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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, February 9, 1967

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. Roland S. Lord of Ellsworth.

Reading of the Journal of Yesterday.

Out of order and under suspension of the rules, on motion by Mr. Ross of Piscataquis:

ORDERED, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they adjourn to meet on Tuesday, February 14, at ten o'clock in the morning. (S. P. 294)

Which was read and passed.

Sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

Papers from the House

Bill "An Act Providing for Reconstruction of Leavitt Hall, Maine Maritime Academy." (H. P. 437) (L. D. 612)

Bill "An Act Relating to Allocation of Funds for Purchase of Real Estate by State." (H. P. 438) (L. D. 613)

Bill "An Act Providing for Central Heating Plant and Warehouse at Maine Maritime Academy." (H. P. 439) (L. D. 614)

Bill "An Act Appropriating Funds to Expand Homemaker Services in the Department of Health and Welfare." (H. P. 440) (L. D. 615)

Come from the House referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Which were referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs in concurrence.

Resolve, to Reimburse Raymond Goodwin of Kittery for Well Damage Resulting from Highway Construction." (H. P. 441) (L. D. 616)

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on Claims.

Which was referred to the Committee on Claims in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Financial Matters of the Mount Desert Island Regional School District." (Emergency) (H. P. 442) (L. D. 617)

Bill "An Act to Provide State School Construction Assistance to

the Town of Winterport." (H. P. 443) (L. D. 618)

Bill "An Act Requiring Protective Eye Devices for Certain Students." (H. P. 403) (L. D. 569)

Bill "An Act to Authorize the Town of Winterport to Form a School Administrative District." (H. P. 444) (L. D. 619)

Come from the House referred to the Committee on Education.

Which were referred to the Committee on Education in concurrence.

Bill "An Act to Authorize the Reconstruction and Elimination of Hazardous Locations on Portions of State Route 6." (H. P. 404) (L. D. 570)

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Trapping Beaver." (H. P. 405) (L. D. 571)

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

Which was referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Right of Entry and Inspection of Nursing Homes." (H. P. 406) (L. D. 572)

Bill "An Act Relating to Detention of Juveniles." (H. P. 407) (L. D. 573)

Bill "An Act Relating to the Guardianship of Mentally Retarded Persons." (H. P. 408) (L. D. 574)

Bill "An Act Relating to Highway Commission Land Taking." (Emergency) (H. P. 409) (L. D. 575)

Bill "An Act Relating to Jurisdiction of Courts in Child Neglect Cases." (H. P. 410) (L. D. 576)

Bill "An Act Increasing Charges of Bail Commissioners." (H. P. 411) (L. D. 577)

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Which were referred to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Overtime for Hotels and Motels Under Minimum Wage Law." (H. P. 412) (L. D. 578)

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on Labor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Labor in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Describing the Boundary Line Between the Towns of Paris and West Paris." (H. P. 413) (L. D. 579)

Bill "An Act Relating to Investment of Funds of Credit Unions." (H. P. 414) (L. D. 580)

Come from the House referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

Which were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Part-time Liquor Licenses for Class A Restaurants." (H. P. 415) (L. D. 581)

Bill "An Act Relating to Issuance of Liquor Licenses on a Probationary Basis." (H. P. 416) (L. D. 582)

Come from the House Referred to the Committee on Liquor Control.

Which were referred to the Committee on Liquor Control in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Regulations Regarding Atlantic Sea Run Salmon." (H. P. 456)

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and ordered printed.

On motion by Mr. Young of Hancock, tabled pending reference to a committee.

Resolve "Relating to Regulating Taking of Alewives from Dennys River, Washington County." (H. P. 421) L. D. 585)

Comes from the House referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

Which was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries in concurrence.

Communication

STATE OF MAINE
House of Representatives
Office of the Clerk

February 8, 1967

Hon. Jerrold B. Speers
Secretary of the Senate
103rd Legislature

Sir:

In accordance with Senate Paper 225, Joint Resolution relating to

Portrait of Margaret Chase Smith, the Speaker today appointed the following Members to serve on the Committee created by said Joint Resolution:

Mr. EVANS of Freedom
Mrs. LINCOLN of Bethel
Mrs. CORNELL of Orono

Respectfully,

BERTHA W. JOHNSON
Clerk of the House

Read and ordered placed on file.

**Senate Papers
Appropriations and
Financial Affairs**

Mr. Albair of Aroostook presented.

Bill "An Act Providing Funds for Support of Civil Air Patrol." (S. P. 295)

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

Sent down for concurrence.

