

SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE

NO. 693

House of Representatives, March 28, 1913. Tabled by Mr. Scates of Westbrook and ordered printed. W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

To the Senate and House of Representatives,

Gentlemen: In compliance with House Order No. relative to the non-enforcement of the prohibitory law by sheriffs and county attorneys in the different counties of the State, I herewith submit to you all that I have bearing upon this subject with reference to any county.

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

1. Three Bulletins, No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3, naming places where liquor is sold in said county.

2. The following names of persons given to me as witnesses who will testify relative to the alleged failure of the County Attorney, W. H. Hines, to prosecute violators of the so-called prohibitory law, namely:

Rev. C. E. Owen, Waterville.

F. X. Belleau, Auburn.

(Clerk of Courts of Androscoggin County.)

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(With the criminal dockets of said county for the April and September Terms, 1912, and the January Term, 1913.)

John L. Reade, Esq., Lewiston.

Rev. F. A. Leitch, Auburn.

Rev. George E. Kenney, Auburn.

3. The following names of persons given to me as witnesses who will testify relative to the alleged failure of the sheriff, H. M. Lowe, to prosecute violators of the so-called prohibitory law, namely:

John L. Reade, Esq., Lewiston.

Capt. Wood of the Salvation Army, 166 Holland Street, Lewiston.

Rev. F. A. Leitch, Auburn.

Rev. George E. Kenney, Auburn.

Mr. H. L. Whitney, Freight Agent, M. C. R. R., Bates Street, Lewiston.

Mr. H. E. Emery, Sanford.

Mr. F. X. Belleau, Clerk of Courts, Auburn.

Rev. C. E. Owen, Waterville.

Rev. W. F. Berry, Waterville.

4. Two letters hereto attached.

This is all I have with reference to conditions in Androscoggin County.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

I. I have had presented to me, as witness who would testify against Sheriff W. W. Emerson, with regard to his alleged nonenforcement of the so-called prohibitory law, the following named gentlemen: Rev. C. J. Brown, Bangor.

Rev. C. E. Owen, Waterville.

W. A. Danforth, Treas. B. & A. R. R., Bangor.

Mr. E. H. Emery, Sanford.

Mr. F. W. Phelps, Old Town.

J. E. Gibbons, Freight Agent M. C. R. R. Co., Bangor.

A. H. Bennett, Agent Am. Express Co., Bangor.

R. J. Plummer, Freight Agent M. C. R. R. Co., Old Town.

F. J. Stowe, Agent American Express Co., Old Town.

Rev. W. F. Berry, Waterville.

2. Two letters which I have received from Penobscot County relative to this matter.

This is all I have with reference to conditions in Penobscot County.

KNOX COUNTY.

With reference to Knox County, I herewith enclose letters, petitions, etc., which I have received regarding both county attorney and sheriff of said county.

This is all I have received with reference to the non-enforcement of the so-called prohibitory law in Knox County.

I have received no evidence, petitions or statements in my official capacity with reference to the enforcement of the socalled prohibitory law in any other county in the State.

WILLIAM T. HAINES.