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# LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

# One Hundred and Second Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1965

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### SENATE

Tuesday, March 30, 1965

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. John W. Neff of Portland.

On motion by Mr. Boisvert of Androscoggin, the Journal of yesterday was Read and Approved.

# Papers from the House

### Joint Orders

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the members of the 102nd Legislature express their appreciation to the sculptors, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hanna, Jay Hanna Associates, of Rockport, Maine, for the beautiful bas-relief they were commissioned to make as a tribute to Honorable Percival P. Baxter, and be it further

ORDERED, that an attested copy of this Order be sent, by the Secretary of the Senate, to the sculptors at their home in Camden. (H. P. 1050)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislature grant permission for the production of a television motion picture sound film dealing with the operation and function of the 102nd Legislature. The terms and conditions for the production of such motion picture shall be determined by the Senate and House leadership of both political parties. (H. P. 1051)

Come from the House Read and Passed.

Which were Read and Passed in concurrence.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair would like to recognize in the Senate Chamber a former Senator from Sagadahoc County, former Senator Frank Bailey and he is accompanied this morning by his sister. Would they please stand and be recognized? (Applause)

# Non-concurrent matter

Resolve, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Changing the Tenure of Office of Sheriff to Four-Year Terms. (S. P. 101) (L. D. 268)

In Senate, March 17, Passed to Be Engrossed.

Comes from the House, Indefinitely Postponed.

In the Senate, that Body voted to recede and concur.

#### Communication

SENATE OF PENNSYLVANIA March 22, 1965 Harrisburg, Pa.

Edwin H. Pert, Secretary Senate of Maine State House Augusta, Maine

Good Morning Ed!

At its session on March 15, 1965, the Senate of Pennsylvania unanimously adopted Resolution, Serial No. 45.

I am forwarding a certified copy of this resolution to you in accordance with the directions contained therein.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely,

Mark Gruell, Jr.

Secretary of the Senate

MG:hb Encl.

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Which Communication and resolution were Read and Ordered Placed on File.

Sent down for concurrence.

# Reports of Committees

# House

The Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs on Bill, "An Act Increasing Salary and Providing Travel Allowance of Indian Representative at the Legislature." (H. P. 111) (L. D. 135) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Appropriating Moneys to Effectuate Compensation for Members of the State Police." (H. P. 29) (L. D. 41) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The Committee on Business Legislation on Bill, "An Act Providing for Tax Sheltered Annuities for Employees of School Administrative Units." (H. P. 905) (L. D. 1233) reported that the same

should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill, "An Act Relating to Closed Season on Bears." (H. P. 912) (L. D. 1241) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The Committee on Judiciary on Bill, "An Act Relating to Insanity as a Ground for Divorce." (H. P. 821) (L. D. 1112) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The same Committee on Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution to Provide for Municipal Home Rule. (H. P. 282) (L. D. 364) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Driving Motor Vehicle Under Influence of Combination of Drugs and Liquor." (H. P. 737) (L. D. 974) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill, "An Act Exempting Stamp and Coin Societies from Sunday Closing Law." (H. P. 837) (L. D. 1064) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Repealing Duties of State Humane Agents in Enforcing Dog Laws." (H. P. 705) (L. D. 943) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Revising the Laws Relating to Dogs and Dog Kennels." (H. P. 510) (L. D. 663) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Nomination for Elective Office in City of Biddeford." (H. P. 517) (L. D. 670) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Repealing Law Relating to Record of Sales of Dogs." (H. P. 511) (L. D. 664) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

The Committee on State Government on Bill, "An Act Relating to Legislative Apportionment of Cranberry Isles, Hancock County." (H. P. 164) (L. D. 566) reported that the same should be granted Leave to Withdraw.