Education

Mr. Albair of Aroostook presented

Bill "An Act Providing for Associate Degree in Nursing at Fort Kent and Aroostook State Colleges." (S. P. 296)

Mr. Katz of Kennebec presented

Bill "An Act Changing the Uniform Local Effort Rate in Computing General Education Purpose Aid." (S. P. 297)

Which were referred to the Committee on Education and ordered printed.

Highways

Mr. Ferguson of Oxford presented

Bill "An Act Relating to Revisions of Highway Maintenance and Snow Removal Laws." (S. P. 298)

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Inland Fisheries and Game

Mr. Farley of York presented Bill "An Act Increasing all Resident Fish and Game Licenses." (S. P. 299)

The same Senator presented Bill "An Act to Increase Resident Hunting and Fishing Licenses." (S. P. 300)

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

Sent down for concurrence.

Judiciary

Mr. Mills of Franklin presented Bill "An Act Revising the Laws Relating to Arson." (S. P. 301)

Which was referred to the Committee on Judiciary and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Legal Affairs

Mr. Sewall of Penobscot presented Bill "An Act Relating to Inspection of Dams and Reservoirs." (S. P. 302)

Mr. Hildreth of Cumberland presented Bill "An Act Conferring Additional Powers Upon Proprietors of Union Wharf." (S. P. 303)

Which were referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Liquor Control

Mr. Mills of Franklin presented Bill "An Act Relating to Part-time Liquor Licenses." (S. P. 304)

Which was referred to the Committee on Liquor Control and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Natural Resources

Mr. Ferguson of Oxford presented Bill "An Act Relating to Surface Water Classification." (S. P. 305)

The same Senator presented "Resolve Designating Dresser-Farwell Mountain in Oxford County." (S. P. 306)

Which were referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Sea and Shore Fisheries

Mr. Hildreth of Cumberland presented Bill "An Act Relating to Taking Herring by Use of Artificial Lights." (S. P. 307)

Mr. Young of Hancock presented Bill "An Act Limiting Number of Lobster Traps Per Person." (S. P. 308)

Which were referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

State Government

Mr. Mills of Franklin presented Bill "An Act Increasing the Salaries of Justices and Judges of the Supreme, Superior and District Courts." (S. P. 309)

Mr. Albair of Aroostook presented Bill "An Act Placing State Highway Department Employees on the Merit Service Step System." (S. P. 310)

Mr. Ferguson of Oxford presented Bill "An Act Relating to County Auditing." (S. P. 311)

Which were referred to the Committee on State Government and ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Towns and Counties

Mr. Young of Hancock presented Bill "An Act Increasing Salaries of Certain County Officials of Hancock County." (S. P. 312)

Mr. Mills of Franklin presented Bill "An Act Increasing Payments to Franklin County Law Library." (S. P. 313)

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

Sent down for concurrence.

Order

Mr. Beckett of Washington presented the following order and moved its passage:

ORDERED, the House concurring, that there be paid to John F. Nelson, Representative of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians and to George Francis, Representative of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians from the legislative appropriation the sum of \$100 per month, paid on a monthly basis until the amount authorized for such Representatives by Statute is exhausted.

Read and passed.

Sent down for concurrence.

**House Committee Reports
Ought to Pass**

The Committee on Business Legislation on Bill "An Act Relating to Augusta Mutual Insurance Company." (H. P. 91) (L. D. 120)

Reported that the same ought to pass

Comes from the House, Bill Passed to be Engrossed.

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence and the Bill read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Committee on Election Laws on Bill "An Act relating to Time for Voting on Local Option Questions Under Liquor Laws." (H. P. 57) (L. D. 82)

Reported that the same ought to pass

Comes from House passed to be engrossed as Amended by House Amendment "A" (H-9)

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Ferguson of Oxford the bill was tabled pending first reading.

The Committee on Education on Bill "An Act Relating to Exceptional Children." (H. P. 56) (L. D. 81)

Reported that the same ought to pass.

Comes from the House, Bill passed to be engrossed.

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence and the Bill read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act Relating to Actions of Married Women for Loss of Consortium of Husband." (H. P. 64) (L. D. 89)

Reported that the same ought to pass.

Come from the House Bill passed to be engrossed.

On motion by Mr. Lund of Kennebec tabled pending acceptance of the Committee Report.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act Relating to the Issuance of Temporary Boat Numbers." (H. P. 3) (L. D. 3)

Reported that the same ought to pass.

Comes from the House, Bill passed to be engrossed.

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence, and the Bill read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act to Change the Name of Bridgetown Academy to Bridgton Academy." (H. P. 35) (L. D. 55)

Reported that the same ought to pass.

Comes from the House, Bill passed to be engrossed.

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence and the Bill read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act Relating to Poll Taxes Paid to Prentiss Plantation." (H. P. 40) (L. D. 59)

Reported that the same ought to pass.

