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SENATE

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Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. John Meisner of Dover-Foxcroft.

On motion by Mr. Bernard of Penobscot, the Journal of yesterday was Read and Approved.

Papers from the House**Non-concurrent matter**

Bill, "An Act to Allocate Moneys for the Administrative Expenses of the State Liquor Commission for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1966 and June 30, 1967. (S. P. 551) (L. D. 1550)

In Senate, June 1, Passed to be Engrossed As Amended by Senate Amendment "A" (S-299) in Non-concurrence.

Comes from the House, Passed to be Engrossed, As Amended by Senate Amendment "A" as amended by House Amendment "A" (H-428) thereto in Non-concurrence.

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

Bill, "An Act to Provide Funds for the Continuing of Maine's Participation in the New England Pavilion at the New York World's Fair." (H. P. 616) (L. D. 825)

In House, May 17, Passed to be Enacted.

In Senate, June 3, Passed to be Engrossed As Amended by Senate Amendment "A".

Comes from the House, that body having insisted.

In the Senate, on motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook the Senate voted to recede and concur. This being an emergency measure, a division of the Senate was had on the enactment of the bill.

Twenty-six having voted in the affirmative and none opposed, the bill was passed to be enacted.

Order

On motion by Mr. Smith of Cumberland,

ORDERED, that the Secretary of the Senate is directed to obtain

and display in the Senate Retiring Room a composite photograph of the Members of the 102nd Senate.

Which was Read and Passed.

**Reports Of Committees
House****Conference Committee Reports**

The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature, on Bill, "An Act Designating Androscoggin Game Preserve as a Game Management Area." (H. P. 696) (L. D. 934) report that they are Unable to Agree.

The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Bill, "An Act Increasing Reimbursement to Towns for Snow Removal." (H. P. 332) (L. D. 435) report that they are Unable to Agree.

Senate

The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on

Bill, "An Act Requiring Permits to Dam Waters for Recreational Purposes." (S. P. 342) (L. D. 1087) report that they are Unable to Agree.

Which reports were read and accepted.

Orders of the Day

The President laid before the Senate the 1st tabled and today assigned item (S. P. 593) Joint Order Relative to Legislative Intent on Appropriations for Augusta State Airport; tabled on June 3rd by Senator Harding of Aroostook pending consideration; and that Senator voted that the Senate recede and concur.

Mr. CARTER of Kennebec: Mr. President, since the sponsor of this Order is not present at this time, I would request that this be tabled until later in today's session.

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook

Recessed to the sound of the gong.

After Recess

Senate called to order by the President.

Committee of Conference Report

The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the legislature on

Bill, "An Act Providing for a Legislative Conference Prior to the Convening of the 103rd Legislature (H. P. 265) (L. D. 347) report: that the Senate recede from its action whereby the bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment A and concur with the House in passing the bill to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment A as amended by House Amendment A thereto.

Comes from the House, read and passed.

In the Senate, the report of the Committee of Conference was accepted.

Thereupon, the Senate voted to reconsider its former action whereby the bill was passed to be engrossed; and to further reconsider its action whereby Committee Amendment A was adopted; House Amendment A to Committee Amendment A was read and adopted, Committee Amendment A as amended by House Amendment A was adopted, and the bill as amended was passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the legislature on bill, "An Act Relating to Payment by Dealers to Producers for Milk Purchased (H. P. 1037) (L. D. 1403) report that the Senate recede from its action whereby it passed the bill to be engrossed; adopt Committee of Conference Amendment A and pass the bill to be engrossed as amended by Committee of Conference Amendment A; that the House reconsider its action whereby it indefinitely postponed this bill; reconsider its action whereby it passed the bill to be engrossed; reconsider its action whereby it adopted House Amendment A; indefinitely postpone

House Amendment A; adopt Committee of Conference Amendment A and pass the bill to be engrossed as amended.

Which Committee of Conference report was accepted.

Thereupon, the Senate voted to reconsider its former action whereby the bill was passed to be engrossed; Conference Committee Amendment A was adopted, and the bill as amended was passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

From the House, out of order and under suspension of the rules:

Joint Order relative to Interim Joint Committee to study impact of seasonal employment (H. P. 1163)

Which was read and passed in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table bill, An Act Relating to Schooling of Children on Indian Reservations (S. P. 466) (L. D. 1404); and on motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, the Senate voted to reconsider its former action whereby the bill was passed to be engrossed; the same Senator presented Senate Amendment A and moved its adoption.

Which amendment (S-340) was adopted, and the bill as amended was passed to be engrossed in non-concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, An Act to Provide Funds for Expansion of Home Teaching Programs for the Blind (H. P. 12) (L. D. 12); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, Resolve, to permit Howard G. Richardson, Readfield, Use of His Out-of-State Credits to Obtain a Retirement Allowance (H. P. 19); and on further motion by

Mr. Duquette of York, the Resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, An Act Appropriating Moneys for Dredging Project at New Harbor (H. P. 22) (L. D. 25); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, An Act Increasing Salaries of Members of Industrial Accident Commission (S. P. 24) (L. D. 36); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, Resolve, Providing for Pension for Mrs. Mary Belanger of Caribou (H. P. 92) (L. D. 101); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Reimburse Allen Bragdon of Ashland for Loss of Poultry (S. P. 58) (L. D. 119); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Money for Support of the Civil Air Patrol Program (H. P. 119) (L. D. 143); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Providing for Adult Identification Cards Under Liquor Law (H. P. 149) (L. D. 172); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Creating a Second Assistant County Attorney for Penobscot County (S. P. 50) (L. D. 221); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Moneys for Search of Lost Persons in the Woodlands of the State (S. P. 92) (L. D. 236); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Authorizing Preparation and Sale of Index to Private and Special Laws (H. P. 189) (L. D. 244); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Reimburse Hotel Rumford for Additional Payment for Hotel Liquor License (S. P. 143) (L. D. 384); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Reimburse Hotel Harris, Rumford, for Additional Payment for Hotel Liquor License (S. P. 144) (L. D. 385); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Provide for Establishment of a Veterans Memorial Cemetery (S. P. 157) (L. D. 397); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

Mr. Shiro of Kennebec was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate.

Mr. SHIRO: Mr. President and members of the Senate: I would just like to make a very brief comment. I want to thank the members of the Senate and the leadership in enacting this L. D. 397 for a Veterans Memorial Cemetery. I want to state that this is a rather historic occasion nor the State of Maine because it is the first State Veterans Memorial Cemetery in the United States. The enactment of this bill is practically assured because the Governor indicated at the outset of the session that he was in favor of this Memorial Cemetery for Veterans. I do think that in our lifetimes we shall see this Veterans Memorial Cemetery become a focal point of historical value here in the State of Maine. I know it is a fine tribute to the veterans of this State. Thank you.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Appropriating Moneys to Supplement Loans by Maine School Building Authority (H. P. 298) (L. D. 401) and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Providing Pension for Mrs. Viola R. Townsend of Hudson (S. P. 370) (L. D. 472); and on motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Funds for Operation of Advisory Committee on Education (S. P. 160) (L. D. 490); and on motion by the same Senator the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take