# Ought Not to Pass

The Committee on Claims on Resolve to Reimburse Maud Morgridge of South Berwick for Well Damage by Highway Construction. (H. P. 463) (L. D. 617) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The Committee on Education on Bill, "An Act to Create a School Administrative District in the Town of Scarborough." (H. P. 7) (L. D. 7) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act to Create a School Administrative District in the Town of Cape Elizabeth." (H. P. 402) (L. D. 514) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Resolve Regulating Fishing in Saco River in the Cities of Biddeford and Saco. (H. P. 677) (L. D. 904) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Open Season on Perch, Pickerel and Bass." (H. P. 631) (L. D. 838) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Providing for a Uniform Deer Hunting Season." (H. P. 812) (L. D. 1104) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Establishing Daily Limit on White Perch in Washington County." (H. P. 887) (L. D. 1184) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The Committee on Judicary on Bill, "An Act Amending the Law as to Joint Bank Accounts." (H. P. 498) (L. D. 651) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

Which reports were read and accepted, in concurrence.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill, "An Act Relating to an Electrical Inspector for City of Lewiston." (H. P. 350) (L. D. 453) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

Mr. JACQUES of Androscoggin: Mr. President, I move that the bill be tabled.

Mr. SHIRO of Kennebec: Mr. President, I would ask the Senator to assign a particular day.

Mr. JACQUES: Mr. President I cannot answer because I would be debating the tabling motion.

Thereupon the motion prevailed and the bill was tabled pending acceptance of the report.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to the Operation of Watercraft and Water Skis." (H. P. 976) (L. D. 1326) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Prohibiting Dogs from Roaming at Large." (H. P. 999) (L. D. 1331) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Enforcement of Cruelty to Animals Law." (H. P. 74) (L. D. 942) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Permitting Officers Without Warrants to Enter Buildings Where Animals or Birds Not Properly Cared for." (H. P. 830) (L. D. 1260) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The Committee on Liquor Control on Bill, "An Act Relating to Definition of Part-Time Class A Restaurant Under Liquor Law." (H. P. 965) (L. D. 1300) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

The Committee on State Government on Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Relating to the Appointment, Election and Powers of the Senate. (H. P. 549) (L. D. 720) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

(On motion by Mr. Stern of Penobscot, tabled pending acceptance of the report, and especially assigned for April 2)

The Committee on Towns and Counties on Bill, "An Act Increasing Compensation of Sheriffs in Attendance Upon Supreme Judicial and Superior Courts." (H. P. 863) (L. D. 1160) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

Which reports were Read and Accepted in concurrence.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill, "An Act Relating to Approval of Urban Renewal Plans." (H. P. 747) (L. D. 984) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

Comes from the House Indefi-

nitely Postponed.

In the Senate, the Ought Not to pass report was accepted.

#### Ought to Pass

The Committee on Natural Resources on Bill, "An Act Classifying Collier Brook, Cumberland County." (H. P. 843) (L. D. 1144) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Comes from the House report Read and Accepted and the Bill Passed to Be Engrossed.

Which report was Read and Accepted in concurrence, the Bill Read Once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

# Ought to Pass - As Amended

The Committee on Education on Bill, "An Act Pertaining to Privately Owned Trade and Technical Schools." (H. P. 206) (L. D. 274) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-136)

The same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Minimum Number of School Days in Secondary Public Schools." (H. P. 959) (L. D. 1294) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-137)

The Committee on Claims on Resolve to Reimburse Merritt Elwell of Sherman Mills for Loss of Well. (H. P. 123) (L. D. 147) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-134)

The same Committee on Resolve, to Reimburse Lincoln Home, Newcastle, for Well Damage by Highway Construction. (H. P. 124) (L. D. 148) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-135)

The same Committee on Resolve to Reimburse H. Eugene Tewksbury of Brownville for Well Damage by Highway Construction. (H. P. 319) (L. D. 422) reported that the same Ought to pass as amend-

ed by Committee Amendment "A" (H-133)

The same Committee on Resolve to Reimburse Doris Carlisle of Surry for Property and Well Damage by Highway Construction. (H. P. 395) (L. D. 507) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-132)

Come from the House reports Accepted and the Resolves and Bills, as amended, passed to be

engrossed.

In the Senate, the reports were Read and Accepted in concurrence, and the Bills and Resolves Read Once. Committee Amendments "A" were Read and Adopted in concurrence, and the Bills and Resolves, as amended, tomorrow assigned for second reading.

# Ought to Pass in New Draft — Same Title

The Committee on Health and Institutional Services on Resolve, Relating to Transfer of Profits from Institutional Farms. (H. P. 331) (L. D. 434) reported that the same Ought to pass in New Draft under the same title, (H. P. 1042) (L. D. 1415)

Comes from the House, report Accepted and the Resolve Passed

to Be Engrossed.

