as relates to an Insane Hospital.*

Messrs. Robinson of Kennebec,  
 Rogers,  
 Carr, } *Of the Senate.*

Messrs. Cony of Augusta,  
 Buzzell of Cape Elizabeth,  
 Came of Buxton,  
 Parsons of Westport,  
 Fox of Portland.  
 Hooper of Castine,  
 Marden of Palermo, } *Of the House.*

*On so much as relates to the Surplus Revenue.*

Messrs. Greene,  
 Woodman,  
 Magoun,  
 Staples,  
 Burr, } *Of the Senate.*



<b>Messrs.</b> Foster of Pembroke, Smart of Plymouth, Towle of Parsonsfield, Dunlap of Brunswick, Smith of Norway, Knowlton of Montville, Pillsbury of Bucksport, Woodman of Wilton, Pratt of New Vineyard, Levensaler of Thomaston,	}	<i>Of the House.</i>
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*On so much as relates to the North Eastern Boundary.*

<b>Messrs.</b> Ham, Littlefield, Benson, Higgins, J. R. Redman,	}	<i>Of the Senate.</i>
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<b>Messrs.</b> Holmes of Alfred, Lowell of East Machias, Ide of Frankfort, Small of Bradford, Prescott of St. Albans, Vance of Readfield, Weeks of Jefferson, Burbank of Gilead, Hunt of Gorham, Richards of Ellsworth,	}	<i>Of the House.</i>
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## M E M O R A N D A .

1. Orders, Motions in writing, and Reports of Committees should never be presented on less than a half sheet of Paper.
2. When a *Report* of a Committee is made to the Senate it should be accompanied by the *order* appointing said Committee.
3. Petitions, Memorials and Remonstrances from towns in their *corporate capacity*, should be endorsed thus, "*Petition of the town of* ———, [stating concisely the subject matter thereof.]
4. Petitions, Memorials and Remonstrances from Individuals should be endorsed thus, "*Petition of* ———, *and others of the town of* ———, [stating concisely the subject matter thereof.]
5. Petitions, Memorials and Remonstrances from Corporations should be endorsed thus, "*Petition of* [naming the Corporation, and stating the subject matter thereof.]
6. The name of the Member presenting Petitions, Memorials and Remonstrances should be endorsed on the back thereof *near the bottom*.
7. The Member presenting an *Order* should put his name thereto, on the inside, at the bottom of the page on the left.
8. Petitions, Memorials and Remonstrances on which *leave to withdraw* was ordered by a former Legislature cannot be called from the files with a view of being again referred. The *original*, however, may be taken from the files, and the subject presented *de novo*.
9. Bills and Resolves *refused a passage—rejected, or postponed indefinitely* by a former Legislature, cannot be called from the files with a view of being considered by the present Legislature.

10. All Bills, Resolves, Petitions, Memorials and Remonstrances before a preceding Legislature, not acted upon *definitively*, are, at the commencement of each Session, *as a matter of course*, brought forward and referred to appropriate Committees.
11. The Heading or Caption of **BILLS**, should be as follows :

**STATE OF MAINE.**

IN the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven.

An Act ———

The Caption of **RESOLVES**, as follows :

**STATE OF MAINE.**

[*omitting* the year required in Bills.]

Resolve ———