from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Reactivating the Governor's Committee on Children and Youth (H. P. 387) (L. D. 500); and on motion by the same Senator the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Funds for Ramp and Docking Facilities at Long Island Plantation (H. P. 392) (L. D. 504); and on further motion by the same Senator the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, in Favor of Town of Milo (H. P. 398) (L. D. 510); and on further motion by the same Senator the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Increasing Clerical Assistance for Justices of Superior Court (H. P. 415) (L. D. 527); and on further motion by the same Senator the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Money to Continue Preparation of Court Rules of Criminal Procedure (H. P. 418) (L. D. 530); and on further motion by the same Senator the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Discharging Town of Brooks from Part of the Indebtedness to State for Preparation of Agreement for Dissolution of School Administrative District No. 3 (H. P. 419) (L. D. 531) and on further motion by the same Senator the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Control and Eradicate Salmonella Infections (S. P. 173) (L. D. 529); and on further motion by the same Senator the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Establish a Bureau of Public Administration at the University of Maine in Orono (H. P. 439) (L. D. 594); and on further motion by the same Senator the bill was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, in Favor of Lloyd Magoon of Mattawamkeag (H. P. 464) (L. D. 618); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Increasing Salary of Commissioner of Agriculture (S. P. 224) (L. D. 683); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Providing a Pension for Paul Caron of Wallagrass Plantation (H. P. 537) (L. D. 711); and on further motion by the same Senator, the Resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Moneys for Improvements at Indian Reservation at Pleasant Point (H. P. 609) (L. D. 801); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Granting World War I Bonus to Stanley D. Royles of Portland (H. P. 613) (L. D. 805) and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Funds for Maine's Share of Financing a Permanent Secretariat to the New England Governors' Conference (H. P. 617) (L. D. 826); and on further motion by the same Senator, the Resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Appropriating Moneys for Study of Maine Motor Vehicle Laws (H. P. 388) (L. D. 871) and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Appropriating Money to Supplement Federal Vocational Funds for Area Education Programs for Apprentices and Other Adult Workers" (H. P. 674) (L. D. 901) and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, in Favor of the Town of Anson (S. P. 302) (L. D. 916) and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Relating to Service Retirement of Liquor Inspectors" (S. P. 324) (L. D. 1046); and on further motion by the same Sen-

ator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Creating a Second Assistant County Attorney for Androscoggin County" (H. P. 867) (L. D. 1164); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Money to Continue Review of Maine Criminal Statutes (S. P. 445) (L. D. 1384); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Provide Funds for the Purchase of Copies of the "History of Brownfield," Bicentennial Edition (H. P. 1056) (L. D. 1432); and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Appropriating Funds to Aid in Dredging the Harbor at Owl's Head" (H. P. 1059) (L. D. 1441); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Appropriating Moneys for Maine Civil War Commission" (H. P. 1082) (L. D. 1471) and the same Senator moved the pending question.

This being an emergency measure

A division of the Senate was had.

Twenty-seven having voted in the affirmative and none opposed, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Provide Funds for a Training Vessel at Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute in South Portland (H. P. 1090) (L. D. 1484) and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act to Provide for Fair Minimum Wages for Construction of Public Improvements" (H. P. 1124) (L. D. 1534); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Creating a State Transportation Commission" (S. P. 542) (L. D. 1540) and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Authorizing Department of Economic Development Advisory Council to Develop a Master Economic Plan for the State" (S. P. 543) (L. D. 1541) and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Providing for Appeal of Sentence in Criminal Cases (S. P. 548) (L. D. 1547) and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Reimburse Raymond A. Cote of Augusta for Legal Expenses for Securing Right of Appeal to Superior Court (S. P. 572) (L. D. 1585) and on further

motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Authorize Municipalities to Finance Industrial and Recreational Projects (H. P. 1091) (L. D. 1487); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

Enactors

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

Bill, "An Act Relating to Appropriation to Adjust State Employees' Pay." (H. P. 184) (L. D. 239)

Bill, "An Act to Encourage Conservation of Forest Resources Through Uniformity of Tax Assessment." (H. P. 1134) (L. D. 1553)

Bill, "An Act to Revise the Workmen's Compensation Law." (H. P. 1146) (L. D. 1570)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Uniform Local Effort for Payment of School Subsidies." (S. P. 307) (L. D. 1041)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Fees for Fishing and Hunting Licenses." (S. P. 427) (L. D. 1362)

Resolve, Appropriating Moneys for Improving Rockland, Bar Harbor, Presque Isle and Lewiston-Auburn Airports." (H. P. 120) (L. D. 144)

(On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, placed on the Special Appropriations Table pending final passage)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Testamentary Shares of Omitted Children." (S. P. 287) (L. D. 849)

Bill, "An Act Conferring Upon Others the Powers not Vested in the Executive Council." (H. P. 1136) (L. D. 1555)

(On motion by Mr. Brown of Hancock, a division of the Senate was had. Twenty-five voted in the affirmative and four opposed)

Which bills were passed to be enacted and resolve was finally passed.

Bill, An Act Revising the Motor Vehicle Dealer Registration Law (S. P. 535) (L. D. 1526)

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, in regard to Item 8-6, L. D. 1526, I was the author and sponsor of this legislative document that this bill is a redraft of, and there has already been passed an order for the Legislative Research Committee to study these laws, and I believe it would be best at this time, as sponsor of this legislative document for me to move to indefinitely postpone this bill and all its accompanying papers.

The PRESIDENT: The Senator from Oxford, Senator O'Leary, moves that Item 8-6, L. D. 1526, S. P. 535, be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. MENDELL of Cumberland: Mr. President, we had a lengthy hearing on this bill, we redrafted it many times. This bill has the approval of the Secretary of State, the Attorney General, the head of the Motor Vehicle Department, it has been gone over and over and all the inequities have been taken out of it. The bill as written is a good bill, it is a revision, and, although no bill may be perfect, I think this comes pretty close to doing the job that we wanted to do, and I hope that we defeat the motion of Senator O'Leary.

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, I would just like to read into the record the following letter:

"This is to respectfully advise the Senate that this association, the Maine Automobile Dealers Association, the Used Cars, the Trucks and Parts Association have on this date agreed unanimously that L. D. 1526 should be indefinitely postponed at this session of the Legislature. As members of this Senate are aware, the contents of this bill and accompanying amendments have gone from House to Senate and back again for several weeks, with the results that the three associations involved and those who are most seriously affected have not been able to reach an accord on such short notice and this late legislative hour. In view of the fact that a joint order referring the entire matter to the Legislative Research Committee appears to

have the support of both legislative bodies, the aforementioned associations feel that L. D. 1526 should not be enacted. Each of the associations represents an important part of our State's economy and has concluded that the only way the laws can be written to satisfy the requirements of each is to get together with the Legislative group and spell out the individual needs and proceed to enact appropriate legislation. Accordingly, we urge the Senate to exercise its privilege of indefinite postponement."

This is all I am requesting as the original sponsor of this bill. I have had my problems with the people who have been administering this in the past, and I think that the Legislative Research Group will come up with something we can all live with. I request a division.

Mr. MENDELL of Cumberland: Mr. President, to repeat an old phrase, this bill is a good bill. Actually as far as these different associations are concerned, one or two of them, I believe at this point, are in agreement with this bill. Actually all this bill is going to do as far as money is concerned, it is going to cost the new car dealers about a dollar per plate, and I do not think that is too much to ask of the new car dealers. Once again, I wish that the Senate would defeat Senator O'Leary's motion.

The PRESIDENT: The motion before the Senate is the motion of Senator O'Leary of Oxford that L. D. 1526 and all accompanying papers be indefinitely postponed. A division has been requested.

A division of the Senate was had.