Which report was Read and Accepted in concurrence, the Resolve Read Once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Committee on Agriculture on Bill, "An Act Relating to Payment by Dealers to Producers for Milk Purchased." (H. P. 790) (L. D. 1067) reported that the same Ought to pass in New Draft under the same title, (H. P. 1037) (L. D. 1408)

Comes from the House report Read and Accepted, and the Bill Passed to Be Engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" (H-139)

In the Senate, on motion by Mr. Hilton of Somerset, the bill was tabled pending acceptance of the report, and especially assigned for tomorrow.

# **Divided Reports**

The Majority of the Committee on Industrial and Recreational De-

velopment on Bill, "An Act Authorizing Municipalities to Establish Park and Conservation Commissions." (H. P. 897) (L. D. 1207) reported that the same Ought to pass.

(Signed) Senators:

JACQUES

of Androscoggin MOORE of Washington HOFFSES of Knox

Representatives:

KILROY of Portland FORTIER of Waterville BENSON

of Mechanic Falls LITTLEFIELD

of Hampden NORTON of Caribou PAYSON of Falmouth

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject matter reported that the same Ought not to pass. Report Accepted and the Bill Passed to Be Engrossed.

In the Senate, on motion by Mr. Moore of Washington, the Majority Ought to Pass report was accepted, the bill read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Majority of the Committee on Labor on Recommitted Bill, "An Act Relating to Advertising for Applicants for Employment." (H. P. 504) (L. D. 657) reported that the same Ought not to pass. (Signed)

Senators:

CHISHOLM

of Cumberland O'LEARY of Oxford SMITH of Cumberland

Representatives:

BENSON

of Southwest Harbor BAKER of Winthrop KITTREDGE

of South Thomaston LEVESQUE

of Madawaska

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject matter reported that the same Ought to pass.

(Signed)

Representatives:

DUMONT of Augusta BEDARD of Saco GAUVIN of Auburn

Comes from the House, Majority Ought not to pass report Accepted.

In the Senate on motion by Mr. O'Leary of Oxford, the Majority Ought Not to Pass report was accepted in concurrence.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair would like to recognize at this time in the Senate gallery a group of forty students from the 7th and 8th grades of Corinth and Bradford Schools. They are chaperoned by the Principal of Bradford, Mr. Carroll, and the Principal of Corinth, Mr. Pineo. We welcome you here this morning and we hope that you will enjoy and benefit from your stay here. I would like to introduce to you the Senators from your County of Penobscot, Senator Faloon and Senator Stern. (Applause)

#### Senate

## Ought Not to Pass

Mr. Maxwell from the Committee on State Government on Bill, "An Act Authorizing Expenditure from Funds of Passamaquoddy Tribe for Legal Services to Protect Lands." (S. P. 405) (L. D. 1228) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

Mr. Casey from the Committee on Towns and Counties on Bill, "An Act Relating to Realty Subdivisions in Municipalities." (S. P. 388) (L. D. 1203) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

same Senator from the same Committee on Bill, "An Act Relating to Recording of Realty Subdivisions in Municipalities and Unorganized Territory." (S. P. 389) (L. D. 1204) reported that (S. the same Ought not to pass.

Which reports were Read and Accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

#### Ought to Pass — As Amended

Mr. Maxwell from the Committee on State Government on Bill, "An Act Relating to Closing State Liquor Stores and Licensees in Case of Riots, Hurricanes and Floods." (S. P. 407) (L. D. 1230) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-89)

Mr. Willey from the same Committee on Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Pledging Credit of the State for Guaranteed Loans on Personal Property for Industrial Purposes. (S. P. 222) (L. D. 681) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-88)

Mr. Hoffses from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill, "An Act Relating to Closed Time on Deer in Certain Zones. (S. P. 413) (L. D. 1309) reported that the same Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-85)

Which reports were Read and Accepted. The Bills and Resolve were read once. Com-Amendments "A" mittee were Read and Adopted, and the Bills and Resolve, as amended, tomorrow assigned for second reading.

# **Divided Reports**

The Majority of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill, "An Act Regulating Fly Fishing in Certain Portion of Kennebec River." (S. P. 425) (L. D. 1360) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

(Signed) Senators:

MANUEL of Aroostook McDONALD

of Piscataguis HOFFSES of Knox

Representatives:

ANDERSON of Ellsworth ROBERTS

of South Berwick COOKSON of Glenburn CHAMPAGNE of Fairfield POULIN of Skowhegan GAUDREAU of Lewiston

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject matter reported that the same Ought to pass.

