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Legislative Record

OF THE

Seventy-Sixth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1913

HOUSE.

Monday, March 10, 1913.

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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Phelan of Augusta.

Mr. SMITH of Patten: Mr. Speaker, I desire to make a statement for the purpose of correcting in a slight degree the Legislative Record of March 7th. In the course of the debate in regard to the emergency clause for the Bar Harbor automobile bill, found on Page 714, my remark in reply to the gentleman from Phillips, Mr. Austin, is made to read as follows: "I cannot let the statement of the gentleman from Phillips go unchallenged. Any lawyer will know that we have the right to read any language into the Constitution of this State." It should read: "Any lawyer will know that we have no right to read any language into the Constitution of this State," a typographical error using the word "the" instead of "no"; and I ask to have this correction made.

There being no objection, the correction was ordered to be made accordingly.

Journal of previous session read and approved as amended.

Papers from the Senate disposed of in concurrence.

From the Senate: Order in relation to appointing a committee from both branches of the Legislature to consider the matter of Bangor & Aroostook Railroad strike.

In the House this order was read and passed, and came from the Senate in that branch indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

Mr. Irving of Caribou moved that the order be laid upon the table pending concurrent action.

The motion was agreed to.

Senate Bills on First Reading.

An Act to further enable the Sebago Lake, Songo River & Bay of Naples Steamboat Company to construct and maintain wharves along its route, in the county of Cumberland.

Resolve in aid of navigation on Sebago Lake.

The following bills, petitions, etc., were presented and referred:

Judiciary.

By Mr. Morse of Rumford: Petition of E. F. Taylor and 72 others of Rumford in favor of Senate Bill No. 165, providing for workmen's compensation.

By Mr. Keller of Waterville: Petition of M. E. Hunt and 113 others of Waterville, in favor of same.

By Mr. Leader of Lewiston: Petition of L. O. Chabot and 226 others of Lewiston in favor of same.

By Mr. Bass of Wilton: Petition of E. J. Dakin and 62 others of Wilton and North Jay in favor of same.

By Mr. Quinn of Millinocket: Petition of John E. Marshall and 20 others of East Millinocket in favor of same.

By Mr. Eldridge of Gardiner: Petition of F. O. Stevens and 24 others of Gardiner and Hallowell in favor of the same.

By Mr. Descoteaux of Biddeford: Petition of Joseph Lepage and 158 others of Biddeford and Saco in favor of same.

Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

By Mr. Higgins of Brewer: An Act to amend Section 51 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes, relating to investigations of fires and inspection of buildings.

Placed on File.

By Mr. Peaks of Dover: Petition of Alton L. Carr and 15 others of Sangerville in favor of teacher's pension bill; also petition of Adelbert C. Rogers and 21 others of Greenville in favor of same; also petition of Willis E. Parsons and 145 others of Foxcroft in favor of same.

Education.

By Mr. Brennan of St. George: Petition of M. I. Hawes of St. George and 10 others in favor of distribution of State school fund according to aggregate attendance in common schools; also resolution of Ocean View Grange of Martinsville in favor of same.

By Mr. Jones of China: Petition of C. M. Fassett of Pittston and 25 others in favor of same.

By Mr. Winchenbaugh of Waldoboro: Petition of L. N. Walter and 11 others of Waldoboro in favor of same;

also resolution of Maple Grange of Waldoboro in favor of same.

By Mr. Hodsdon of North Yarmouth: Resolution of Yarmouth Grange of Yarmouth in favor of same.

By Mr. Benton of Parsonsfield: Resolution of Cornish Grange of Cornish in favor of same.

By Mr. Jones of China: Resolution of Windsor Grange of Windsor in favor of same; also resolution of Pittston Grange of Pittston in favor of same.

By Mr. Eastman of Benton: Resolution of Albion Grange of Albion in favor of same; also petition of E. R. Tilton of Albion and 9 others in favor of same.

