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ERRATA:

**The following errata are
inserted because one or more pages
in this session day have errors
noticed and corrected here.**

ERRATA

Page 154, column	1, line 17, for Chapter "199" read "198."
" 163, "	2, after order by Mr. Winter, read "Tabled on motion of Mr. Buzzell of Belfast."
" 174, "	1, line 8, for "Lewiston" read "Rockland."
" 194, "	1, " 24, for "Sewall" read "Newall."
" 197, "	2, " 50, for "insurance" read "issuance."
" 267, "	2, " second Act referred to Inland Fisheries and Game was referred to Judiciary Committee.
" 305, "	1, " 42, for "Boys" read "Girls."
" 305, "	1, " 45, "H. 169" should read "H. 165."
" 511, "	2, " 2, for "H. 106" read "H. 160."
" 586, "	1, " 13, for "St. Albans" read "St. Agatha."
" 591, "	2, " 23, for "1919" read "1909."
" 602, "	2, " 12, for "enacted" read "engrossed."
" 617, "	1, " 46, for "322" read "332."
" 650, "	2, " 31, for "H. 336" read "H. 366."
" 662, "	2, " 26, for "Barrington" read "Harrington."
" 692, "	2, " 35, for "H. 236" read "H. 336."
" 694, "	1, " 2, for "S. 154" read "S. 155."
" 716, "	2, " 3, for "Mr. Perham" read "Mr. Bragdon of Perham."
" 772, "	1, " 24, for "same" read "Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs."
" 869, "	1, " 50, insert "Finally passed."
" 902, "	1, " 24, for "Clark" read "Barton."
" 902, "	1, " 40, for "S. 185" read "S. 184."
" 928, "	1, " 51, for "343" read "243."
" 949, "	1, " 43, for "Merton's" read "Martin's."
" 954, "	1, " 44, insert "ought not to pass."
" 958, "	2, " 20, for "179" read "181."
" 958, "	2, " 28, for "178" read "179."
" 967, "	2, " 49, for "S. D. 198" read "S. D. 180."
" 981, "	2, " 10, for "\$300" read "\$300,000."
" 1000, "	2, " 47, for "Portland" read "Biddeford."
" 1005, "	2, " 42, for "salaries" read "selection."
" 1142, "	1, " 40, for "H. D. 465" read "H. D. 456."
" 1169, "	2, " 2, for "Fogg" read "Forbes."
" 1191, "	2, lines 3 and 11, for "engrossed" read "enacted."
" 1191, "	2, line 20, for "finally passed" read "passed to be enacted."
" 1191, "	2, lines 31, 40, 48, for "engrossed" read "finally passed."
" 1211, "	2, " 12 and 13, "National Guard" should read "Nash and Viles."
" 1280, "	1, line 14, for "bald" read "bomb."
" 1321, "	1, " 35, for "lighting Long and Big Lakes" read "Lewy, Long and Big Lakes."
" 1373, "	2, " 42, for "Arthur B. Forbes" read "Arthur E. Forbes."
" 1376, "	2, " 14, for "S. D. 161" read "S. D. 167."
" 1409, "	2, " 36, for "Chapter 178" read "Chapter 238."

SENATE

Wednesday, February 16, 1921.

Senate called to order by the President pro tempore.

Prayer by Rev. A. Francis Walch of Augusta.

Journal of previous session read and approved.

Papers from the House disposed of in concurrence.

From the House: An Act to increase the bounty on bears.

The committee on inland fisheries and game reported this bill ought not to pass. In the House the bill was recommitted to the committee.

In the Senate on motion by Mr. Thombs of Penobscot the bill was recommitted to the committee in concurrence.

House Bills in First Reading

An Act to amend Section 4 and 6 of Chapter 262 of the Public Laws of 1917, relating to the fees of city clerks. (Tabled, on motion by Mr. Thompson of Knox, pending acceptance of report of committee.)

House 94. An Act granting to J. Fred Sawyer of Greenville, Piscataquis county, Maine, so much of the bed of Moosehead Lake as is necessary for the support of his building in said Greenville.