(Signed)

Representative:

BALDIC of Waterville

Mr. HOFFSES of Knox: President, I move acceptance of the Majority Ought Not to Pass report.

Mr. CARTER of Kennebec: Mr. President, I move that the bill be tabled.

The motion prevailed and the bill and accompanying reports were tabled pending the motion of Senator Hoffses of Knox to accept the Majority Ought Not to Pass report, and were especially assigned for Friday next.

The Majority of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries on Bill, "An Act to Provide Special Lobster and Crab Licenses in York County and to Establish a Lobster Fund for York County." (S. P. 367) (L. D. 1134) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

(Signed)

Senators:

MOORE of Washington GLASS of Waldo

Representatives:

LOWERY of Brunswick
MILLS of Eastport
BEDARD of Saco
PRINCE of Harpswell
MITCHELL of Frankfort
YOUNG of Gouldsboro
WATTS of Machias

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject matter reported that the same Ought to pass.

(Signed) Senator:

JUTRAS of York

Mr. MOORE of Washington: Mr. President, I move that the Senate accept the Majority Ought Not to Pass Report.

Thereupon, on motion by Mr. Jutras of York, the bill was recommitted to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Sent down for concurrence.

The Majority of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries on Bill, "An Act Relating to Catching Lobsters by Skindivers." (S. P. 386) (L. D. 1202) reported that the same Ought not to pass.

(Signed) Senators:

MOORE of Washington GLASS of Waldo JUTRAS of York

Representatives:

LOWERY of Brunswick MILLS of Eastport BEDARD of Saco WATTS of Machias

# YOUNG of Gouldsboro PRINCE of Harpswell

The Minority of the same Committee on the same subject matter reported that the same Ought to pass.

(Signed)

Representative:

MITCHELL of Frankfort Mr. MOORE of Washington: Mr. President, I move acceptance of the Majority Ought Not to Pass report.

Mr. JACQUES of Androscoggin: Mr. President, I move that the bill be tabled.

bill be tabled.

Mr. MOORE: Mr. President, I ask for a division on the tabling motion.

A division of the Senate was had. 21 having voted in the affirmative and 8 in the negative, the bill was tabled pending motion by Mr. Moore of Washington to accept the Majority Ought Not to Pass report.

# Additional Paper from the House Committee Report

Out of order and under suspension of the rules:

The Committee on Towns and Counties on Resolve, for Laying of the County Taxes for the Years Nineteen Hundred Sixty-five and Nineteen Hundred Sixty-Six. (H. P. 1043) (L. D. 1421) reported that the same Ought to pass.

Comes from the House Report accepted and the Bill Passed to Be Engrossed.

Which report was Read and Accepted in concurrence, and the Bill Read Once. On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook. Under suspension of the rules the Bill was given its second reading and Passed to Be Engrossed in concurrence.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair at this time would like to recognize in the Senate balcony a group of students from Bridge Academy from the 9th through 12th grades. They are chaperoned by Mrs. Ruth Bass, Mr. Chester Knapich and Mr. Dean Wells. They are from the town of Dresden which is in Lincoln County. We hope you enjoy and benefit from your stay here. I would like to introduce to

you the Senator from your County, Senator Sproul. (Applause)

### Second Readers

The Committee on Bills in the Second Reading reported the following Bills and Resolve:

## House

Bill, "An Act Relating to Procedure for Commitment to the State Hospitals." (H. P. 641) (L. D. 866)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Equal Pay for Men and Women Employees." (H. P. 1041) (L. D. 1412)

Which were Read a Second Time and Passed to Be Engrossed in concurrence.

# Senate

Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution to Lower the Voting Age to Eighteen Years. (S. P. 153) (L. D. 394)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Title References in Conveyances of Real Estate." (S. P. 399) (L. D. 1224)

Bill, "An Act Repealing Compensation Limitation in Actions for Injuries Causing Death." (S. P. 202) (L. D. 583)

Which were Read a Second Time and Passed to Be Engrossed. Sent down for concurrence.