By Mr. Allen of Machias: Resolution of Machias Valley Grange of Machias in favor of same; also petition of S. W. Hill and 21 others of Machias in favor of same.

By Mr. Packard of Newburg: Resolution of Plymouth Grange of Plymouth in favor of same; also resolution of Pleasant Lake Grange of Stetson in favor of same; also resolution of Minerva Grange of Levant in favor of same.

By Mr. Libby of Scarboro: Resolution of North Scarboro Grange of Scarboro in favor of same.

By Mr. Chick of Monmouth: Resolution of Winthrop Grange of Winthrop in favor of same; also petition of E. T. Clifford and 80 other of Winthrop in favor of same.

By Mr. Morrison of Corinth: Resolution of Charleston Grange of Charleston in favor of same; also resolution of Mystic Tie Grange of Kenduskeag in favor of same; also petition of A. R. Clark and 11 others of Kenduskeag in favor of same; also petition of Frank F. Blackmore and 13 others of Charleston in favor of same.

By Mr. Estes of Troy: Resolution of Dirigo Grange of Freedom in favor of same; also petition of B. F. Foster and 7 others of Freedom in favor of same.

By Mr. Jones of China: Petition of F. B. Colburn and 10 others of Windsor in favor of same.

By same gentleman: Remonstrance of S. K. Fuller and 25 others against

any change of method of apportionment of State common school fund as recommended by legislative committee to inquire into same; also remonstrance of Charles E. Warren and 14 others against same; also remonstrance of Edwin H. Carrow and 22 others against same.

By Mr. Eastman of Benton: Remonstrance of John H. Bailey and 24 others against same.

Agriculture.

By Mr. Pitcher of Northport: Petition of W. S. Shibbes and 25 others against Senate Bill, No. 379, An Act to regulate the packing, shipping and sale of apples.

Public Health.

By Mr. Morse of Rumford: An Act to prohibit the use of common drinking cups.

Labor.

By Mr. Descoteaux of Biddeford: An Act to constitute nine hours a day's work for public employes.

Reports of Committees.

Mr. Smith of Auburn from the committee on judiciary, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to correct and protect helpless, neglected and offending children, to be known as the "Children's Act."

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to amend Chapter 369 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, entitled "An Act to grant certain powers to the Hancock Trustees of Public Reservations."

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to amend Chapter 429 of the Private and Special Laws of 1901 entitled "An Act to establish a municipal court in the town of Winthrop."

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to repeal an Act to provide for the use of uniform ballot boxes, for the preservation of ballots cast at elections and to provide for returns from said elections.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to amend an Act to in-

incorporate the city of Auburn, approved February 12 in the year of our Lord 1868.

Mr. Sanborn from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to create the Auburn Cemetery District.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to regulate the rates to be charged to consumers of gas by municipal light and power companies.

Mr. Smith of Patten, from the same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to incorporate an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Great Moose Lake Power Co.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act relating to an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of Old Town."

Mr. Durgin from the same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to extend and amend the charter of the Lubec, East Machias and Machias Railway Company.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to prohibit unfair competition and discrimination and defining the powers and duties of the attorney general in regard thereto.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to authorize the inhabitants of the town of Islesboro and their assigns to erect, extend and maintain a public wharf into the tide-waters of Gilkey's Harbor in said town of Islesboro.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to authorize the county commissioners of Oxford county and the municipal officers of the town of Rumford to provide a building at Rumford for county court, and municipal purposes.

Mr. Connors from the committee on legal affairs, on bill, an Act for the prevention and obtaining charity by false representations, reported legislation thereon inexpedient.

Mr. Peaks from the same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, an Act to amend Chapter 163 of the Public Laws of 1905, as amended

by Chapter 29 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to taxing soldiers and sailors.

Mr. Chick from the committee on education, on bill, an Act to provide for instruction in thrift and economy in the public schools, reported legislation thereon inexpedient.