Nineteen having voted in the affirmative and thirteen opposed, the motion to indefinitely postpone prevailed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill, "An Act Relating to Insurance on Public Buildings." (H. P. 1142) (L. D. 1562)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, placed on the Special Ap-

propriations Table pending enactment.

Additional Paper from the House, out of order and under suspension of the rules:

Non-Concurrent Matter

Bill, "An Act to Correct Errors and Inconsistencies in the Public Laws." (S. P. 414) (L. D. 1310)

In Senate, on June 1, the Senate receded and concurred with the House in Passage to be Engrossed as Amended by House Amendment "A" (H-412), and as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (L. D. 1589), and by Senate Amendment "A" (S-288)

Now comes from the House having Failed of Passage to be Enacted.

In the Senate, Mr. Harding of Aroostook moved enactment of the bill.

This being an emergency measure,

A division of the Senate was had.

Thirty having voted in the affirmative and three opposed, the bill was passed to be enacted and ordered sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook

Recessed to the sound of the gong.

After Recess

Senate called to order by the President.

Bill, "An Act Providing Moneys for National Legislative Conference to be Held in Maine in 1966." (S. P. 37) (L. D. 377)

Bill, "An Act Entering the State of Maine into the New England State Police Compact." (S. P. 179) (L. D. 765)

Bill, "An Act Increasing the Number of Justices of the Superior Court." (S. P. 290) (L. L. 852)

Bill, "An Act Exempting Liquor Bottled or Manufactured in Maine from Additional Taxes." (S. P. 326) (L. D. 1048)

Which were passed to be enacted.

Emergency

Bill, "An Act to Reactivate Maine Committee on Problems of

the Mentally Retarded." (S. P. 527) (L. D. 1505)

Affirmative vote of 28 members.

Emergency

Bill, "An Act Relating to Relocation Assistance in State Highway Projects." (H. P. 1139) (L. D. 1559)

Affirmative vote of 29 members.

Bond Issue

Bill, "An Act to Authorize Bond Issue in Amount of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars for Construction and Renovations at Boys Training Center, Maine State Prison and Stevens Training Center." (S. P. 576) (L. D. 1588)

Affirmative vote of 30 members. Which bills, having received the affirmative vote as indicated, were passed to be enacted.

Bond Issue

Bill, "An Act to Authorize the Establishment of a Regional Vocational Education Center or Centers in York County and the Issuance of Not Exceeding Five Hundred Thousand Dollar Bonds of the State of Maine for the Partial Financing Thereof." (H. P. 673) (L. D. 900)

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, tabled pending enactment.

Additional Paper from the House:

Joint Order

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the University of Maine through the Bureau of Public Administration, is directed to make a review of the administration of the property tax in this State, including administration at both state and local levels, and the relationship between the State Bureau of Taxation and local assessing officers; and to report to the Legislature the results of such review, together with recommendations for improvement in the administration of such taxes and for amendments and additions to existing statutes intended to facilitate such improvement in administration; and be it further

ORDERED, that the Bureau of Public Administration is authorized to employ such technical and

clerical assistance as may be necessary to conduct such review acting jointly with the State Tax Assessor who shall appoint an advisory committee of not more than 15 persons to assist in such review; and be it further

ORDERED, that the members of such advisory committee shall organize by electing a chairman and vice chairman, and shall serve without pay; but they shall be entitled to reimbursement for necessary expenses incurred in attending meetings called by the Bureau of Public Administration. (H. P. 1164)

Comes from the House, Read and Passed.

In the Senate, read and passed in concurrence.

Enactors

Bill, "An Act Clarifying the Inland Fisheries and Game Laws. (S. P. 428) (L. D. 1375)

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, I move that we reconsider our action where this bill was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President, I oppose the motion and ask for a division.

Mr. O'LEARY: Mr. President, may I speak briefly to my motion?

The PRESIDENT: The motion is debatable.

Mr. O'LEARY: Mr. President and members of the Senate: This morning I had distributed to each of your desks a green sheet that outlines the deer hunting zones throughout the State of Maine. I would like you to know that in this southwestern zone there are nine counties, Oxford, York, Cumberland, Androscoggin, Lincoln, Sagadahoc, Waldo, Kennebec and Knox. I would say that better than two-thirds of the population of this State is in this area.

I have here in front of me the Annual Report and Review of Operations of the Department. They want more money. We have granted them more money under the raise in hunting and fishing licenses. At the present time your non-resident hunters pay into this fund approximately 31 per cent where the resident hunters would pay perhaps 22 per cent. However,

what you are doing under this bill— this is Vacationland and there are a number of people who have already made their reservations in the resort areas throughout this southwestern zone for the coming season, so the camp owners will notify these people that they can still have their reservations but that they are not entitled to hunt in the State of Maine. This amendment that I am offering will just set the effective date of the bill to January 1, 1966 and we can go on from there. I request the support of all the people in these counties who are affected by this bill.

The PRESIDENT: The motion before the Senate is the motion of the Senator from Oxford, Senator O'Leary to reconsider our action whereby we passed this item to be engrossed.

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President and members of the Senate: I speak on this amendment and not on the merits of the bill. This bill has been debated in this legislature at great length, there have been two Committees of Conference, and we are, as you know, I hope, nearing the end of this session. We are coming to the point where many of us are going to find that some things we wanted so badly we are not going to get. It does trouble me greatly to oppose the motion of my good friend and colleague, the Senator from Oxford, Senator O'Leary, but if we are ever to get out of here we must finally accept the decisions which have been made, and, if his motion were to prevail, as you know, this whole thing would go back to the House with the amendment on it, it would there be debated again, we would have to wait for this to be re-engrained again, and it would mean a great deal of delay.

I am sorry, as I think many of you are, that this is not to the complete liking of the good Senator, but I would hope that in a spirit of cooperation on this matter that has been reported out by two Committees of Conference you would support me in my position of opposing his motion.

The PRESIDENT: The motion before the Senate is the motion to reconsider our action whereby we passed L. D. 1375 to be engrossed. A division has been requested. All those in favor of the motion to reconsider will please rise and remain standing until counted.

A division was had. 9 having voted in the affirmative and 23 opposed, the motion to reconsider did not prevail.

The bill was then passed to be enacted.

Bill, An Act Increasing Compensation of Members of the Legislature, the Governor, Court Justices and Certain Department Heads. (S. P. 520) (L. D. 1497)

Mr. MENDELL of Cumberland: Mr. President, I move that we reconsider our action whereby we passed this L. D. to be engrossed.

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President, I rise in opposition to that motion and would ask for a division.

Mr. MENDELL of Cumberland: Mr. President, I know I will probably lose this motion, but, notwithstanding that I would like to point out that we are 13th from the bottom in the nation as far as Maine is concerned in per capita income. I think we should bring the legislature at least up to 13th place. At the present time as far as legislative pay is concerned we are in third position from the bottom in the United States. In fact, we receive less here in this great State of Maine than an unskilled laborer. This pay raise that we voted up to \$2000 will bring us up to approximately \$110 a week whereas now we receive about \$70 per week. I would like to have this as a matter of record, and I ask for a division of the Senate.

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President and members of the Senate: It is not easy for me to oppose my good friends and colleagues on these matters and especially the good Senator from Cumberland, Senator Mendell. I can agree with the merits of these matters which he has mentioned, but again we have to face the moment of reality when we are

not going to be able to accomplish all of those things which so many of us hoped we would accomplish for the State of Maine.

