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HOUSE

Thursday, March 13, 1969

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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. David K. Montgomery of Belfast.

The journal of yesterday was read and approved.

**Papers from the Senate
Reports of Committees
Ought Not to Pass**

Report of the Committee on Election Laws reporting "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to the Reregistration of Persons who do not Vote in the Presidential Election" (S. P. 204) (L. D. 613)

Came from the Senate read and accepted.

In the House, the Report was read and accepted in concurrence.

Ought to Pass

Report of the Committee on Liquor Control reporting "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Display of Maine Products in State Liquor Stores" (S. P. 148) (L. D. 429)

Report of the Committee on Public Utilities reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to the Charter of the Van Buren Light and Power District" (S. P. 274) (L. D. 912)

Report of the Committee on State Government reporting same on Bill "An Act to Authorize the Chief Medical Examiner to Approve Certain Expenses" (S. P. 177) (L. D. 579)

Came from the Senate with the Reports read and accepted and the Bills passed to be engrossed.

In the House, the Reports were read and accepted in concurrence, the Bills read twice and tomorrow assigned.

**Ought to Pass with
Committee Amendment**

Report of the Committee on Transportation on Bill "An Act relating to Length of Time for Motor Vehicle Instruction Permits" (S. P. 183) (L. D. 585) reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Came from the Senate with the Report read and accepted and the Bill passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A".

In the House, the Report was read and accepted in concurrence and the Bill read twice. Committee Amendment "A" (S-27) was read by the Clerk and adopted in concurrence, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of the Bill.

Divided Report

Majority Report of the Committee on Labor reporting "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to False Statements in Applications for Benefits under the Employment Security Law" (S. P. 225) (L. D. 665)

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs. TANOUS of Penobscot
PEABODY of Aroostook
— of the Senate.

Messrs. HUBER of Rockland
DURGIN of Raymond
HASKELL of Houlton
GOOD of Westfield
BEDARD of Saco
CASEY of Baileyville
— of the House.

Minority Report of same Committee reporting "Ought to pass" on same Bill.

Report was signed by the following members:

Mr. BELIVEAU of Oxford
— of the Senate.
Mr. McTEAGUE of Brunswick
— of the House.

Came from the Senate with the Majority Report accepted.

Reports were read.

On motion of Mr. Huber of Rockland, the Majority "Ought not to pass" Report was accepted in concurrence.

**Non-Concurrent Matter
Tabled and Assigned**

Bill "An Act relating to Allowance for Widows of Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court and the Superior Court" (H. P. 919) (L. D. 1180) which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs in the House on March 5.

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Judiciary in non-concurrence.

In the House: On motion of Mr. Richardson of Cumberland, tabled pending further consideration and specially assigned for tomorrow.

**Petitions, Bills and Resolves
Requiring Reference**

The following Bills, approved by a majority of the Committee on Reference of Bills for appearance on House Calendar, were received and referred to the following Committees:

Education

Bill "An Act to Create a School Administrative District in the Town of Sanford" (H. P. 1065) (Presented by Mr. Gauthier of Sanford)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Health and Institutional Services

Bill "An Act relating to the Treatment of Venereal Disease in Minors without Parental Consent" (H. P. 1066) (Presented by Mr. Santoro of Portland)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Labor

Bill "An Act Revising the Minimum Wage Law" (H. P. 1067) (Presented by Mr. Carey of Waterville)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act Authorizing Municipalities to Voluntarily Consolidate" (H. P. 1068) (Presented by Mr. Lund of Augusta)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

State Government

Bill "An Act relating to Harness and Running Horse Races on Sunday" (H. P. 1069) (Presented by Mr. Rideout of Manchester)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Orders

On motion of Mr. Tyndale of Kennebunkport, it was

ORDERED, that Rev. Robert Vangel of Kennebunkport be invited to officiate as Chaplain of

the House on Tuesday, April 8, 1969.

On motion of Mr. Porter of Lincoln, it was

ORDERED, that Rev. Thomas Caton of Lincoln be invited to officiate as Chaplain of the House on Thursday, March 20, 1969.