Mr. Clark of Portland from the committee on inland fisheries and game, on bill, an Act to amend Chapter 407 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to ice fishing in Lake George, in Canaan, Somerset county, reported that the subject matter is covered in the general revision bill to be reported in a manner satisfactory to the parties interested, and that this bill be placed on file.

Same gentleman from same committee, on bill, an Act to regulate fishing in Lovewell's Pond, so-called, in Fryeburg, reported that the same be placed on file as the subject matter is covered in the general revision bill to be reported.

Same gentleman from same committee, on bill, an Act to regulate fishing in York Pond, in York county, and Elliott, in York county, reported that the same be placed on file as the subject matter has been incorporated in the general revision bill.

Same gentleman from same committee, on petition of A. H. Wakefield and 17 others relating to fishing in large side of Rattlesnake Pond and its tributaries in Brownfield, reported that the same be placed on file as the subject matter has been incorporated in general revision to be reported.

Same gentleman from same committee, on bill, an Act to close Androscoggin Lake in Wayne, Kennebec county, and in Leeds, Androscoggin county, to all ice fishing, with petitions for same, reported that the same be placed on file as the subject matter has been incorporated in the general revision bill to be reported.

Same gentleman from same committee, on bill, An Act authorizing ice fishing in Roxbury pond, Oxford county, with petition for same, relating to tributaries to said pond, reported that the same be placed on file as the subject matter is covered by the general revision bill to be reported.

Same gentleman from same committee on petition of H. A. Hasey and 13 others, residents of St. Francis, Aroostook county, relating to fishing in Nigger Brook, Grand and Fall Brook lakes, reported that the petitioners had leave to withdraw as the subject matter of said petition is covered by the general revision bill to be reported.

Same gentleman from same committee, on petition of Edwin McGray and six others of Blaine, relating to fishing in Whitehead lake in Bridgewater, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw as the subject matter of said petition is covered by the general revision bill to be reported.

Mr. Morrison from the committee on ways and bridges, on petition of John S. Stevens and 49 others in favor of State highway commissioner designating State roads, reported that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

Same gentleman from same committee, on order of the Legislature to inquire into the expediency of empowering towns to form union highway districts, reported legislation thereon inexpedient.

Same gentleman from same committee, on bill, An Act amendatory of and additional to Section 66 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to improved condition of highways and better facilities for public travel, reported that the same "ought not to pass."

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, An Act repealing Chapter 29 of the Private and Special Laws of 1842, Chapter 26 of the Private and Special Laws of 1861, relating to Bull Rock bridge over New Meadows river.

Same gentleman from same committee, on bill, An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, relating to ways, reported that the same be referred to the committee on legal affairs.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on resolve in favor of Annie L. Bassett.

Same gentleman from same committee, on communication from Frank L. Robinson, in regard to keeping highways free from rolling stones, reported legislation thereon inexpedient.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, An

Act to amend the motor vehicle laws of 1911.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on resolve in aid of the Carry road, in Oxford county.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on resolve in favor of Ephriam C. Baldi, with statement of facts.

Mr. Irving from the committee on taxation, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, An Act to provide for the taxation of national bank deposits.

Mr. Morse from the same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on resolve for an amendment to the Constitution providing for local option in taxation.

Mr. Sturgis from the Androscoggin county delegation, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, An Act to establish in Androscoggin county a county farm for inebriates.

Mr. Smith of Presque Isle, from the committee on judiciary, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, An Act to amend Chapter 4, Section 71, of the Revised Statutes of 1903.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on bill, An Act to amend Chapter 106 of the Laws of 1911, entitled "An Act relating to condemnation proceedings of land for public purposes."

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought not to pass" on resolve annulling a resolution of the Legislature of the State of Maine passed at its regular session of 1911, the same being Chapter 215 of the Resolves of 1911.

The reports were accepted.