I would like to mention to the members of the Senate, as I am sure you know, that the leadership has spent literally weeks working out this financial package. We have had to sacrifice some things. If I may make a personal note, a bill which I very much treasured and which is on the Special Appropriations Table will be sacrificed because I recognize there are just not the funds to do it. The reason that I have to oppose the good Senator from Cumberland, Senator Mendell, is that we do not have the money to pay the increase which his bill first called for. I know it is going to take courage for us to recognize some of our limitations, but I believe that this great body in its deliberations has shown great courage in facing the issues during this session and I hope you will bear with me and show the same kind of courage in opposition to this motion.

The PRESIDENT: The motion before the Senate is the motion of Senator Mendell of Cumberland, that the Senate reconsider engrossing; a division has been requested.

A division of the Senate was had.

Five having voted in the affirmative and twenty-five opposed, the motion to reconsider did not prevail.

Thereupon, the bill was passed to be enacted.

Additional Enactors

Bill, "An Act Providing State Aid to Towns for Care of Poor Persons." (S. P. 80) (L. D. 225)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Retirement of Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court and Superior Court." (S. P. 347) (L. D. 1114)

Bill, "An Act Establishing a State Board of Pesticides Control." (S. P. 420) (L. D. 1329)

Bill, "An Act Revising the Minimum Wage Law." (S. P. 526) (L. D. 1504)

Bill, "An Act Creating the Investment of State Funds Law." (S. P. 555) (L. D. 1564)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Establishment and Operation of Regional Technical and Vocational Centers." (H. P. 32) (L. D. 44)

Bill, "An Act to Authorize the Town of Pownal to Form a School Administrative District." (H. P. 47) (L. D. 59)

Bill, "An Act Providing for New Ferry Landing at Forest City Landing, Peaks Island." (H. P. 113) (L. D. 137)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Retirement Benefits for Fish and Game Wardens and Coastal Wardens Under State Retirement System." (H. P. 369) (L. D. 471)

Bill, "An Act Appropriating Funds to Aid in Dredging the Royal River and Basin." (H. P. 389) (L. D. 501)

Bill, "An Act Creating the Office of State Archivist." (H. P. 768) (L. D. 1012)

Bill, "An Act Relating to State Retirement Benefits for Certain Teachers and Increasing Pensions for Certain Retired School Superintendents." (H. P. 788) (L. D. 931)

Bill, "An Act Increasing Appropriation for Stipend Fund for Disbursements to Certain Agricultural Societies" (H. P. 794) (L. D. 1256)

Bill, "An Act Authorizing Public Utilities Commission to Require the Interchange of Electric Energy." (H. P. 846) (L. D. 1147)

Bill, "An Act Relating to Advisory Committee of Health and Welfare" (H. P. 1070) (L. D. 1445)

Bill, "An Act Continuing the Committee on Aging." (H. P. 1094) (L. D. 1490)

Bill, "An Act Revising Certain Laws Under the Workmen's Compensation Law" (H. P. 1147) (L. D. 1571)

Bill, "An Act for Licensing Private Detectives and Watch, Guard and Patrol Agencies." (H. P. 1130) (L. D. 1545)

Bill, "An Act Regulating Collection Agencies" (H. P. 1150) (L. D. 1582)

Bill, "An Act Approving the Course of Study in Private Schools." (H. P. 1155) (L. D. 1586)

Bill, "An Act Providing State Scholarships for Higher Education" (H. P. 1156) (L. D. 1587)

Resolve, in Favor of Development of State Park on Lower

Range Pond, Poland, Androscoggin County. (H. P. 303) (L. D. 406)

Resolve, Authorizing the Establishment of a Residential and Day School for the Mentally Retarded in Northern Maine (H. P. 452) (L. D. 606)

Which bills were passed to be enacted and resolves were finally passed.

Bill, "An Act Appropriating Funds for Classroom Building at Erskine Academy." (H. P. 444) (L. D. 598)

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, I would ask, of any member in the Senate who may know, if this is not a private school?

The PRESIDENT: The Senator from Oxford, Senator O'Leary, directs a question through the Chair to any Senator who may answer if he so chooses.

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President, as a member of the Appropriations Committee I would answer the Senator's question by saying this is a private academy, however it is the school which serves a large area. I believe it serves the areas of China, South China, Palermo, Liberty and parts of some other small towns in the area. It is the only high school in that area. I know a lot of us would wish this area would form a school administrative district and take care of some of their problems in that manner. However, I would point out that under this arrangement by virtue of this bill it will cost the State a great deal less than it would have cost the State had a school administrative district been formed. I understand that this has been done in the past in given instances. This bill was reported out, unanimously I believe, by the Appropriations Committee. It is one of the compromises I suppose you make if you want to do these things that should be done for the State to provide adequate educational facilities for our students. This will serve a great number of students. The expenditure called for is not great, it is \$25,000. It will be

seat money, so to speak, to give the area the courage and incentive it needs to build this new building. So, on that basis I would hope that the Senate would go along with the unanimous report of the Appropriations Committee.

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, I think in this instance I am not aware of any other private school that the State is financing and I believe that we are going to be setting a dangerous precedent, although we may have done it in the past in some instances of which I am not aware. I think this is an area that we should not get into and we should not ask the people of the State of Maine to support private schools. I move for the indefinite postponement of this bill and all its accompanying papers and I request a division.

Mr. CAHILL of Somerset: Mr. President, I would like to inform the Senator from Oxford that the State does and has in the past granted money for private schools if they serve as a public school in that area, which I believe Erskine does. Higgins, for instance, six years ago got fifty thousand dollars out of the state for new buildings over there or renovations of some of their old buildings, and they do serve as a public school in that area. For that reason the State went along with the appropriation. I would hope that the motion to indefinitely postpone this bill would not prevail.

Mr. SHIRO of Kennebec: Mr. President, I know the area well in which this school is located and I am sure that the Appropriations Committee has given this very careful thought before allowing this appropriation. I can only state that most of us know that our educational facilities, especially in rural areas, and particularly in the area in which this school is located, are somewhat less than adequate. I know that with this appropriation, just as Senator Harding has stated, it would be of great benefit to the children attending this school. So I would wholeheartedly say that it would be extremely unfortunate if this

particular bill were not enacted by this Senate. I would hope that the Senate would strongly support the motion made by Senator Harding that this bill be enacted.

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, in view of the facts that have been stated by the other senators here this afternoon, I would request to withdraw my motion. The PRESIDENT: The Senator may.

Thereupon, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Reimburse Town of Hanover for Aid Extended Floyd Merrill (H. P. 317) (L. D. 420) and on further motion by the same Senator, the resolve was finally passed.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Increasing Salary of the Adjutant General" (H. P. 544) (L. D. 716); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table (S. P. 561) (L. D. 1573) bill, "An Act Directing Review of Governmental Immunity; and on motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, the Senate voted to reconsider its former action whereby the bill was passed to be engrossed; the same Senator presented Senate Amendment "A" and moved its adoption.

Which amendment was read (S. 347) and adopted, and the bill as amended was passed to be engrossed and ordered sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

The President laid before the Senate Item 1 on page 2 (S. P. 593) Joint Order Relative to Legislative Intent on Appropriation for Augusta State Airport; tabled earlier in today's session by Senator Carter of Kennebec pending motion by Senator Harding of Aroostook to recede and concur; and Senator Carter moved the pending question.

Thereupon, the Senate voted to recede and concur.