House 98. An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 99 of the Private and Special Laws of 1915, creating the office of corporation counsel of the city of Portland.

House 101. An Act to extend an Act entitled "An act to incorporate the Odd Fellows' Home of Maine."

House 102. An Act to repeal acts incorporating the town of Concord.

House 104. An Act to amend Section 61 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 104 of the Public Laws of 1919, relative to the Maine Forestry District Tax.

House 97.—Resolve in favor of the town of St. George for the payment of additional school funds for the year 1917.

From the House: Resolve in favor of the widow of Governor Parkhurst.

In the House under suspension of the rules this resolve was read twice and passed to be engrossed. In the Senate upon motion by Mr. Emerson of Aroostook it was tabled, and then referred to the committee on appropriations and financial affairs, and sent down for concurrence.

The House insisted upon its former action and asked for a committee of conference.

Mr. EMERSON of Aroostook: Mr. President, some days ago I tabled this resolve, by request, and later referred it to the committee on appropriation and financial affairs, by request. There seems to have been some slight misunderstanding which has been cleared up. I now move that the Senate recede from its former action.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. EMERSON: If in order, Mr. President, I now move that we concur with the House.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore: The Chair rules that it is in order.

Mr. EMERSON: Mr. President, I move that the rules be suspended and the resolve given its two readings, in concurrence.

The motion was agreed to, the resolve given its two readings, and then passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

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

Agriculture

By Mr. Babb of Cumberland: Petition of Dana E. Ayer and 52 others in favor of the law on standardization of milk.

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

By Mr. Morison of Penobscot: Resolve in favor of the Penobscot tribe of Indians for the general care, maintenance and education thereof.

By Mr. Thompson of Knox: Resolve in favor of the General Knox Chapter, Daughters of the American Rev-

olution, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Maine and located at Thomaston, in said State.

By Mr. Thompson of Knox: Resolve providing for hospital treatment at the Knox County General Hospital in Lewiston for persons who are in need of the same and are unable to pay for it.

By Mr. Parent of Androscoggin: Resolve in favor of the President and Trustees of Bates College.

By Mr. Putnam of Washington: Petition of Governor, Lieut. Governor and Councillors of that part of the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians located at Pleasant Point asking for various appropriations for maintenance.

By the same Senator: Petition of Nicholas Newall and 60 others of the Passamaquoddy Indians at Peter Dana's Point requesting various appropriations for maintaining that part of the Passamaquoddy Tribe located at Peter Dana's Point.

Interior Water

By Mr. Babb of Cumberland: Resolve making an appropriation in aid of navigation on Sebago lake, Songo river, Bay of Naples, Chute's river and Long lake in Cumberland county.

Judiciary

By Mr. Stevens of York: Petition of Alex A. Johnson and 69 others; of Herbert Tilden and 45 others, protesting against the passage of House Bill No. 28, known as the Barwise Sunday Bill.

By Mr. Babb of Cumberland: Remonstrance of Rev. R. L. Leard and 15 others of Falmouth, against the passage of the Barwise Sunday Bill.

By Mr. Gould of Aroostook: Remonstrance of J. A. Gregory and 157 others of Presque Isle, against the passage of the Barwise Sunday Bill.

Mr. Allen of York: Petition of George N. Brock of Waterboro and 47 others against the passage of the Barwise Sunday Bill.

By the same Senator: Petition of Charles E. Brooks of Saco and 80 others against the passage of the Barwise Sunday Bill.

By Mr. Sprague of Piscataquis: Remonstrance of Rev. C. A. Kinney and 47 others of Parkman against the Barwise Sunday Bill.

By Mr. Tuttle of Aroostook: Remonstrance of the United Baptist Church of Caribou against a bill known as the Barwise Bill liberalizing the law relating to the observance of the Lord's Day.

By the same Senator: Remonstrance of the Caribou Methodist Church against the bill known as the Barwise Bill liberalizing the law relating to the observance of the Lord's Day.

By Mr. Spencer of York: Remonstrance of Edward F. Gowell and 36 others of Berwick against the passage of the Barwise Sunday Bill.