**House Reports of Committees
Ought Not to Pass**

Mr. Finemore from the Committee on Transportation reported "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act Regulating the Use of Winterized Tires on Motor Vehicles" (H. P. 790) (L. D. 1023)

Report was read and accepted and sent up for concurrence.

**Ought to Pass
Printed Bills**

Mr. Berman from the Committee on Judiciary reported "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Maine State Prison Minimum Security Unit" (H. P. 435) (L. D. 559)

Mr. Foster from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Funds and Personal Property of Deceased Patients and Inmates of State Institutions" (H. P. 385) (L. D. 495)

Mr. Heselton from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act Tolling Running of Probation Period Pending Determination of Violation" (H. P. 470) (L. D. 607)

Mr. Moreshead from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Minor Children Committed to Private Custody" (H. P. 433) (L. D. 557)

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Disclosure of Information Concerning Patients at State Hospitals and the Pineland Hospital and Training Center" (H. P. 666) (L. D. 853)

Reports were read and accepted, the Bills read twice and tomorrow assigned.

**Ought to Pass with
Committee Amendment**

Mr. Birt from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs on Resolve Providing for

Purchase of Two Hundred Copies of History of Parkman (H. P. 540) (L. D. 719) reported "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-97) submitted therewith.

Mr. Jalbert from same Committee on Resolve Providing for Purchase of Copies of History of Sanford (H. P. 677) (L. D. 876) reported "Ought to pass" as amended by by Committee Amendment "A" (H-98) submitted therewith.

Reports were read and accepted, and the Resolves read once. Committee Amendment "A" to each was read by the Clerk and adopted, and tomorrow assigned for second reading of the Resolves.

The SPEAKER: The Chair will stop deliberations for just a short time because we have distinguished visitors at the rear of the Hall of the House, and the guests particularly of Representative Merle Johnston of Fort Fairfield. Brenda Baker from Lewiston, a housewife and mother of three children, is the Potato Industry's Living Trademark and has been travelling extensively throughout the eastern part of the United States, attending produce luncheons, appearing on radio, TV, visiting with food editors, attending fruit and vegetable conventions, and generally doing an outstanding job of telling the American housewife about Maine potatoes.

The Maine Potato Queen, Miss Kirsten Bell, comes from Caribou, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Bell, and is attending the University of Maine, and she is scheduled to be the Maine Cherry Blossom Princess at the annual Cherry Blossom Festival in Washington, D. C. the week of April the sixth.

The Chair is delighted that these young ladies have been already escorted to the rostrum and I present them to you, ladies and gentlemen of the House. (Applause, the Members rising)

I am sure these young ladies wish to bring you a message, or a greeting at least, and will you assume the rostrum.

Mrs. BRENDA BAKER: Thank you very much. It is indeed my

pleasure as Brenda Baker to be introduced here this morning. I have never had the pleasure before, and I would like to tell you that the bags that you found on your individual desks this morning were the nice Maine russet baking potatoes, the compliments of the Maine Potato Commission; and also to just say that I am real thrilled to be here and I am travelling quite extensively promoting not only Maine potatoes but Maine as well, and that is all of us, isn't it, because of course I am a native too. Thank you very much for having me. (Applause)

Miss KIRSTEN BELL: I too would like to thank the Legislature for this polite invitation this morning, to be introduced to all of you has been a real pleasure, and I would like to thank you for letting me take part in celebrating Maine Potato Week which is March 12 through the 22nd. Thank you very much.

Thereupon, Mrs. Brenda Baker and Miss Kirsten Bell were escorted from the Hall by the Sergeant-at-Arms and Representative Johnston of Fort Fairfield, amid the applause of the House, the Members rising.

Mr. Berman from the Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act Amending Laws Pertaining to the Maine State Prison" (H. P. 667) (L. D. 854) reported "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-95) submitted therewith.

Mr. Heselton from same Committee on Bill "An Act relating to Violations of Law Authorizing Work-Release from County Jails" (H. P. 689) (L. D. 889) reported "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" (H-96) submitted therewith.

Reports were read and accepted, and the Bills read twice. Committee Amendment "A" to each was read by the Clerk and adopted, and tomorrow assigned for third reading of the Bills.