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, the Senate voted to take from the table Item 1 on Page 2, (H. P. 16) (L. D. 16) bill, "An Act Providing for Penobscot County Funds for Buildings for Education Programs for Retarded Childred," tabled by that Senator earlier in today's session pending enactment; and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

The PRESIDENT: At this time the Chair would like to recognize in the balcony 29 students from the 8th grade of Lebanon Junior High School. We welcome you here today and hope that you enjoy and benefit from your stay here. You are witnessing what we hope will be the last day of the regular session of the 102nd legislature. The Chair would like to introduce to you the Senators from your County, Senator Duquette, Senator Letourneau and Senator Jutras. (Applause)

House:

Enactors

Bill, "An Act Providing for a Legislative Conference Prior to the Convening of the 103rd Legislature." (H. P. 265) (L. D. 347)

Which was passed to be enacted

Bill, "An Act Revising Laws Relating to Search and Seizure." (H. P. 1151) (L. D. 1583)

Which was passed to be enacted.

Emergency

Bill, "An Act to Allocate Monies for the Administrative Expenses of the State Liquor Commission for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1966 and June 30, 1967." (S. P. 551) (L. D. 1550)

Which received the affirmative vote of 32 members of the Senate and was passed to be enacted.

House Papers

Non-Concurrent matter

Bill, "An Act Revising the Motor Vehicle Dealer Registration Law." (S. P. 535) (L. D. 1526)

In House, June 2, Passed to Be Engrossed As Amended by House Amendment "A" (H-363) in Non-Concurrence.

In Senate, June 4, Indefinitely Postponed in Non-concurrence.

Now comes from the House, that body having Insisted.

In the Senate, on motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, the Senate voted to adhere.

Additional Paper from the House:

Joint Order

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the building for psychiatric treatment, opened November 18, 1961, at the Pineland Hospital and Training Center be designated and known as the Governor Edmund S. Muskie Building. (H. P. 1165)

Comes from the House, Read and Passed.

In the Senate, read and passed in concurrence.

Senate Order

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook,

ORDERED, that the subordinate officers of the Senate which were appointed January 13, 1965 to serve for the present biennium be as follows: by the President, a Secretary to the President; by the Secretary a Secretary to the Secretary, a Secretary to the Assistant Secretary, an Index Secretary, a Recording Secretary, and a Senate Stenographer, and it is the intent of the Legislature that the retirement benefit provisions for such subordinate officers of the Senate shall apply to previous legislative sessions, beginning in 1947 and continuous thereafter, and, be it further

ORDERED, that the President and Secretary respectively are hereby authorized to accept resignations and fill any vacancies of said subordinate officers during the biennium.

Which was read and passed.

Additional Enactors

Bill, An Act Relating to Payment by Dealers to Producers for

Milk Purchased. (H. P. 1037) (L. D. 1408)

Bill, An Act Relating to Schooling of Children on Indian Reservations. (S. P. 466) (L. D. 1404)

Which were passed to be enacted.

Committee Report

House

The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on Bill, An Act Relating to Use of Purse Seines in Taking Herring from Certain Waters. (H. P. 540) (L. D. 714) report they are Unable To Agree.

Comes from the House Read and Passed.

In the Senate, read and accepted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, An Act Providing Funds for Municipal Building at Old Orchard Beach (H. P. 31) (L. D. 43); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Appropriating Money to Match Federal Funds Provided Under the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962 (H. P. 1106) (L. D. 1512); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Providing Funds for Accelerated Program for the University of Maine (S. P. 564) (L. D. 1576); and on further motion by the same Senator, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table bill, An Act to Authorize

Bond Issue in Amount of Six Million Nine Hundred Seventy Thousand Dollars for Capital Improvements, Construction and Repairs at University of Maine, (S. P. 568) (L. D. 1581); and that Senator moved the pending question.

This being a bond issue,

A division of the Senate was had.

Thirty-three having voted in the affirmative and none opposed, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Qualifying the State for Full Participation in Vocational Educational Act of 1963 (S. P. 78) (L. D. 223)

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President, I move that L. D. 223 be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. MENDELL of Cumberland: Mr. President, this particular bill involves federal expenditures and we get a lot of money out of this bill from the federal government. I do not see anything wrong with the bill. I think we should pass it and make sure we get that federal money. I hope that we defeat the motion of Senator Harding to indefinitely postpone.

The PRESIDENT: Does the Senator request a division?

Mr. MENDELL: The Senator does, Mr. President.

Thereupon, a division of the Senate was had.

Thirty-two having voted in the affirmative and one opposed, the motion to indefinitely postpone prevailed.

Sent down for concurrence.

The following bills and resolves after being removed from the Special Appropriations Table, were indefinitely postponed on motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, and sent down for concurrence:

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, An Act Providing a Bond Issue in the Amount of One Million Two Hundred and One Thousand Dollars for a Vocational Edu-

cational Institute in Penobscot County (H. P. 4) (L. D. 4)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, (H. P. 23) L. D. 26) An Act Increasing Salary of Commissioner of Labor and Industry.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, An Act to Create a Committee to Study Effect of Foreign Labor in Maine (S. P. 16) (L. D. 29)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, Resolve, to Reimburse William Cossette of Wiscasset for Truck Damage Incurred at Fort Edgcomb Park (H. P. 37) (L. D. 49)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, Resolve, in Favor of Daisy A. Reed of Millinocket for Injuries Sustained at State Armory (H. P. 40) (L. D. 52)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, Resolve, to Reimburse Clarence P. Christenson of Gardiner for Loss of Poultry (H. P. 42) (L. D. 54)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, An Act Increasing Retirement Benefits Under State Retirement System (H. P. 88) (L. D. 97)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table, An Act to Increase Pensions of Elderly Teachers (H. P. 90) (L. D. 99)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to create an Alternate Member to Serve on the State Probation and Parole Board (H. P. 98) (L. D. 107)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Appropriating Money to Match Federal Funds Provided Under Titles III and V-A of the

National Defense Educational Act (S. P. 56) (L. D. 117)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Providing for Questionnaires to be Propounded to Prospective Jurors (H. P. 142) (L. D. 165)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Appropriating Funds for the Establishment of a Speech and Hearing Referral and Training Center at the Farmington State Teachers College (S. P. 79) (L. D. 224)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Adjusting the School Tax Rate in Unorganized Territory (H. P. 204) (L. D. 259)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Pertaining to Privately Owned Trade and Technical Schools (H. P. 206) (L. D. 274)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Directing an Improvement of Property Tax Administration (H. P. 257) (L. D. 327)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Requiring Approval of Early Childhood Education Programs (H. P. 268) (L. D. 350)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Providing Retirement Benefit for D. Irene Carlson (H. P. 287) (L. D. 369)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Reimburse George S. Graffam of Whitefield for Loss by Spraying Neighboring Blueberry Fields (H. P. 320) (L. D. 423)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Providing for a State Pension for Floyd Merrill of Bath (H. P. 371) (L. D. 473)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, in Favor of the City of Augusta (H. P. 378) (L. D. 480)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Providing for a Maine Key Number Digest Committee (S. P. 161) (L. D. 491)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Increasing Salaries of Official Court Reporters" (S. P. 164) (L. D. 494)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Moneys to Maine Educational Television Network for Outside Audience Training. (H. P. 448) (L. D. 602)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, to Reimburse Arthur E. Thompson of New Gloucester for Fire Loss (H. P. 460) (L. D. 614)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, in Favor of Margaret Sinclair of Windham for Fire Loss (H. P. 461) (L. D. 615)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act to Hold the Primary Election on the Second Tuesday after Labor Day." (H. P. 473) (L. D. 626)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Authorizing Position to Mobilize Volunteer Services Within Department of Health and Welfare" (H. P. 478) (L. D. 631)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Providing Pension for Emily Withee of Vassalboro. (H. P. 536) (L. D. 710)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations

Table "An Act Increasing Salaries of Members of Harness Racing Commission" (H. P. 545) (L. D. 717)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Relating to Definition of Cigarettes under Cigarette Law" (H. P. 555) (L. D. 726)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Relating to Funeral Expenses of Recipients of Aid to the Aged, Blind or Disabled" (H. P. 578) (L. D. 770)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table "An Act Relating to Certain Expenses of Supreme Judicial Court Paid by State to Cumberland County" (H. P. 584) (L. D. 776)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to Reimbursement of Daily Travel Expenses in Lieu of Housing Expenses (H. P. 601) (L. D. 793)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Proposing Amendment to the Constitution Relating to Bond Issues to be Voted Upon by the People (H. P. 612) (L. D. 804)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Appropriating Funds for Construction of a Span on the Westport-Wiscasset Bridge (H. P. 627) (L. D. 834)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Provide Aerial Photos of Maine's Forest Lands (S. P. 279) (L. D. 841)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to Service Retirement of Members in Hazardous Employment in Department of Mental Health and Corrections (H. P. 654) (L. D. 882)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take

from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to Payments by Baxter State Park Authority to Maine Forestry District (H. P. 719) (L. D. 957)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Appropriating Funds to the Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, Department of Education (H. P. 786) (L. D. 1039)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Appropriating Moneys to Department of Mental Health and Corrections for Inspection of County Jails (H. P. 955) (L. D. 1069)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Increasing Retirement Allowances of State Employees Retired on Council Orders (S. P. 334) (L. D. 1079)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to Operation of Homemaker Service by Department of Health and Welfare (H. P. 806) (L. D. 1098)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to Expenses of Sanity Examination of Accused Persons in the District Court and Expenses of Blood Tests in Drunken Driving Cases (H. P. 819) (L. D. 1110)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table bill, An Act Relating to Petition for Release of Respondents Acquitted on Basis of Mental Defect (S. P. 380) (L. D. 1196)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Tribal Committee of the Passamaquoddy Tribe (SP 402) (LD 1222)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Create a Maine State Board of Human Research

and Development (H. P. 904) (L. D. 1317)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Entering the State of Maine into the New England Interstate Planning Compact (H. P. 979) (L. D. 1317)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Providing for Longevity Pay for State Department Officers Whose Salaries are Fixed by Statute (H. P. 970) (L. D. 1347)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Exempting Textbooks Used in Schools of Higher Education from Sales Tax (S. P. 1028) (L. D. 1398)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Liberalize Credit for Out-of-State Service for Teachers Under State Retirement Law (H. P. 1047) (L. D. 1418)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Create a Department of Rehabilitation (S. P. 1075) (L. D. 1455)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Providing for a Study and Revision of Maine Corporate Law (S. P. 500) (L. D. 1466)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve, Appropriating Moneys for Location of Vocational Institute in Kennebec County (H. P. 1097) (L. D. 1494)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Exempting Municipal Development Corporations from Fees Under the Securities Law, (H. P. 1107) (L. D. 1513)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to Definition of Aid and Disabled Under

Aid to the Disabled (H. P. 1114) (L. D. 1521)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to the Exemption of Aeronautical Fuel from the Sales Tax (H. P. 122) (L. D. 1532)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act Relating to Definition of Sale Price Under Sales Tax Law (H. P. 1132) (L. D. 1551)

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table An Act to Create the Maine Commission on the Arts and Culture (S. P. 558) (L. D. 1579)

Which above bills and resolves, on motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, were indefinitely postponed and sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, the Senate voted to take from the table Item 2 on page 2, (H. P. 1157) Joint Order Relative to Continuation of Museum Study Committee; and the same Senator presented Senate Amendment A and moved its adoption.

Which amendment (S-348) was read and adopted and the order as amended was passed in non-concurrence and sent down for concurrence.

Out of order and under suspension of the rules, Mr. Violette of Aroostook presented the following order and moved its passage:

ORDERED, that in view of the action of this legislature in passing S. P. 591, Joint Order Relative to Interim Committee to Study Allagash, Cross Rock and Related Proposals, the Attorney General be and is hereby requested and authorized to intervene on behalf of the State of Maine in the application for a preliminary permit for proposed project No. 2502, to be known as Cross Rock Hydroelectric Project now pending before the Federal Power Commission.

Read and passed.

Enactor

An Act Directing Review of Governmental Immunity (S. P. 561) (L. D. 1573)

Which was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook

Recessed to the sound of the gong.

After Recess

Senate called to order by the President.

Pursuant to Joint Order, Senate Paper 589, Mr. Duquette from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs presents bill, "An Act making additional Appropriations for the Expenditure of State Government and for other purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1966 and June 30, 1967. (S. P. 603)

Which report was read and accepted and under suspension of the rules, the bill was read twice and passed to be engrossed.

Sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

Joint Orders

From the House:

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee is authorized and directed to study nursing homes, boarding homes and children's homes; their operations, regulation and licensing; said committee to report its findings and recommendations to the 103rd Legislature. (H. P. 1171)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee is directed to study the subject matter of Bill: "An Act Providing for the Registration of Home Improvement Companies and Salesmen," (L. D. 1264), introduced at the regular session of the 102nd Legislature, to determine whether the best interests of the State would be served by the enactment of such legislation; and be it further

ORDERED, that the Committee report the results of its study to the 103rd Legislature. (H. P. 1170)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee is directed to study the problem relating to guardianship and custodial supervision of retarded persons, both in and out of state institutions, and report the results of its study, together with any recommended legislation, to the 103rd Legislature. (H. P. 1168)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee be, and hereby is, directed to make a study in depth of the "State of Maine Laws Relating to Public Schools" as they pertain to general purpose aid; and be it

ORDERED, that the study in depth should examine among others, the following factors: The provisions in the present law concerning such matters as foundation program content and allowances, bonuses for School Administrative Districts and other criteria related to the formation of such districts (Sinclair Law) and be it further

ORDERED, that a report of such study together with any recommendations deemed necessary be made to the 103rd Legislature. (H. P. 1169)

ORDERED, the Senate Concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee be directed to study and review our Legislative procedures for the purpose of increasing our efficiency and realizing economies wherever possible; and be it further

ORDERED, that the Committee report the results of its study with appropriate recommendations to the 103rd Legislature. (H. P. 1166)

Mr. O'Leary of Oxford was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate.

Mr. O'LEARY: Mr. President and members of the Senate: It was my privilege four weeks ago to attend the Conference on State Government that was held in Manchester, New Hampshire and we were shown films of the different legislative processes in the different states. It would appear to

me that here in the State of Maine we have listened to approximately 1600 legislative bills in this session and in the State of New York they hear perhaps 6000 and they are done in half the time that we are, so I believe this order that has just gone through would be of value to us here in the State of Maine.

