

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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HOUSE

Monday, Feb. 2, 1925.

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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Walch of Augusta.

Journal of the previous session read and approved.

Papers from the Senate disposed of in concurrence.

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

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

By Mr. Roberts of Bar Harbor: Resolve in favor of Bar Harbor Medical and Surgical Hospital, (H. P. No. 248.).

Claims

By Mr. Marden of Waldo: Resolve in favor of George Hillman, compensating him for loss of turkeys by wild animals. (H. P. No. 249.)

By Mr. Friend of Etna: Resolve to reimburse the town of Plymouth, for care, medical attendance and board for John C. Getchell. (H. P. No. 250.)

By Mr. Roberts of Bar Harbor: Resolve in favor of town of Bar Harbor for care of Ida M. Bates, State pauper, (H. P. No. 251.)

By Mr. Thompson of Rockland: Resolve to reimburse the Knox Publishing Co. of Rockland, Maine, for advertising for primary elections of 1924 for which claimant failed to file account and vouchers. (H. P. No. 252.)

Education

By Mr. Farley of Bridgewater: Resolve in favor of Aroostook Central Institute at Mars Hill, Aroostook County, Maine. (H. P. No. 253.)

By the same gentleman: Resolve in favor of Bridgewater Classical Academy at Bridgewater, Aroostook County, Maine. (H. P. No. 254.)

By Mr. Foster of Ellsworth: Resolve in favor of Blue Hill-George Stevens Academy for general maintenance. (H. P. No. 255.)

By Mr. Spear of Portland: Resolve in favor of Bridgton Academy for deficit in maintenance. (H. P. No. 256.)

Inland Fisheries and Game

By Mr. Flint of Monson: An Act to create a closed season on bear, to repeal the provisions of law as to bounties on the same, and to amend certain sections of the laws relating to bear. (H. P. No. 257.)

(500 copies ordered printed.)

By Mr. Eustis of Strong: An Act providing for a yearly limit of one deer in all counties of the State. (H. P. No. 258.)

(500 copies ordered printed.)

By Mr. Bump of Wilton: An Act to prohibit fly fishing in the inland waters of the State of Maine. (H. P. No. 259.)

(500 copies ordered printed.)

By Mr. Kinsman of Augusta: An Act to amend Chapter 173, Public Laws of 1919, as amended by Chapter 121, Public Laws 1923, relating to the registration of resident hunters and fishermen. (H. P. No. 260.)

(1000 copies ordered printed.)

By Mr. Hallett of Ashland: An Act providing for protection of moose. (H. P. No. 261.)

By Mr. Pullen of Danforth: Resolve appropriating money to aid in the screening of Hot Brook Lake in the town of Bancroft, Aroostook County, (H. P. No. 262.)

By Mr. Flint of Monson: Resolve appropriating money to aid in the screening of Onawa Lake, in the town of Willimantic, Piscataquis County. (H. P. No. 263.)

By the same gentleman: Resolve appropriating money to aid in the screening of Sebec Lake, in the town of Sebec, Piscataquis County. (H. P. No. 264.)

By Mr. Hayford of Mechanic Falls: An Act relating to ice fishing in Moose Hill pond in the town of East Livermore. (H. P. No. 265.)

By the same gentleman: Petition of R. O. White of East Livermore and 39 others in favor of same. (H. P. No. 266.)

By the same gentleman: Petition of Alvin F. Record of East Livermore and 35 others in favor of same. (H. P. No. 267.)

Judiciary

By Mr. Frost of Eastport: An Act to amend Section 53 of Public Laws of 1921 relating to Motor Vehicles. (H. P. No. 268.)

(1000 copies ordered printed.)

By Mr. Bartlett of Bangor: An Act to amend Chapter 6 of the

Revised Statutes so as to make Party Enrollment in Primary Elections Universal. (H. P. No. 269)
(1000 copies ordered printed.)

Ways and Bridges

By Mr. Bisbee of Damariscotta: Resolve for construction of a ferry boat for the Dresden-Richmond Ferry. (H. P. No. 270)

By Mr. Warren of Winslow: Resolve for an appropriation for rebuilding and repairing the North Vassalboro road in the town of Winslow. (H. P. No. 271)

By Mr. Jordan of Westbrook: Resolve in favor of the city of Westbrook for road construction. (H. P. No. 272)

By Mr. Friend of Etna: Resolve in favor of road in the town of Plymouth. (H. P. No. 273)

By the same gentleman: Resolve in favor of road in the town of Newburg. (H. P. No. 274)

By Mr. Dudley of Woodstock: Resolve in favor of road in the town of Mexico. (H. P. No. 275)

By Mr. Mears of Morrill: Resolve in favor of road in the town of Freedom. (H. P. No. 276)

By Mr. Bisbee of Damariscotta: Resolve in favor of road in the towns of Dresden and Pittston. (H. P. No. 277)

By Mr. Pullen of Danforth: Resolve in favor of Codyville Plantation. (H. P. No. 278)

By the same gentleman: Resolve in favor of the town of Danforth. (H. P. No. 279)

By Mr. Dudley of Woodstock: Resolve in favor of road in the town of Woodstock. (H. P. No. 280)

By Mr. Mitchell of Newfield: Resolve in favor of Meeting House Bridge in the town of Newfield. (H. P. No. 281)

By the same gentleman: Resolve in favor of Meeting House Bridge in the town of Shapleigh. (H. P. No. 282)

By Mr. Mansfield of Jonesport: Resolve in favor of road in the town of Machiasport. (H. P. No. 283)

By Mr. Norwood of Warren: Resolve appropriating money to aid in the Construction of a road in the town of Union. (H. P. No. 284)

By the same gentleman: Resolve appropriating money to aid in the construction of a road in the town of Washington. (H. P. No. 285)

By Mr. Pillsbury of Benton: Resolve in favor of road in the town of Benton. (H. P. No. 286)

Reports of Committees

Mr. Stitham from the committee on Maine Publicity on resolve to compile and publish data of the resources of the State, (H. P. No. 10) (H. D. No. 3) reports that the same "ought to pass."

Report was read and accepted, the rules suspended, and the resolve had its first reading and tomorrow assigned for second reading.

Passed to Be Engrossed

House 8: An Act to incorporate the city of Brewer High School District.

Finally Passed

Resolve appropriating money for the expenses of the electoral college for the State of Maine for the year 1925. (H. P. No. 13.)

Resolve in favor of the Secretary of the Senate of the 81st Legislature, for services at the organization of the 82nd Legislature. (S. P. No. 13.)

Resolve in favor of George H. Chick. (S. P. No. 28.)

Orders of the Day

On motion by Mr. Eustis of Strong it was voted to take from the table an act to prohibit the use of firearms by minors; and on further motion by the same gentleman the bill was referred to the committee on Legal Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Piper of Jackman it was voted to take from the table, bill, an act entitled "An Act to provide for the improvement of navigation, the development of water power in the river and tidal waters of the State of Maine" and on further motion by the same gentleman the bill (H. D. No. 37) was referred to the committee on Public Utilities.

On motion by Mr. Martin of Augusta it was voted to take from the table an order relative to the use of the hall of the House for February 4; and on further motion by the same gentleman, owing to the fact that the use of the hall had been already granted for another purpose for that date, it was voted to indefinitely postpone this order.

On motion by Mr. Forhan of Canton,

Adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.