### Senate - As Amended

Bill, "An Act Relating to Sick Leave Benefits for Employees of the Department of Public Works of the City of Lewiston." (S. P. 234) (L. D. 692)

(Read a second time and on motion by Mr. Girard of Androscoggin, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and especially assigned for April 2)

Bill, "An Act Providing for Paid Holidays for Employees of City of Lewiston." (S. P. 231) (L. D. 689)

Bill, "An Act Prohibiting Employment of Professional Strikebreakers to Replace Employees Involved in Labor Disputes." (S. P. 267) (L. D. 816)

(Read a second time and on motion by Mr. Shiro of Kennebec, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and especially assigned for April 2) Which were Read a Second Time and Passed to Be Engrossed as amended.

Sent down for concurrence.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair at this time would like to recognize in the Senate balcony a group of 65 eighth grade students from Crescent Park School. They are chaperoned this morning by Principal Mr. Ryder and teachers Mr. Emens, Mrs. Gunther, Mrs. Nichols and several mothers. welcome you here this morning and hope that you enjoy and benefit from your stay here. Bethel is in Oxford County and I would like to introduce to you the Senators from your County, Senator O'Leary and Senator Norris. (Applause)

#### Enactors

The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as truly and strictly engrossed the following Bills and Resolves:

Bill, "An Act Relating to Extending Hunting Season." (H. P. 63) (L. D. 74)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Application of Federal Social Security to Firemen." (H. P. 104) (L. D. 112)

Bill, "An Act to Clarify the Law with Respect to Municipal Investments." (H. P. 309) (L. D. 412)

Bill, "An Act Amending the Charter of the Waterville Sewerage District." (H. P. 362) (L. D. 464)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Number and Boundaries of Wards in City of Calais." (H. P. 513) (L. D. 666)

Bill, "An Act Repealing the Tax on Express Companies and Parlor Cars." (H. P. 659) (L. D. 886)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Transportation of Vehicles for Body Repair Without Inspection Stickers." (H. P. 667) (L. D. 894)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Taxation of Vehicles." (H. P. 668) (L. D. 895)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Waiver of Motor Vehicle Operator License Examinations for Members of Armed Forces." (H. P. 670) (L. D. 897)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Temporary Motor Vehicle Operators' Licenses." (H. P. 672) (L. D. 899)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Civil Actions Against Heads of State Institutions." (H. P. 817) (L. D. 1108)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Parental Responsibility to Support Children Receiving Aid to Dependent Children" (H. P. 885) (L. D. 1182)

Bill, "An Act Authorizing Department of Health and Welfare to Offer Complementary Services under Social Security Act." (H. P. 910) (L. D. 1238)

Bill, "An Act Providing for Public Utilities Commission Determination of Debt Retirement." (H. P. 1031) (L. D. 1400)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Motor Vehicle Mufflers." (H. P. 1032) (L. D. 1401)

(L. D. 1401)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Dogs
Doing Damage to Livestock and
Poultry." (S. P. 41) (L. D. 212)

Bill, "An Act to Provide for
Establishment of a Veterans Memorial Cemetery." (S. P. 157) (L.
D. 397)

(On motion by Mr. Duquette of Androscoggin, placed on the Special Appropriations Table pending enactment.)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Use Tax on Personal Property Withdrawn from Inventory." (S. P. 270) (L. D. 818)

270) (L. D. 818)
Bill, "An Act Relating to Age of Compulsory Education." (S. P. 456) (L. D. 1392)

(On motion by Mr. Duquette of Androscoggin, placed on the Special Appropriations Table pending enactment.)

Bill, "An Act Revising the Maine Industrial Building Law." (S. P. 468) (L. D. 1405)

Which Bills were Passed to Be Enacted.

Resolve Authorizing the Estate of Frank E. Lemli, Formerly of The Forks, Maine, to Sue the State of Maine. (S. P. 150) (L. D. 391)

Which Resolve was Finally Passed.

Resolve in Favor of the Town of Anson. (S. P. 302) (L. D. 916) (On motion by Mr. Duquette of Androscoggin, placed on the Special Appropriations Table pending final passage.)