Divided Report Tabled and Assigned

Majority Report of the Committee on Election Laws on Bill "An

Act relating to Application for and Marking of Absentee Ballots" (H. P. 224) (L. D. 274) reporting same in a new draft (H. P. 1064) (L. D. 1233) under title of "An Act relating to Delivery of Absentee Ballots" and that it "Ought to pass"

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs.ANDERSON of Hancock
KATZ of Kennebec
—of the Senate.
Messrs.PORTER of Lincoln
VINCENT of Portland
Mrs. BOUDREAU of Portland
Mr. HENLEY of Norway
— of the House.

Minority Report of same Committee reporting "Ought not to pass" on same Bill.

Report was signed by the following members:

Mr. LETOURNEAU of York
— of the Senate.
Messrs.CARTER of Winslow
MacPHAIL of Owls Head
Mrs. GIROUX of Waterville
— of the House.

Reports were read.

Mr. Porter of Lincoln moved that the House accept the Majority "Ought to pass" in New Draft Report.

Whereupon, on motion of Mr. Levesque of Madawaska, tabled pending the motion of Mr. Porter of Lincoln and specially assigned for Tuesday, March 18.

Divided Report

Majority Report of the Committee on Labor on Bill "An Act relating to Certain Disqualifications under the Employment Security Law" (H. P. 565) (L. D. 746) reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs.PEABODY of Aroostook
TANOUS of Penobscot
BELIVEAU of Oxford
— of the Senate.
Messrs.McTEAGUE of Brunswick
HUBER of Rockland
GOOD of Westfield
BEDARD of Saco
CASEY of Baileyville
— of the House.

Minority Report of same Committee reporting "Ought not to pass" on same Bill.

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs.HASKELL of Houlton
DURGIN of Raymond
— of the House.
Reports were read.

On motion of Mr. Huber of Rockland, the Majority "Ought to pass" Report was accepted and the Bill was read twice.

Committee Amendment "A" (H-94) was read by the Clerk and adopted and the Bill assigned for third reading tomorrow.

Divided Report Tabled and Assigned

Majority Report of the Committee on Transportation reporting "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act Concerning the Riding of Bicycles" (H. P. 789) (L. D. 1022)

Report was signed by the following members:

Mr. REED of Sagadahoc
— of the Senate.
Messrs. LEBEL of Van Buren
KEYTE of Dexter
CAREY of Waterville
IMMONEN of West Paris
— of the House.

Minority Report of same Committee reporting "Ought to pass" on same Bill.

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs.BARNES of Aroostook
GORDON of Cumberland
— of the Senate.
Messrs.CROSBY of Kennebunk
FINEMORE of Bridgewater
— of the House.

Reports were read.

(On motion of Mrs. Payson of Falmouth, tabled pending acceptance of either Report and specially assigned for tomorrow.)

Passed to Be Engrossed

Bill "An Act Authorizing the Attorney General to Seek Dissolution of Certain Corporations" (H. P. 566) (L. D. 843)

Bill "An Act relating to Venue of Certain Corporate Court Actions" (H. P. 657) (L. D. 844)

Bill "An Act relating to Consolidation of Corporations with

Foreign Corporations" (H. P. 658) (L. D. 845)

Bill "An Act relating to Political Committees and Political Advertising" (H. P. 684) (L. D. 883)

Bill "An Act relating to Septic Tank and Cesspool Cleaners" (H. P. 685) (L. D. 884)

Were reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, read the third time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Amended Bills

Bill "An Act relating to Liquors Manufactured or Bottled in Maine" (H. P. 524) (L. D. 695)

Bill "An Act to Increase the Borrowing Capacity of Richmond Utilities District" (H. P. 642) (L. D. 830)

Were reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, read the third time, passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A" and sent to the Senate.