Comes from the House, Bill Passed to be Engrossed.

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

Ought to Pass - As Amended

The Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act Relating to the Construction and Assembling of Bombs." (H. P. 108) (L. D. 135)

Reported that the same ought to pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-4)

Comes from the House, Bill Passed to be Engrossed, as amended.

Which report was Read and accepted in concurrence.

The Bill was read once. Committee Amendment "A" was read and adopted in concurrence, and the Bill, as Amended, tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act Relating to Suspension of Motor Vehicle Operator's License by Courts." (H. P. 65) (L. D. 90)

Reported that the same ought to pass As Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-3)

Comes from the House Passed to be Engrossed, as Amended.

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence. The Bill was Read Once. Committee Amendment "A" was read and Adopted in concurrence, and the Bill, as Amended, tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act Increasing Indebtedness of Caribou Hospital District." (Emergency) (H. P. 17) (L. D. 31)

Reported that the same ought To Pass as Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-5).

Comes from the House, Passed to be Engrossed as Amended.

Which report was Read and Accepted in concurrence. The Bill was Read once. Committee Amendment "A" was Read and Adopted in concurrence, and the Bill, as Amended, tomorrow assigned for second reading.

The Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act to Provide a City Council-Manager Charter for the Town of Caribou." (Emergency) (H. P. 39) (L. D. 68)

Reported that the same Ought To Pass As Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-6).

Comes from the House, Passed to be Engrossed as Amended by Committee Amendment "A".

Which report was read and accepted in concurrence. The Bill was Read once, Committee Amendment "A" was Read and Adopted in concurrence, and the Bill, as Amended, was tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Senate Committee Reports Ought to Pass

Mr. Sewall for the Committee on Natural Resources on Bill "An Act Reclassifying Certain Inland Waters of The Kennebec River Basin." (S. P. 116) (L. D. 245)

Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

Which report was read and Accepted, the Bill read once and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Mr. Viles for the Committee on Natural Resources on Resolve,

to Change the Name of Mud Pond, Old Town, to Perch Pond. (S. P. 117) (L. D. 246)

Reported that the same Ought to Pass.

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

Second Readers

The Committee on Bills in the Second Reading Reported the following:

House

Bill "An Act to Allocate Money from the General Highway Fund for State Aid Construction." (Emergency) (H. P. 100) (L. D. 127)

Which was Read A Second Time and Passed to be Engrossed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Permits to Operate Heavy Motor Vehicles in Unorganized Territory." (H. P. 101) (L. D. 128)

Which was Read a Second Time and Passed to be Engrossed in concurrence.

Senate

Bill "An Act Providing for Life Preservers for all Motorboats Operating on Inland Waters." (S. P. 4) (L. D. 7)

Which was Read a Second Time and Passed to be Engrossed in concurrence.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill "An Act Authorizing Appointment of the Commissioner of Agriculture by the Legislature." (S. P. 51) (L. D. 41)

On motion by Mr. Johnson of Somerset the Bill was tabled and specially assigned for Wednesday, February 15th pending passage to be engrossed.

Bill "An Act to Clarify State Aid for School Construction Purposes and Borrowing in Anticipation Thereof." (S. P. 63) (L. D. 107)

Which was Read a Second Time and Passed to be Engrossed, as Amended.

Sent down for concurrence.

Enactor

The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as truly and strictly engrossed, the following Bill "An Act Relating to Open Season on Otter." (S. P. 8) (L. D. 14)

Which was Passed to be Enacted, and having been signed by the President, was by the Secretary presented to the Governor for his approval.

Orders of the Day

On motion by Mr. Katz of Kennebec, the Senate voted to take from the table the 6th tabled and unassigned matter, (S. P. 272) Bill, "An Act Relating to Cutting Timber Near Waters and Highways," which was tabled by that Senator on February 8th pending reference; and on further motion by the same Senator the bill was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources. Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Couturier of Androscoggin, the Senate voted to take from the table the 4th tabled and unassigned matter, (H. P. 392) (L. D. 539) Bill, "An Act

Providing for Paid Holidays for Municipal Employees of the City of Lewiston," which was tabled on February 8th by that Senator pending reference; and on further motion by the same Senator the bill was referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties in non-concurrence. Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Couturier of Androscoggin, the Senate voted to take from the table the 5th tabled and unassigned matter, (H. P. 395) (L. D. 542) Bill, "An Act Relating to Clothing Allowances for Personnel of the Lewiston Police Department," which was tabled by that Senator on February 8th pending reference; and on further motion by the same Senator the bill was referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties in non-concurrence. Sent down for concurrence.

The adjournment order having been received from the House, on motion by Mr. Ross of Piscataquis,

Adjourned until Tuesday, February 14th at ten o'clock in the morning.