Mr. Waterhouse from the committee on judiciary, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" bill, An Act to incorporate the Sullivan-Sorrento Electric Light & Power Company.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" bill, An Act to amend the charter of the Central Maine Power Company.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act to extend and amend the charter of the Brewer Water Company.

Mr. Smith of Patten from the same committee, reported in a new draft and

"ought to pass" bill, An Act to incorporate the Kingman Telephone Company.

Mr. Waterhouse from the same committee, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" bill, An Act to regulate the practice of the profession of public accountant.

Mr. Smith of Auburn from the same committee, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act to amend Chapter 220 of the Private and Special Laws of 1867 entitled "An Act to unite the Maine Baptist Convention and the Maine Baptist Missionary Convention."

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act to extend the charter of the Lubec, East Machias and Machias Railway Company.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" bill, An Act to amend Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes, relating to boards of registration.

Mr. Connors from the committee on legal affairs, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" bill, An Act to renew and extend the charter of the Androscoggin Valley Railroad Company.

Mr. Peaks from the committee on military affairs, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" on resolve in favor of an appropriation to complete the historical record of Maine men serving in the United States Navy during the war for the suppression of the Rebellion from 1861 to 1865.

Mr. Higgins from the committee on mercantile affairs and insurance, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" bill, An Act relating to rebating and twisting life, personal, accident and health insurance.

Mr. Durgin from the committee on judiciary, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act to authorize the extension of a wharf into tidewaters in the town of Lubec, county of Washington.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act to extend the rights, powers and privileges of the Barrows Falls Light & Power Company.

Mr. Smith of Patten from same committee, reported "ought to pass"

on bill, An Act to amend Chapter 173 of the Private and Special Laws of 1887, relating to the Cornish Village Improvement Society, and to make valid the organization of said society.

Mr. Morrison from the committee on ways and bridges, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" resolve in favor of aid for bridge between Madawaska, Maine, and Edmundston, New Brunswick. (200 extra copies ordered printed on motion by Mr. Franck of St. Agatha.)

Same gentleman from same committee, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" resolve in favor of aid in repair of highway in the town of Grafton.

Same gentleman from same committee, reported in a new draft and "ought to pass" resolve in favor of aid in constructing bridge in the town of Milo.

The reports were accepted and the several bills and resolves ordered printed under the joint rules.

Mr. Smith of Presque Isle, from the committee on judiciary, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act relating to the compulsory assignment of real estate mortgages under certain circumstances.

Mr. Smith of Auburn from the same committee, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act to amend the primary election law and reduce the number of ballots required to be printed.

Mr. Waterhouse from the same committee, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act to extend the provisions of Chapter 315 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, being An Act to incorporate the Penobscot Bay Water Company, as extended and amended by Chapter 255 of the Private and Special Laws of 1911, to March 20, 1915.

Mr. Sanborn from the same committee, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act to amend Section 9 of the Special Laws of 1863, relating to the city of Portland.

Same gentleman from the same committee, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act additional to Chapter 181 of the Laws of 1911 entitled "An Act to establish in Cumberland county a county farm."

Mr. Maxwell from the committee on public health, reported "ought to pass" on bill, An Act requiring the report of the State Board of Health of certain occupational diseases due to poisoning or other causes.

The reports were accepted, and the several bills having been already printed received their first and second readings and were assigned for tomorrow morning for their third reading.

First Reading of Printed Bills and Resolves.

An Act to revise the charter of the city of Eastport.

An Act additional to Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the transfer of actions and other matters to the law court in case of the death of the presiding justice.

An Act to authorize Hernando E. Allen to erect a wharf in tide-waters at Starboard in the town of Machiasport.

An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the Kennebec County Agricultural Society.

An Act for the improvement of the streets.

An Act to authorize the towns of Mexico and Rumford, in the county of Oxford, to purchase the toll bridge between said towns erected and owned by the Mexico Bridge Company.