Passed to Be Enacted Emergency Measure

An Act to Increase the Retirement Pay of Certain Retired State Police Sergeants (S. P. 214) (L. D. 623)

Was reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed. This being an emergency measure and a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the House being necessary, a total was taken. 119 voted in favor of same and 2 against, and accordingly the Bill was passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Emergency Measure

An Act relating to the Borrowing Capacity of School Administrative District No. 70 (H. P. 322) (L. D. 409)

Was reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed. This being an emergency measure and a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the House being necessary, a total was taken. 125 voted in favor of same and none against, and accordingly the Bill was

passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Emergency Measure

An Act relating to School Construction Aid in School Administrative District No. 53 (H. P. 515) (L. D. 686)

Was reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed. This being an emergency measure and a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the House being necessary, a total was taken. 124 voted in favor of same and none against, and accordingly the Bill was passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Emergency Measure

An Act relating to Action that may be Taken at School Administrative District Budget Meetings (H. P. 547) (L. D. 726)

Was reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed. This being an emergency measure and a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the House being necessary, a total was taken. 116 voted in favor of same and 4 against, and accordingly the Bill was passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Passed to Be Enacted

An Act Regulating Atlantic Salmon Fishing in Maine Rivers (S. P. 67) (L. D. 189)

An Act relating to the Preparation of Voting Lists (S. P. 205) (L. D. 614)

An Act relating to Amount of Property Held by Coburn Classical Institute (S. P. 244) (L. D. 753)

An Act to Change the Name of Butler Island, Kennebec County, to Paradise Island (H. P. 80) (L. D. 80)

An Act relating to the Chairman of the State Apprenticeship Council (H. P. 352) (L. D. 460)

An Act relating to Time of Sessions of Board of County Commissioners of Washington County (H. P. 361) (L. D. 469)

An Act Providing that Revenues Received in Enforcement of Ele-

vator Law shall be Credited to the General Fund (H. P. 388) (L. D. 498)

An Act relating to Financial Statement Forms for Use in Determining Ability to Pay Support at State Institutions (H. P. 389) (L. D. 499)

An Act relating to Inspection of Motorcycles (H. P. 419) (L. D. 530)

An Act relating to the Maintenance of a Public Building in Rumford (H. P. 450) (L. D. 573)

An Act relating to Election and Duties of Ministers in Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Maine (H. P. 476) (L. D. 630)

An Act relating to Conveyance of Property to Bangor Recreation Center (H. P. 477) (L. D. 631)

An Act relating to Temporary Loans by Counties of Cumberland, Washington and Kennebec (H. P. 492) (L. D. 646)

An Act Repealing Big Squaw Mountain Game Preserve and Amending the Piscataquis and Somerset Game Preserve (H. P. 553) (L. D. 734)

Finally Passed

Resolve Regulating Ice Fishing on Indian, Orange, Rocky and Sunken Lakes in Washington County (H. P. 410) (L. D. 521)

Were reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed, Bills passed to be enacted, Resolve finally passed, all signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Orders of the Day

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

Bill "An Act relating to Taking Smelts for Bait Purposes" (H. P. 235) (L. D. 291)

Tabled—March 11, by Mr. Lewin of Augusta.

Pending—Further consideration.

The SPEAKER: Is it the pleasure of the House to recede and concur?

Whereupon, on motion of Mr. Lewin of Augusta, tabled pending further consideration and specially assigned for Tuesday, March 18.

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

HOUSE REPORT — "Ought to pass" — Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs on Bill "An Act Closing the Military and Naval Children's Home and Disposing of the Property" (H. P. 757) (L. D. 977)

Tabled—March 11, by Mr. Ross of Bath.

Pending—Acceptance.

On motion of Mr. Ross of Bath, tabled pending acceptance of the Report and specially assigned for tomorrow.

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

Bill "An Act relating to Killing Rodents in Orchards" (H. P. 451) (L. D. 588)

Tabled—March 12, by Mr. Jutras of Sanford.

Pending—Passage to be engrossed.

Thereupon, the Bill was passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Sanford, Mr. Jutras.

Mr. JUTRAS: Mr. Speaker, I rise with your permission to make a parliamentary inquiry. Does this body of the Legislature have in its custody S. P. 77, L. D. 235, An Act Appropriating Moneys for Essential Needs at the University of Maine?

The SPEAKER: The answer is in the affirmative, the paper is before the House.