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that there shall be a committee of eight appointed to carry out the purposes of this order, as follows: The Attorney General, 3 Senators appointed by the President of the Senate and 4 Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House; and be it further

ORDERED, that there is appropriated from the Legislative Appropriation the sum of \$5,000 to carry out the purposes of this Order. (study of Liquor Laws) (H. P. 1175)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee is directed to study the policy, functions and activities of the Division of Alcoholic Rehabilitation of the Bureau of Health of the Department of Health and Welfare for the purposes of determining necessary and possible improvements in its operations; and be it further

ORDERED, that the Committee report the results of its study to the 103rd Legislature. (H. P. 1172)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee be instructed to study the adequacy of existing law in providing for the safety of school children in the course of their transportation to and from school, and school sanctioned activities. (H. P. 1173)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee undertake a feasibility study of a medical school in Maine. Such study shall include, but not be limited to, whether a medical school in Maine is feasible; if it is feasible, where it should be located; and if it is not feasible, when will it be and what

steps should be taken to make it feasible; and be it further

ORDERED, that the Committee report its findings and recommendations to the 103rd Legislature (H. P. 1174)

(Feasibility of Medical School in Maine)

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the Senate be directed to employ the Law and Legislative Librarian for the purpose of indexing the Senate rules, House rules and Joint rules; and be it further

ORDERED that the above be completed prior to the gathering of the pre-legislative conference for the 103rd Legislature and that such compensation as needed be taken from the Legislative appropriation. (H. P. 1167)

Which orders, come from the House Read and Passed.

In the Senate, read and passed in concurrence.

Non-Concurrent Matters

ORDERED, the House concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee is directed to study Maine State Retirement System. (S. P. 582)

In Senate, May 27, Read and Passed.

Comes from the House Read and Passed As Amended by House Amendment "A" (H-430) in Non-Concurrence.

In the Senate, House Amendment A was read and adopted and the Order passed in concurrence.

ORDERED, the House concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee is directed to study Taxation of Boats. (S. P. 583)

In Senate, May 27, Read and Passed.

Comes from the House Indefinitely Postponed in Non-Concurrence.

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

ORDERED, the House concurring, that a committee of nine be appointed to study the Liquor Laws. (S. P. 574)

In Senate, May 25, Read and Passed.

Comes from the House Indefinitely Postponed in Non-Concurrence.

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

ORDERED, the House concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee is directed to study the salaries of legislative personnel paid from the Legislative Appropriation for the purpose of determining the fair and equitable compensation for such personnel; and be it further

ORDERED, that the committee report the results of its study to the 103rd Legislature. (S. P. 465)

In Senate, May 12, Read and Passed.

Comes from the House Indefinitely Postponed in Non-Concurrence.

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, this was one of the first orders that was introduced in the Senate for a joint study of this situation which exists today. We have enacted into law a bill that calls for a \$1.25 minimum wage, but here we are in this Senate who are heads of these legislative committees that pay our committee clerks less than 50 cents an hour. I do not believe this is a fair way to do it and I believe that we ought to insist.

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President, I move that the Senate recede and concur.

Mr. O'LEARY of Oxford: Mr. President, I ask for a division.

The PRESIDENT: The motion before the Senate is the motion to recede and concur.

A division of the Senate was had.

Thirty having voted in the affirmative and two opposed, the motion to recede and concur prevailed.

Joint Order, Out of Order

and Under Suspension or the Rules

ORDERED, the House concurring, that the State Tax Assessor is hereby directed to increase the

Undedicated Revenue of the General Fund, for the next biennium, by the amount of \$3,792,500. This increase to apply in the following areas:

Inheritance, Estate and Gift Tax	\$ 750,000
Sales Tax	3,042,500
	(S. P. 604)

Mr. GLASS of Waldo: Mr. President, I approach this with fear and trepidation because I am showing my ignorance, but would some member of the Appropriations Committee explain exactly what this is. I rise not to object to the order but to the fact they are increasing undedicated revenue. How is this accomplished? Would someone answer that question?

The PRESIDENT: The Senator from Waldo, Senator Glass, directs an inquiry through the Chair to any Senator who would care to answer.

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President and members of the Senate: In attempting to answer the question I will say that this is a part of the agreed financial package, let us say, that the Democratic leadership and the Republican leadership arrived at some two or three weeks ago. If you recall, there was a question then as to whether or not we would spend surplus and apparently there was objection to spending surplus for recurring items, and so the Governor consulted with his department heads, and after his own thinking on it he believed that it was provident to raise the estimates for the coming year \$3,750,000. That is what this is with one exception. The Democratic leadership in its wisdom felt that it was provident to raise the sales tax estimate by another \$42,500. This is the way we may accomplish what was proposed here two or three weeks ago. I might mention that I discussed this joint order with the Governor about an hour ago and that this was with his blessing except for the \$42,500, and that is the amount which we have added.

Mr. GLASS of Waldo: Mr. President, I would like to thank the

Senator from Aroostook for his reply.

Thereupon the order received passage and was sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

The President placed before the Senate, Bill, "An Act to Authorize the Establishment of an Area State Operated Vocational Technical High School in York County and the Issuance of Not Exceeding One Million One Hundred and Fifteen Thousand Dollar Bonds of the State of Maine for the Financing Thereof" (H. P. 673) (L. D. 900) tabled earlier in today's session by Senator Harding of Aroostook; and Mr. Duquette of York moved that the bill be passed to be enacted.

This being a Bond Issue

A division of the Senate was had.

Thirty-three having voted in the affirmative and none opposed, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Bill, "An Act Establishing the Maine Insurance Advisory Board and Reserve Fund for Uninsured Losses" (H. P. 1142) (L. D. 1562) and on motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, the bill was passed to be enacted.

On motion by Mr. Duquette of York, the Senate voted to take from the Special Appropriations Table Resolve Appropriating Monies to Repair Runway of Rockland Airport (H. P. 120) (L. D. 144); and on motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, the resolve was indefinitely postponed.

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook, the Senate voted to take from the table Item 3 on Page 2 of today's calendar, Joint Order Relative to Legislative Research study of County Affairs (H. P. 1066) and on further motion by the same Senator, the order was passed in concurrence.

Mr. HARDING of Aroostook: Mr. President, may I ask if the Senate has in its possession L. D.

1526, the Motor Vehicle Dealers Registration Law?

The PRESIDENT: The Chair would say that it has, having been requested by the Senator.

Mr. HARDING: I now move that we reconsider our action whereby we adhered, and I would like to speak briefly to my motion.

The PRESIDENT: The Senator may.

Mr. HARDING: The reason I would like to ask your forbearance in my motion for reconsideration is that several senators have approached me and mentioned that they did not understand the motion I made to adhere and therefore they did not understand the consequences of it. During this session I have tried the best I could to be fair with all members of the Senate and it troubles me that there are members here who feel that I was unfair in this matter. I assure you that it was not intentional. During the rush of the day there have been many matters brought to my attention, and so if you will forgive me for the oversight if there was one, I would like to have you go along with this motion so the bill may be debated because there are some people here who have viewpoints they wish to express and they were not able to because of this situation I mentioned.

The PRESIDENT: The motion before the Senate is the motion of the Senator from Aroostook, Senator Harding, that the rules be suspended and we reconsider our action whereby we adhered on L. D. 1135.

Mr. JACQUES of Androscoggin: Mr. President, this bill was indefinitely postponed once, it went to the other body and came back here and again it was killed, so why don't we give it a decent burial and kill it right now once and for all. When the vote is taken, Mr. President, I move for a division.

Mr. JUTRAS of York: Mr. President, I do not believe that Senator Jacques is qualified as a funeral director, he is a private eye, so therefore if there is to be a committal or a burial I request I be considered. (Laughter)

The PRESIDENT: The motion before the Senate is the motion to reconsider our former action whereby we adhered to our former action to indefinitely postpone L. D. 1135. This takes a two-thirds vote. All those in favor of the motion to reconsider will please rise and remain standing until counted.

A division was had.