An Act relative to the sealing of milk bottles and jars.

An Act to amend Chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 46 of the Public Laws of 1907, and Chapters 70 and 257 of the Public Laws of 1909, and Chapters 55, 118 and 143 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the issuing of age and schooling certificates.

An Act relative to weights and measures.

An Act to amend Sections 41, 42, 43 and 44 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to the employment of superintendents of towns comprising school unions.

An Act to authorize the Calais Street Railway Company to sell electricity.

Resolve in favor of the Maine School for Feeble Minded.

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Resolve in favor of Jotham Stevens of Embden.

Resolve in favor of the town of Belmont.

Resolve in favor of repairing highway in the town of Somerville.

Resolve in favor of repairing bridge in the town of Amity.

Resolve for the further public instruction in forestry.

Resolve to determine the ownership, location and value of islands along the Maine coast.

Resolve providing for an appropriation for the protection of trees and shrubs from the introduction and ravages of the Gypsy moth.

Resolve in favor of unpaid bills on the Van Buren bridge.

Resolve in favor of aid in reconstructing bridge in the town of Verona.

Resolve in favor of aid in repairing the Lake road, in Oxford county.

Passed to Be Engrossed.

An Act relating to the jurisdiction of the superior court in the county of Kennebec, and to fix the salary of the judge thereof.

An Act to make valid the organization of the Pepperell Association of Kiltery, Maine, under Chapter 57 of the Chapter 57 of the Revised Statutes of 1907.

An Act in relation to Boards of Registration of voters.

An Act to amend the charter and extend the rights of the Goodall Worst-ed Company.

An Act amending and correcting the limits of the Maine forestry district.

An Act to incorporate the Washington County Light & Power Company.

An Act to extend the charter of the Farmington & Augusta Railroad Company.

An Act to change the name of the town of Eden to the town of Bar Harbor.

An Act to amend Chapter 215 of the Resolves of the State of Maine enacted in the year 1897, as amended by

Chapter 108 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, relating to tuition to students in agriculture at the University of Maine.

An Act to amend Section 3, Chapter 162 of the Public Laws of 1905, entitled An Act enlarging the duties and fixing the compensation of the attorney general.

An Act to revive the charter of the Shawmut Water Company.

An Act relating to Good Templars' hall in Dexter.

An Act to ratify the organization and amend the charter of the Hiram Water, Light & Power Company. (Tabled pending third reading on motion by Mr. Goodwin of Mexico.)

An Act to incorporate the Harrison Water Company. (Tabled pending third reading on motion by Mr. Morse of Rumford.)

An Act to amend Section 5, Chapter 113, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Maine, relating to personal property bargained and delivered to another, which shall remain the property of the seller till paid for.

An Act to restrict and regulate private banking.

An Act to incorporate the Brownfield Electric Company.

An Act to amend Section 4 of Chapter 73 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to the better protection of the people of the State of Maine from the disease known as tuberculosis.

An Act granting the Penobscot tribe of Indians the right to establish and maintain a ferry between Indian Island, so called, and the city of Old Town.

Resolve in favor of the town of Forest City.

Resolve in favor of the Maine State Agricultural Society and repealing resolves in favor of said society.

Resolve in favor of the town of Hermon.

Resolve in favor of the town of Milo.

Resolve in favor of the Penobscot tribe of Indians.

Passed to Be Enacted.

An Act to incorporate the Lincoln Sewerage Company.

An Act to amend Sections 80 and 81 of Chapter 52 of the Revised Statutes, relating to provisions for safety in the man-

agement and operation of steam railroads.

An Act to amend Chapter 100 of the Private and Special Laws of 1891 as amended by Chapter 506 of the Private and Special Laws of 1893, relating to drains and common sewers in the city of Rockland.

An Act to incorporate the Rockland Public Utilities District.

An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 353 of the Private and Special Laws of 1905, relating to Wiscasset bridge.

