

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LEGISLATIVE RECORD

OF THE

*One Hundred and Third
Legislature*

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1967

KENNEBEC JOURNAL
AUGUSTA, MAINE

SENATE

Thursday, January 5, 1967

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Very Rev. Msgr. Vincent A. Tatarczuk, of Portland, Maine.

On motion by Mr. Ross of Piscataquis,

ORDERED, The House concurring, that when the House and Senate adjourn, they adjourn to Tuesday, January 10, at 10 o'clock.

Which was read and passed.

Sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

Communication**STATE OF MAINE
Department of
the Attorney General
Augusta**

January 4, 1967

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the 103rd Legislature:

Pursuant to Article V, Part 4, Section 2, of the Constitution, I am transmitting herewith two bonds of the Honorable Michael A. Napolitano, Treasurer of State, each in the amount of \$250,000, one written by Seaboard Surety Company of Portland, Maine, bearing date of January 4, 1967, and the other written by Maine Bonding and Casualty Company of Portland, Maine, bearing date of January 4, 1967, each being payable to the State of Maine.

These bonds bear my approval as to form.

Respectfully,
JAMES S. ERWIN
Attorney General

Which communication and accompanying bonds were read and Ordered placed on file with the State Auditor.

Sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

Out of order and under suspension of the rules,

ORDERED, the House concurring, that the two bonds of the Honorable Michael A. Napolitano, Treasurer of State, totalling

\$500,000, one written by Seaboard Surety Company of Portland, Maine in the amount of \$2,550,000, and one written by the Maine Bonding and Casualty Company of Portland, Maine, in the amount of \$250,000, payable to the State of Maine and each bearing the certificate of approval of the Attorney General, be and hereby are approved (S. P. 36)

Which was read and passed and

Sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

**Senate Papers
Appropriations and
Financial Affairs**

Mr. Ross of Piscataquis presents

Bill "An Act to Appropriate Funds and Provide Staff for Alcoholism Services." (S. P. 9) (L. D. 15)

Which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Sent down for concurrence.

Education

The same Senator presents

Bill "An Act Relating to Contracts of Superintendents of Schools When School Administrative District Becomes Operative." (S. P. 5) (L. D. 11)

The same Senator presents

Bill "An Act Relating to Attending Secondary School Outside of Residence." (S. P. 7) (L. D. 13)

Which were referred to the Committee on Education.

Sent down for concurrence.

Election Laws

Mr. MacLeod of Penobscot presents

Bill "An Act to Eliminate the Straight Party Ballot in the Election Laws." (S. P. 1) (L. D. 4)

Mr. Katz of Kennebec presents

Bill "An Act to Hold the Primary Election on the Second Tuesday after Labor Day." (S. P. 2) (L. D. 5)

Which were referred to the Committee on Election Laws.

Sent down for concurrence.

Highways

Mr. Ross of Piscataquis presents

Bill "An Act Relating to Payments to the State by Municipalities for Winter Maintenance on State Highways." (S. P. 10) (L. D. 16)

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Sent down for concurrence.

Inland Fisheries and Game

The same Senator presents

Bill "An Act Establishing Two zones for Open Season on Deer." (S. P. 3) (L. D. 6)

The same Senator presents

Bill "An Act Prohibiting the Hunting of Muskrat, Mink, Otter and Fisher with Firearms or Bow and Arrow." (S. P. 6) (L. D. 12)

Mr. ROSS of Piscataquis: Mr. President, I move that Item 3-7 and Item 3-8 be referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries & Game. One is a hunting bill and the other is a trapping bill, and I think they were referred to the wrong committee.

The PRESIDENT: The Senator from Piscataquis, Senator Ross, moves that Items 3-7 and 3-8, being L. D. 6 and L. D. 12, be referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries & Game. Is this the pleasure of the Senate?

The motion prevailed and the items were referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries & Game. Sent down for concurrence.

The same Senator presents Bill, An Act Relating to Open Season on Otter. (S. P. 8) (L.D. 14)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Sent down for concurrence.

Judiciary

The same Senator presents Bill, an Act Providing for Implied Consent Law for Operators of Motor Vehicles. (S. P. 11) (L. D. 17)

Which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Sent down for concurrence.

Legal Affairs

The same Senator presents Bill, An Act Providing for Life Preservers for All Motor Boats operating on Inland Waters. (S. P. 4) (L. D. 7)

Which was referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Sent down for concurrence.

State Government

The same Senator presents Bill, An Act Relating to Membership in Advisory Committee of Highway Safety and Change of Name of Executive Secretary. (S. P. 12) (L. D. 18)

Which was referred to the Committee on State Government.

Sent down for concurrence.

Industrial and Recreational Development

Mr. Albair of Aroostook presents Bill, An Act Defining Industrial Project Under Industrial Building Authority Law. (S. P. 34)

Which was referred to the Committee on Industrial and Recreational Development, and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

The same Senator presents Bill, An Act Relating to Duties and Salary of Aroostook County Fire Marshal. (S. P. 33)

Which was referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties, and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Orders

On motion by Mr. Ross of Piscataquis

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 Honorable Kenneth M. Curtis and inform him that he has been duly elected Governor of the State of Maine for the political years 1967, 1968, 1969 and 1970. (S. P. 37)

Which was Read and Passed. Sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

The President appointed:

Senators:

ROSS of Piscataquis
 RENEY of York
 GIRARD

 of Androscoggin

On motion by Mr. Lund of Kennebec

ORDERED, the House concurring, that a Joint Select Committee of three on the part of the Senate with such as the House may join, be appointed to consider the Governor's Message and report a reference of its several subjects to appropriate committees.
 (S. P. 38)

Which was Read and Passed.
 Sent to the House for concurrence.

