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HOUSE

Tuesday, November 28, 1961

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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Victor Musk of Augusta.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the presence in the House of the gentleman from Buxton, Mr. Hartshorn; the gentleman from Portland, Mr. Kellam; the gentleman from Brunswick, Mr. Lacharite; the gentleman from Rumford, Mr. Sirois; and the gentleman from Mars Hill, Mr. Tweedie. The Clerk will make the necessary entrance of their presence on the official record.

Orders

On motion of Mr. Whitman of Woodstock, it was

ORDERED, that Robert G. Stubbs of Hallowell and Peter Radsky of Hallowell be appointed to serve as Acting Pages during this Special Session.

House Report of Committee on Elections

Mr. Knight from the House Committee on Elections to which was referred returns of votes cast for Representative to the Legislature and communication from Secretary of State relative to Special Elections, have had the same under consideration and ask leave to report that Frank S. Rand of Yarmouth and Louis E. Ayoob of Fort Fairfield were duly and legally elected members of the House of Representatives and entitled to seats therein.

Report was read and accepted and the members listed therein declared members of the House. (Applause)

Orders of the Day

The Chair laid before the House the first tabled and today assigned matter:

HOUSE ORDER Re Tabled Matters. Tabled—Nov. 27, by Mr.

Baxter of Pittsfield. Pending—Passage.

Thereupon the Order received passage.

The Chair laid before the House the second tabled and today assigned matter:

JOINT ORDER—Adding New Joint Rule 19-D. (H. P. 1234) Tabled—Nov. 27, by Mr. Whitman of Woodstock. Pending Passage.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Woodstock, Mr. Whitman.

Mr. WHITMAN: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: Because of the limited time available to us today, in our session here, I now move that this item be tabled until the next legislative day.

Thereupon, the Order was retabled pending passage and specially assigned for tomorrow.

The Chair laid before the House the third tabled and today assigned matter:

JOINT ORDER—Adding New Joint Rule 2-A. (H. P. 1235) Tabled—Nov. 27, by Mr. Whitman of Woodstock. Pending—Passage.

On motion of Mr. Whitman of Woodstock, retabled pending passage and specially assigned for tomorrow.

The Chair laid before the House the fourth tabled and today assigned matter:

JOINT ORDER — Amending Joint Rule 14. (H. P. 1236) Tabled—Nov. 27, by Mr. Whitman of Woodstock. Pending—Passage.

On motion of Mr. Whitman of Woodstock, retabled pending passage and specially assigned for tomorrow.

The Chair laid before the House the fifth tabled and today assigned matter:

JOINT ORDER — Relative to Printing the Legislative Record. (S. P. 622) (In Senate Read and Passed) Tabled—Nov. 27, by Mr. Baxter of Pittsfield. Pending—Passage.

On motion of Mr. Baxter of Pittsfield, retabled pending passage and specially assigned for tomorrow.

Mr. Albair of Caribou presented the following Resolution and moved its adoption:

STATE OF MAINE
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HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

November 28, 1961

WHEREAS, the members of the House of Representatives of the One-hundredth Legislature have learned with profound sorrow of the death September 3, 1961 of an esteemed colleague, Honorable Harold H. Hopkinson, Representative from Fort Fairfield;

AND WHEREAS, in his association with the members of this House he was ever honorable and kindly, being highly regarded for his character and sterling qualities of mind and heart;

AND WHEREAS, the members of the House of Representatives sense in his passing a personal loss and a genuine grief;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the State of Maine

mourns the loss of a faithful and valued public servant, and the members of the House of Representatives lament the departure of an esteemed and trusted friend;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That these Resolutions be entered in the Journal of the House and an engrossed copy of these Resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That as a further token of respect the House do now stand adjourned.

The SPEAKER: The Chair declares this Resolution unanimously adopted. Is it now the pleasure of the House, that in accordance with this Resolution the House stand adjourned until nine o'clock tomorrow morning?

Thereupon, the House adjourned until Wednesday, November 29, at nine o'clock in the morning.