By the same Senator: Remonstrance of Guy Tarbox and 32 others of Buxton against the passage of the Barwise Sunday Bill.

By the same Senator: Remonstrance of James H. Downs and 45 others of Berwick against the passage of the Barwise Sunday Bill.

By Mr. Putnam of Washington: Petition of A. D. McFaul and 19 others regarding an act to establish Washington county municipal court.

By Mr. Parent of Androscoggin: An Act to amend the charter of the city of Lewiston and to provide for a city auditor.

By Mr. Parent of Androscoggin: An Act to amend the charter of the city of Lewiston relating to the office of city clerk.

Legal Affairs

By Mr. Babb of Cumberland: An Act to amend the charter of the Northern Cumberland municipal court.

Military Affairs

By Mr. Cobb of Kennebec: Resolve to grant bonuses to the soldiers of the Spanish War.

Pensions

By Mr. Cobb of Kennebec: Resolve in favor of Harry J. Bean of Augusta, Kennebec county, Maine.

Public Utilities

By Mr. Thompson of Knox: An Act to extend the charter of the R. and T. Cement Railroad.

Salaries and Fees

By Mr. Baxter of Sagadahoc: An Act to amend Section 16 of Chapter 117 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 196 of the Public Laws of 1917 to increase salary of the State treasurer.

By Mr. Cobb of Kennebec: An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 117 of the Revised Statutes relating to the salaries of the stenographers of Cumberland and Kennebec superior courts, as amended by Chapter 249 of the Public Laws of 1917, and Chapter 198 of the Public Laws of 1919.

By Mr. Putnam of Washington: An Act to increase the salary of the county treasurer in Washington county.

School for Feeble Minded

By Mr. Sargent of Hancock: An Act to amend Chapter 145, Section 47 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duties of hospital trustees, admitting to Home for Feeble Minded.

Sea and Shore Fisheries

By Mr. Thompson of Knox: An Act to repeal Chapter 100 of the Private and Special Laws for the year 1895, relating to fish weir in Sand Cove on Marshall's Island in the county of Hancock.

Taxation

By Mr. Thompson of Knox: Resolution of Rockland City Club in favor of the passage of Bill H. 29, relating to tax on steam railroads.

Towns

By Mr. Putnam of Washington: Petition of Merton L. Crowley and 97 others of Jonesport in favor of the division of the town of Jonesport.

By Mr. Thompson of Knox: Petition of C. Vey Holman and 21 others of South Thomaston in favor of dividing said town and establishing the town of Owl's Head.

Ways and Bridges

By Mr. Emery of Washington: An Act providing for State maintenance of all highway bridges over 600 feet in length.

By the same Senator: Resolve in favor Kennebec River Bridge Company.

By Mr. Putnam of Washington: An Act to authorize the State Highway Commission to take over for construction and maintenance all roads on Indian Township.

By Mr. Thompson of Knox: An Act to enable South Bristol to construct a State aid road to Christmas Cove.

Bills in First Reading

An Act to ratify, confirm and make valid the doings of the Old Folks Home in Bath and the Home for Aged Couples and Old Men.

An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 117 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 170 of the Public Laws of 1917, relating to the salaries of the justices of the supreme judicial court.

Reports of Committees

Mr. Emerson from the committee on appropriations and financial affairs, to which was referred Resolve in favor of Freedom Academy, reported that same be referred to the committee on education.

The report was accepted and the resolve so referred.

Sent down for concurrence.

Passed to Be Engrossed

H. 14. An Act to authorize the American Realty Company to construct and maintain a dam across the St. John River in Township Nine, Range 18, W. E. L. S., Somerset county, and to locate, erect and maintain piers and booms in said river above said dam.

Passed to Be Enacted

An Act to amend Sections one and three of Chapter 116 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the duties payable by public officers.

Finally Passed

Memorial to Congress urging the amendment of the Federal Water Power Act so that Maine's water powers shall be saved for the benefit of Maine people.

Additional papers from the House disposed of in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Gillen of Penobscot,

Adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.