# Orders of the Day

The President laid before the Senate the 1st tabled and today assigned item (S. P. 7) (L. D. 336) Senate Report Ought not to pass, from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Bill, "An Act to Permit Sunday Hunting"; tabled on March 19 by Senator O'Leary of Oxford pending acceptance of the report; and on further motion by the same Senator, the Ought Not to Pass report was accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

The President laid before the Senate the 2nd tabled and today assigned item (S. P. 232) (L. D. 690) Bill, "An Act Relating to Executions on Civil Judgment"; tabled on March 23 by Senator Shiro of Kennebec pending consideration; and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was retabled and especially assigned for April 2.

The President laid before the Senate the 3rd tabled and today assigned item (H. P. 107) (L. D. 115) Bill, "An Act Relating to the Transport at ion of Refrigerated Products"; tabled on March 23 by Senator Mendell of Cumberland pending enactment; and that Senator moved the pending question.

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, may I ask of the Chair if this bill is amended?

The PRESIDENT: The Chair would state that it is not.

Mr. CAHILL of Somerset: Mr. President, I would move that this be tabled until a week from Wednesday.

Mr. MENDELL of Cumberland: Mr. President, I ask for a division on the tabling motion.

A division of the Senate was had. 20 having voted in the affirmative and 8 in the negative, the motion prevailed and the bill was retabled pending enactment.

The President laid before the Senate the 4th tabled and today assigned item (H. P. 471) (L. D.

624) House Report, Ought to Pass as amended by Committee Amendment A, Filing H-50, from the Committee on Election Laws on Bill, "An Act Relating to Boards of Registration in Certain Towns"; tabled on March 24 by Senator Smith of Cumberland pending motion by Senator Letourneau of York to Indefinitely Postpone; and that Senator withdrew his motion to indefinitely postpone and moved that the Ought to Pass as amended report be accepted.

Which report was accepted, the bill read once, Committee Amendment A read and adopted.

Mr. Letourneau of York presented Senate Amendment A.

The Secretary read the amendment (S-87)

Thereupon, Senate Amendment A was adopted and the bill as amended was tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The President laid before the Senate the 5th tabled and today assigned item (S. P. 293) (L. D. Report. 908) Senate Ought pass, from the Committee on Labor on Bill, "An Act to Repeal the Fish Packing Wage Law": tabled on March 26 by Senator Moore of Washington pending acceptance of the report; and on further motion by the same Senator, the Ought to Pass report was accepted, the bill read once and assigned for tomorrow reading.

On motion by Mr. Brown Hancock, the Senate voted to reconsider its action taken earlier in today's session whereby (Item 6-47) Senate Report from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game, Ought to pass as amended, on Bill, "An Act Relating to Closed Time on Deer in Certain Zones" (S. P. 413) (L. D. 1309) was tomorrow assigned for second reading; and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was tabled pending second reading and was especially assigned for April 6.

On motion by Mr. Shiro of Kennebec, the Senate voted to take from the table the 6th tabled and unassigned item (H. P. 345) (L.

D. 447) House Report, Ought to pass as amended by Committee Amendment A, from the Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill, "An Act Relating to Budget Committee of Town of Fairfield"; tabled by that Senator on March 2 pending acceptance of the report; and on further motion by the same Senator, the report was accepted and the bill read once, Committee Amendment A was read and adopted.

Subsequently adoption of Committee Amendment A was reconsidered and Mr. Shiro of Kennebec presented Senate Amendment A to Committee Amendment A, and moved its adoption. Thereupon, on motion by the same Senator, the bill was tabled pending his motion to adopt Senate Amendment A to Committee Amendment A and the bill was especially assigned for April 2.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair at this time would like to recognize in the Senate balcony a group of students from Orland Consolidated School. They are from the 7th and 8th grades and are chaperoned this morning by Mr. and Mrs. James McManus and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pooler. We welcome you here this morning and we hope that you enjoy and benefit from your stay here. I would like to introduce to you the Senators from your County of Hancocks, Senator Brown and Senator Willey. (Applause)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Bill, "An Act Authorizing Municipalities of Cumberland and North Yarmouth to form a School Administrative District (H. P. 48) (L. D. 60); and on motion by Mr. Snow of Cumberland, the bill was indefinitely postponed (covered by other legislation).

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Jacques of Androscoggin, the Senate voted to take from the table the 20th tabled and unassigned item (H. P. 884) (L. D. 1181) Bill, "An Act Providing Only One Way to Split a General Election Ballot"; ta-

bled by that Senator on March 23 pending passage to be engrossed; and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook

Adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.