Mr. JUTRAS: Having voted on the prevailing side of L. D. 235, which was passed to be enacted by this House yesterday, I presently move for reconsideration of this action and would like to state my reason therefor.

There was an apparent malfunction or a technical difficulty in recording the vote of all members on this issue, and for that reason it would seem to be appropriate to vote again on the passage of L. D. 235.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman's motion is in order. The gentleman from Sanford, Mr. Jutras, having voted on the prevailing side, now moves that the House reconsider its action of yesterday whereby L.

D. 235 was enacted as an emergency measure. Is the House ready for the question?

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Madawaska, Mr. Levesque.

Mr. LEVESQUE: Mr. Speaker, may I request a two minute recess, please?

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Madawaska requests a recess for two or three minutes. Is this the pleasure of the House?

The motion prevailed and the House recessed for a few minutes.

After Recess

Called to order by the Speaker.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cumberland, Mr. Richardson.

Mr. RICHARDSON: Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House: We have yesterday raised a modest amount of money necessary to give to the new Chancellor's office, to the newly created or expanded University of Maine Board of Trustees, the necessary funds to operate on a reasonable basis for the remainder of this fiscal year. We should not now back up. We should not attempt to kill by indirection the creation of this last Legislature, a bill that was referred to by the Governor of this State as the most significant piece of legislation passed by the 103rd.

You've all heard the arguments time and time again. I simply urge you to vote against reconsideration and when the vote is taken I request that it be taken by the yeas and nays.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Madawaska, Mr. Levesque.

Mr. LEVESQUE: Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House: I hope that the members of the House this morning will take a very deep look into the action taken by this body this morning.

I would hate to think that the members of this House are going to be to a point in our history that we are going to begin all over again to be parochial about things that concern the entire state and all the students that are going for further education. I think the

members of this House this morning know what this document is all about.

As the Majority Floor Leader has just mentioned, a very modest sum of money to get to a walking stage, one of the things that has been sitting on a chair for so long, so it is my hope this morning that you will vote against the motion for reconsideration so that we can get this infant to a walking stage before we say well, you're going to have to sit on the chair again and we will let you walk only later on. So I hope that you will give this due consideration and avoid the parochial part of the matter that seemed to have been in somebody's mind. We are dealing here with the entire higher education of the students of the State of Maine, so I hope that you will bear this in mind when the vote is taken.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Stonington, Mr. Richardson.

Mr. RICHARDSON: Mr. Speaker, I would point out to the gentleman from Madawaska, my very good friend, that this L. D. does not deal with students, it deals with an expense for an office.

I would also point out that the Governor had asked all departments in this State of Maine to cut their expenses by ten percent. What we are doing here is giving a seventy-five percent increase in one year, which has not as yet been proved to my satisfaction that they need it. I think perhaps between now and the first of July a few expenses could be trimmed a little, travel and so forth, so that the \$75,000 would not be needed, and I would certainly hope that this House would go along with reconsideration and then would consider the taxpayers of the State of Maine. Thank you.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Madawaska, Mr. Levesque.

Mr. LEVESQUE: Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House: I think the previous gentleman has fairly well stated the case. The amount of education required by the University of the State of Maine at this point is not an issue before us. I think when that point comes before the Appro-

priations Committee and other delegated Committees to study the matter, they will most likely come up with something that will be reasonable for the people of the State and for the University system, so I think this morning if we don't give a chance to have some kind of a center of activity that these directions can be made, we are not even going to begin anything for furthering what they are trying to do now.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Lewiston, Mr. Jalbert.

Mr. JALBERT: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: I would classify myself at this session as one of the more economy minded members of this body. Very very seldom do I ever take issue with my very very dear friend from Stonington, Mr. Richardson.

In this instance here to mention that the Governor asked a ten percent reduction, as a matter of fact, I think the Appropriations Committee did pretty well, because they cut this item down from \$332,000 to \$75,000. Now I think that's a masterful job of cutting. After all, we have this program and there it is.

