

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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**SENATE**

Thursday, January 18, 1923

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by Rev. G. E. Young of Hallowell.

Journal of previous session read and approved.

On motions by Mr. Emery of Washington, under suspension of the rules and out of order, it was

Ordered, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn they adjourn to meet Monday, January 22nd, at 4.30 o'clock.

Sent down for concurrence.

Subsequently the Chair informed the Senate that the House had concurred in the passage of the order.

Papers from the House disposed of in concurrence.

From the House: An Act relating to the taxation of shares of stock of Trust Companies organized under the laws of this State, and of banking institutions formed under the laws of the United States, and repealing Chapter 197, Public Laws of 1921.

In the House referred to the committee on taxation.

In the Senate, on motion by Mr. Eaton of Oxford, the Senate non-concurred in the House reference, and on further motion by the same senator the bill was referred to the committee on banks and banking.

On motion by Mr. Morneau of Androscoggin, 500 copies were ordered printed.

Sent down for concurrence.

The following bills and resolves were presented and on recommendation of the committee on reference of bills were referred to the following committees:

**Judiciary**

By Mr. Hinckley of Cumberland: An Act to regulate the right of way of vehicles at intersecting public ways.

**Salaries and Fees**

By Mr. Cram of Cumberland: An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 117 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by Chapter 170 of the Public Laws of 1917, as amended by Chapter 87 of the Public Laws of

1921, relating to the salaries of the justices of the Supreme Judicial Court.

**Taxation**

By Mr. Cram of Cumberland: Resolve in favor of Westbrook Seminary, Portland, Maine.

**Orders**

On motion by Mr. Buzzell of Waldo, it was

Ordered, that the use of the Senate Chamber be granted the House committee on elections for the afternoon of Thursday, January 18, 1923, for the purpose of a hearing.

On motion by Mr. Sargent of Hancock, it was

Ordered, the House concurring, that the time for the reception of petitions and bills for private and special legislation be limited to Thursday, February 8, 1923, at 4 o'clock P. M., and that all such petitions and bills presented after that date be referred to the next Legislature; that the secretary of the Senate cause copies of this order to be published in all the daily and weekly papers of the State until and including February 7, 1923.

Sent down for concurrence.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair will state that there has been some talk whether or not we should have a session tomorrow. By sending the Senate papers to the House at once, as they will be sent, and having the House papers come to us this morning, we can accomplish practically the same purposes we could, if we had a session tomorrow.

The Chair desires to state and impress upon the Senate that unless we begin to hold sessions on Fridays we are likely to be doing business here the middle of April, a time that most of us would like to be somewhere else. I make this suggestion simply that we may bear this in mind and content ourselves with doing business here on Fridays.

Papers from the House received out of order and disposed of in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Wadsworth of Kennebec, under suspension of the rules and out of order, it was

Ordered, the House concurring, that 350 copies of the Legislative Record for the session of 1923 be

printed and bound, one copy each for the members of the Senate and the House of Representatives, and the remainder to be deposited in the State Library for exchange and library use; and be it further

Ordered, that 250 copies of the Legislative Record be printed in pamphlet form for distribution from day to day to members of the Legislature and the departments, under

the direction of the document clerk; and be it further

Ordered, that a suitable index be prepared for such Legislative Record at an expense not exceeding \$400.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Bemis of Somerset,

Adjourned until next Monday afternoon, January 22, at 4:30 o'clock.