An Act to incorporate the Capitol Island Village Corporation.

An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the administration of oaths required by the courts of probate.

An Act to extend and amend the charter of the Eastern Maine Railroad.

An Act to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 153 of the Public Laws of 1911, relating to the annual examination of savings banks and trust companies.

An Act to extend the charter of the Matagamon Tow Boat Company.

An Act to create the Royal River Manufacturing Company.

An Act to set off the town of Isle au Haut in the county of Hancock and annex the same to the county of Knox.

An Act conferring equity jurisdiction upon the supreme judicial court to hear and determine property matters between husband and wife and wife and husband.

An Act to amend Section 55 of Chapter 49 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the enforcement of a mortgagee's lien for insurance.

An Act changing the name of Gregory Sanitorium at Boothbay Harbor to St. Andrew Hospital.

An Act authorizing the town of St. George to restrict the taking of clams within the limits of said town to the inhabitants thereof.

An Act to incorporate the Matt-wamkeag Water Company.

An Act to incorporate the Kennebec Gas & Fuel Company.

An Act to incorporate the Rumford Chamber of Commerce.

Finally Passed.

Resolve for aid in building a highway bridge across Crooked River be-

tween the towns of Naples and Casco, county of Cumberland.

Resolve in favor of the Farmington State Normal School for furnishings and equipment for a dormitory.

Resolve to reimburse the city of Waterville for money expended for support of State paupers.

Resolve in favor of the city of Saco for money expended in investigation of incendiary fires.

Resolve for the improvement of the State Park on the easterly side of State street.

Resolve in favor of the Western State Normal School at Gorham for permanent repairs and improvements.

Resolve relating to the publication of "The Beginnings of Colonial Maine."

Resolve in favor of Grenville M. Donham for 400 copies of Maine State Year Book and Legislative Manual.

Resolve in favor of John M. Deering for services as secretary of the Maine Cattle Commission.

Resolve to authorize and provide for the purchase of the history of the town of Garland.

Resolve for aid in repairing the roadway leading from the town of Greenville to Lily Bay bridge, in the county of Piscataquis.

Orders of the Day.

On motion by Mr. Sargent of Portland, House Document No. 418, bill, An Act to raise revenue for the support of the State by the levy and collection of a tax on incomes, was taken from the table, and on further motion by Mr. Sargent the bill was referred to the committee on taxation.

On motion by Mr. Sargent of Portland, House Document No. 419, bill, An Act to amend sub-Section 2 of Section 6 of Chapter 9 of the Revised Statutes, relating to exemption of

property from taxation, was taken from the table, and on further motion by Mr. Sargent the bill was referred to the committee on taxation.

On motion by Mr. Plummer of Lisbon, Senate Document No. 395, bill, An Act to punish the making or use of false statements to obtain property or credit, was taken from the table, and on further motion by Mr. Plummer the bill received its third reading and was passed to be engrossed.

On motion by Mr. Plummer of Lisbon, the report of the committee on judiciary, reporting "ought not to pass" on bill, An Act to permit the election of town officers by secret ballot, was taken from the table, and on further motion by Mr. Plummer the report of the committee was accepted.

The SPEAKER: The Chair will lay before the House under unfinished business, the motion of the gentleman from Lisbon, Mr. Plummer, to reconsider the vote whereby the bill, An Act for the better regulation of the practise of dentistry and to re-organize the Board of Dental Examiners was passed to be engrossed.

Mr. PLUMMER: Mr. Speaker, I understand there are several of the members who are not present at this time and who are interested in this matter, and if the House is willing I should be glad to have the matter again laid upon the table and assigned for tomorrow.

Mr. Pendleton of Searsport moved that the matter be laid upon the table and specially assigned for consideration, Wednesday, of this week.

The motion was agreed to.

On motion by Mr. Elliott of Thomaston, Adjourned.