Now I might comment to my very very dear friend from the area of Penobscot County and around the Bangor and Orono area that you know there is an old axiom that says sometimes you can't have it all. Now I can remember a few years ago where I put in a piece of legislation, and everybody knows here that it was as dear to my heart as anything that I can think of and still is, concerning vocational education. Through blood and sweat and tears and voting for increased taxation, I wound up going home with a vocational school program, and I woke up three weeks later with the program in Auburn instead of Lewiston. Now if you think that didn't take a little swallowing! I still think about it, and inside I kind of boil a little bit, but there it is and I have stated my position, but that hasn't made me an enemy of vocational education; I've sponsored it and I've worked for it, and I shall continue to do so.

Now this thing needs a majority. I think this is a useless motion in

the first place because we had 101 votes yesterday, it's been enacted, and I would suggest that we go on with the business of the day.

The SPEAKER: Is the House ready for the question? The question before the House is the motion of the gentleman from Sanford, Mr. Jutras, that the House reconsider its action of yesterday whereby this bill "An Act Appropriating Moneys for Essential Needs at the University of Maine, Senate Paper 77, L. D. 235, was passed to be enacted as an emergency measure. The yeas and nays have been requested. For the Chair to order a roll call, it must have the expressed desire of one-fifth of the members present and voting. All of those desiring a roll call will vote yes, those opposed will vote no, and the Chair opens the vote.

More than one fifth having expressed a desire for a roll call, a roll call was ordered.

The SPEAKER: The pending question is the motion of the gentleman from Sanford, Mr. Jutras, that the House reconsider its action of yesterday. All of those in favor of reconsideration will vote yes and those opposed will vote no, and the Chair will open the vote.

ROLL CALL

YEA — Baker, Bedard, Binnette, Bunker, Carey, Carter, Cote, Couture, Crommett, Crosby, Croteau, Cummings, Curtis, Dennett, Donaghy, Dudley, Durgin, Emery, Eustis, Evans, Faucher, Finemore, Foster, Gauthier, Hall, Hanson, Heselton, Hichens, Huber, Hunter, Jameson, Jutras, Kelleher, Kelley, K. F., Keyte, Lewis, Lincoln, Marstaller, McKinnon, McNally, Millett, Mills, Moreshead, Richardson, G. A.; Rocheleau, Scott, G. W.; Shaw, Sheltra, Snow, Soulas, Starbird, Tanguay, Trask, Wight, Wood.

NAY — Barnes, Benson, Bernier, Birt, Boudreau, Bourgoin, Bragdon, Brennan, Brown, Buckley, Burnham, Carrier, Casey, Chandler, Chick, Clark, C. H.; Coffey, Corson, Cottrell, Cox, Cushing, D'Alfonso, Dam, Drigotas, Dyer, Farnham, Fecteau, Fortier, M.; Fraser, Gaudreau, Giroux, Good, Hardy, Harriman, Haskell, Hawk-

ens, Henley, Immonen, Jalbert, Johnston, Kelley, R. P.; Laberge, Lawry, Lebel, Lee, Leibowitz, LePage, Levesque, Lewin, Lund, MacPhail, Martin, McTeague, Meisner, Mitchell, Morgan, Nadeau, Norris, Noyes, Ouellette, Page, Payson, M. W.; Porter, Pratt, Rand, Richardson, H. L.; Rideout, Ross, Sahagian, Santoro, Scott, C. F.; Stillings, Susi, Temple, Thompson, Tyndale, Vincent, Watson, Wheeler, White, Williams.

ABSENT—Allen, Berman, Clark, H. G.; Curran, Danton, Fortier, A. J.; Gilbert, Hewes, Kilroy, Marquis, Mosher, Quimby, Waxman.

Yes, 55; No, 81; Absent, 13.

The SPEAKER: The Chair will announce the vote. 55 having voted in the affirmative and 81 having voted in the negative, the motion to reconsider does not prevail.

The SPEAKER: Under Orders of the Day the Chair would express his appreciation and welcome to a young lady who was absent for one day, and she has rapidly recovered and is back with us, and the Chair understands that this gentlewoman from Topsham now moves that the House adjourn until nine o'clock tomorrow morning. Is this the pleasure of the House?

The motion prevailed on motion of Mrs. Coffey of Topsham, amid applause, the Members rising.