The PRESIDENT: Nineteen having voted in the affirmative and eleven in the negative and nineteen being less than two-thirds of the members present, the motion to reconsider fails.

Mr. Cahill of Somerset was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate.

Mr. CAHILL: Mr. President, I would like to compliment myself for a one thousand batting average. Of the bills that were before the Transportation Committee this year this is the only one I signed out as "Ought to pass."

House Order

Joint Order

ORDERED, the Senate concurring, that the Legislative Research Committee in conjunction with the State Highway Commission study the feasibility of constructing a high-level span on the Westport-Wiscasset Bridge to permit boat traffic under the bridge and the possibility of obtaining matching and sufficient federal funds to complete such a project; and be it further

ORDERED, that the committee report the results of its study to the 103rd Legislature. (H. P. 1176)

Comes from the House Read and Passed.

In the Senate read and passed in concurrence.

Non-Concurrent Matter

Joint Order—

Relative to Interim Committee to Study Inland Fisheries and Game Department. (S. P. 590)

In Senate June 2, Read and Passed.

Comes from the House Passed As Amended by House Amend-

ment "A" (H-431) in Non-Concurrence.

In the Senate that body voted to recede and concur.

On motion by Mr. Harding of Aroostook,

Recessed to the sound of the gong.

After Recess

Senate called to order by the President.

Mr. Harding of Aroostook presented the following order out of order and under suspension of the rules, and moved its passage:

ORDERED, that the offices of the Secretary of the Senate be refurbished under the direction of the President of the Senate and the Secretary of the Senate in a manner befitting the decor of the Senate Chamber with the cooperation of the Bureau of Public Improvements.

Which Order was read and passed.

Mrs. Chisholm and Mrs. Sproul jointly presented the following Order:

WHEREAS for every day during this legislative session, the male members of the Senate have provided the lady members with flowers;

WHEREAS, the lady members of the Senate deeply appreciate this daily remembrance, be it

ORDERED, that the gentlemen of the Senate accept sincere thanks from the Senator from Lincoln, Senator Sproul and the Senator from Cumberland, Senator Chisholm

Which Order was read and passed.

Enactors

Bill, An Act Making Additional Appropriations for the Expenditures of State Government and for Other Purposes for the Fiscal Year ending June 30, 1966 and June 30, 1967.

This being an emergency measure

A division of the Senate was had.

Thirty-two having voted in the affirmative and none opposed, the bill was passed to be enacted.

Mr. McDONALD of Somerset: Mr. President, I present an Order and move its passage:

ORDERED, that a message be sent to the House of Representatives informing that body that the Senate has transacted all business that has come before it and is ready to adjourn without day.

Which Order was read and passed, and the Secretary delivered the message.

Subsequently the Secretary returned, having delivered the message with which he was charged.

At this point a message was received from the House of Representatives informing the Senate that the House had transacted all business that has come before it and is ready to adjourn without day.

Mr. VIOLETTE of Aroostook: Mr. President, out of order and under suspension of the rules, I present an order and move its passage:

ORDERED, the House concurring, that a committee of three on the part of the Senate, with such as the House may join, be appointed to wait upon the Governor and inform him that both branches of the legislature have acted on all matters before them and are now ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make.

Which Order was read and passed and sent forthwith to the House.

The President appointed as Senate members of such committee, Senator Violette, Senator Harding and Senator Manuel.

Subsequently the committee returned, reporting that the message had been delivered to the Governor who would attend the session forthwith.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair understands that Senator Duquette of York has rendered a final report but it is not printed and the Chair feels that the Senate owes Senator

Duquette a rising vote of thanks for the wonderful work he has done as Chairman of our Appropriations Committee.

(Applause, the members rising.)

Mr. DUQUETTE of York: Mr. President, I wish to thank you and every Senator here. We have a good Senate, especially after I had to kill so many bills this afternoon. I thank you very very much for this ovation.

At this point, His Excellency, Gov. John H. Reed and the Executive Council entered the Senate Chambers and Governor Reed addressed the Senate as follows:

Governor JOHN H. REED: Mr. President and members of the Senate: The time has arrived for the adjournment of this session of the 102nd Legislature and I wish to extend my thanks and that of the people of Maine for the service you have rendered in their behalf.

This session in my opinion has been most productive and has been marked by fine cooperation. I submit to you herewith a tabulation of the results of your action.

There were 578 acts approved.

There were 58 resolves approved.

There were 5 vetoes presented.

When I addressed you in January I presented a program designed to move Maine forward during the next two years on many fronts — in education, in economic growth, in human welfare. I am pleased with the results of the action you have taken on a substantial majority of my proposals.

Without hesitation you provided a general fund operating budget which will insure the adequate functioning of state government and the provision of needed services during the coming biennium.

Our accelerated highway program will go forward on schedule and will be soundly financed.

In the field of social service and institutional care we are keeping pace with the increased demands for services to the ill, the aged, the unfortunate members of our society.

Our loyal and dedicated state employees and those who have retired from active service will be

more adequately compensated through increased wage and benefits.

The general work force in the state will be guaranteed a more realistic minimum wage, more protection and more benefits under the workmen's compensation law and, of great significance, a more equitable employment security law has now been enacted.

An historic stride forward has been taken on the economic front with the enactment of sound legislation to encourage more economic growth. I refer specifically to the establishment of a Maine recreation authority, expansion of the Maine industrial building authority and municipal revenue bonding.

Time does not permit me, in this late closing hour, to enumerate all of the significant accomplishments, but I would like to mention one area of what I consider vital importance in which tremendous progress has been made.

I said in January we believe that education is the key to advancement. You have indeed sustained me in that belief.

Our educational subsidy programs and obligations will be met. The principle of uniform local effort has been established. Teacher preparation has been strengthened as never before.

Vocational education has been expanded to provide more opportunities for our youth. We shall undertake a needed study of higher education and, finally, the University of Maine upon which so much of the future of the state rests, has been assured the resources necessary to fulfill its responsibility to our young people.

We have, in this session, in a spirit of cooperation removed many roadblocks, traveled many miles along the road to greater progress. Most of all, we have—with reasonable financing—preserved the sound fiscal integrity of our Senate of Maine. Without this I do not feel that we could have realized the objectives that have been accomplished.

I wish to congratulate the leadership in this legislature of both of our great political parties for the cooperation they have given each other, and most certainly and sincerely for the cooperation they have extended to me. I feel that as a result of this cooperation, this team work that has been so apparent from start to finish, together, we have added a bright, new chapter to the distinguished legislative history of our government.

It has been a pleasure for me to have known and worked with you. Mrs. Reed and I will always remember the pleasant occasions when you have been our guests as Blaine House and I look forward to greeting you in the future when your business or social travels brings you to the capitol.

In closing, I want to commend everyone connected with this legislature, the members of the House and Senate, the staff, and everybody who has had a part in this joint undertaking of the last few months. I feel that the diligence that you have applied to your legislative tasks have indeed been a credit to this 102nd Maine legislature. As I bring my remarks to a close, I want to wish for each of you a safe journey home and a future filled with great success and happiness. Thank you very much.

Thereupon, His Excellency, Governor John H. Reed and the Executive Council withdrew from the Senate Chambers.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Kennebec, Senator Dunn.

Mr. DUNN of Kennebec: Mr. President, I move that the Senate adjourn without day.

Thereupon, at eleven-forty P.M. on June 4, 1965, the Honorable Carleton D. Reed, Jr., President of the Senate declared the Senate of the 102nd Maine Legislature adjourned without day.