

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Record

OF THE

Seventy-Seventh Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1915

HOUSE.

Tuesday, January 26, 1915.

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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Wright of Gardiner.

Journal of previous session read and approved.

Papers from the Senate disposed of in concurrence.

The following bills, petitions, etc., were presented and, on recommendation of the committee on reference of bills, were referred to the following committees:

Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

By Mr. Clifford of Lewiston: Resolve in favor of the Girls' Orphanage of Lewiston, with statement of facts.

By Mr. Haraden of Bath: Resolve in favor of the People's Ferry Company for maintenance.

Inland Fisheries and Game.

By Mr. Chadbourne of Baldwin: Petition of Philip F. Decormier and 34 others from the town of Standish relating to the taking of black bass in Sebago Lake.

By Mr. Snow of Mars Hill: An Act to amend Section two of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 206 of the Public Laws of 1913, relating to fishing in a portion of Presque Isle Stream and certain tributaries to said stream in the county of Aroostook.

By the same gentleman: Petitions of R. T. Snow, W. C. McLeod, E. M. Fulton, Linwood L. Taylor, J. H. Farley and A. O. Nutter and 206 others, residents of Aroostook county, asking that Presque Isle Stream and its tributaries, in Aroostook county, be opened to fishing under the general law.

Legal Affairs.

By Mr. Plummer of Lisbon: An Act to authorize the town of Lisbon to supply gas and electricity.

Taxation.

By Mr. Plummer of Lisbon: An Act

increasing the amount of exemption from taxation on musical instruments.

Ways and Bridges.

By Mr. Benn of Hodgdon: Resolve in favor of improving a section of the old "Military Road" in the town of Hodgdon, with statement of facts.

By Mr. Welch of Machiasport: Resolve in favor of Machiasport and East Machias Bridge, with statement of facts.

Orders.

On motion by Mr. Descoteaux of Biddeford, it was

Ordered, That 500 extra copies of House Bill No. 2, entitled "An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors," be printed.

The order received a passage.

Orders of the Day.

On motion by Mr. Plummer of Lisbon, bill, An Act to provide for conducting scientific investigations bearing upon the agriculture of Aroostook county, was taken from the table, and on further motion by the same gentleman the bill was referred to the committee on agriculture.

On motion by Mr. Plummer of Lisbon, resolve for the completion of the purchase of the farm and the erection of buildings thereon of the farm purchased under the provisions of Chapter 190 of the Private and Special Laws of 1913, for the purpose of scientific investigations in agriculture in Aroostook county, with statement of facts, was taken from the table, and on further motion by the same gentleman the resolve was referred to the committee on agriculture.

On motion by Mr. Ricker of Castine, the report of the joint special committee on salaries and fees of the 76th Legislature, was taken from the table, and on further motion by the same gentleman the report was referred to the committee on salaries and fees.

On motion by Mr. Newell of Turner, Adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.