The President appointed:

Senators:

LUND of Kennebec
 ALBAIR of Arostook
 SNOW of Cumberland

On motion by Mr. Brewer of Sagadahoc

ORDERED, that 3,500 copies of the Governor's Message be printed.

Which was Read and Passed.

On motion by Mr. Beckett of Washington

ORDERED, that a message be sent to the House of Representatives proposing a Convention of both branches of the Legislature to be held forthwith in the Hall of the House for the purpose of administering to the Honorables: Fred Hanscom, L. Robert Porteous, Jr., Richard Morton, Kenneth Robinson, Richard Willey, Lewis O. Barrows, and E. Perrin Edmunds the oaths required by the Constitution to qualify them to enter upon the discharge of their official duties as Executive Councilors, and for the further purpose of administering to the Honorable Kenneth M. Curtis, Governor-elect, the oath required by the Constitution to qualify him to enter upon the discharge of his official duties.

Which was Read and Passed.

The Secretary delivered the message and subsequently reported that he had performed the duty assigned to him.

At Ease

Called to order by the President.

A message was received from the House, through Representative Harrison Richardson, concurring in the proposition for a Joint Convention for the purpose of administering the oaths to the Executive Councilors and to the Governor-elect.

The Senate retired to the Hall of the House of Representatives where a Joint Convention was formed.

(For proceedings of Joint Convention, see House Report)

In Senate

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Additional Senate Paper out of order

**Communication
 STATE OF MAINE
 Director of
 Legislative Research
 Augusta, Maine**

January 4, 1967

To the Honorable Jerrold B. Speers
 Secretary of the Senate of the 103rd Legislature

In accordance with the Revised Statutes, Title 3, Section 164, Subsection 10, I hereby submit the report of the Director of Legislative Research.

Since a new revision of the public laws of Maine was enacted by the 101st Legislature, it is suggested that any criticisms of the 1964 Revision, whether constructive or otherwise, be forwarded to the Director for aid in planning future revisions.

In order to facilitate the work of the Legislature, this office sent letters to each administrative department and each member of the present Legislature urging the use of the available facilities of the office in the preparation of bills to be introduced. Over 300 acts and resolves were drafted before the Legislature was convened and it is hoped that such cooperation may be continued and extended in the future.

The members of the Legislature are reminded that the Sen-

ate and House rules provide that the members who present bills, resolves and petitions must sign them.

In order to continue and promote uniformity of procedure, to avoid confusion and to permit an orderly transition from revision to revision, all bills, before presentation to the Legislature, should be checked by the office of the Director. The cooperation of the members of the 103rd Legislature in this respect is earnestly requested.

Respectfully,

SAMUEL H. SLOSBERG
Director

Which was Read and Ordered placed on file.

The President announced the following as Senate Committee members:

Agriculture:

Senators:

BARNES of Aroostook
CURTIS of Penobscot
GIRARD of Androscoggin

Appropriations and Financial Affairs:

Senators:

BERRY of Cumberland
ALBAIR of Aroostook
DUQUETTE of York

Business Legislation:

Senators:

MACLEOD of Penobscot
KATZ of Kennebec
HARDING of Aroostook

Claims:

Senators:

BREWER of Sagadahoc
ROSS of Piscataquis
NORRIS of Oxford

Education:

Senators:

KATZ of Kennebec
MACLEOD of Penobscot
SNOW of Cumberland

Election Laws:

Senators:

ANDERSON of Hancock
BERRY of Cumberland
COUTURIER of Androscoggin

Health and Institutional Services:

Senators:

GREELEY of Waldo
SPROUL of Lincoln
SNOW of Cumberland

Highways:

Senators:

FERGUSON of Oxford
ROSS of Piscataquis
GREELEY of Waldo

Industrial & Recreational Development:

Senators:

HILDRETH of Cumberland
HOFFSES of Knox
SEWALL of Penobscot

Inland Fisheries and Game:

Senators:

HOFFSES of Knox
ANDERSON of Hancock
FARLEY of York

Judiciary:

Senators:

MILLS of Franklin
HILDRETH of Cumberland
HARDING of Aroostook

Labor:

Senators:

GOOD of Cumberland
JOHNSON of Somerset
NORRIS of Oxford

Legal Affairs:

Senators:

GOOD of Cumberland
SPROUL of Lincoln
STERN of Penobscot

Liquor Control:

Senators:

BECKETT of Washington
CURTIS of Penobscot
BOISVERT of Androscoggin

Natural Resources:

Senators:

SEWALL of Penobscot
FERGUSON of Oxford
VILES of Somerset

Public Utilities:

Senators:

LUND of Kennebec

BREWER of Sagadahoc
VILES of Somerset

YOUNG of Hancock
FARLEY of York

Reference of Bills:
President Ex-officio

Towns and Counties:
Senators:

Senators:
JOHNSON of Somerset
HARDING of Aroostook

SPROUL of Lincoln
MILLS of Franklin
COUTURIER of
Androscoggin

Retirements And Pensions:

Senators:
CURTIS of Penobscot
BREWER of Sagadahoc
BOISVERT of
Androscoggin

Transportation:

Senators:
JOHNSON of Somerset
BARNES of Aroostook
RENY of York

Sea And Shore Fisheries:

YOUNG of Hancock
BECKETT of Washington
RENY of York

Veterans And Military Affairs:

Senators:
VILES of Somerset
ALBAIR of Aroostook
GIRARD of Androscoggin

State Government:

Senators:
WYMAN of Washington
LUND of Kennebec
STERN of Penobscot

Taxation:

Senators:
WYMAN of Washington

The adjournment order having been received from the House, on motion by Mr. Ross of Piscataquis, adjourned until Tuesday morning, January 10th at 10:00 A.M.