

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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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 73—An act to empower the County Commissioners of Hancock County to construct a highway and raise money for the same (S. P. 35, L. D. 11)—Should be (S. P. 35, L. D. 9)
- Page 75—Ordered, that there be printed one thousand additional copies each of L. D. No. 28, H. P. No. 39, and L. D. No. 10, H. P. No. 37—should be L. D. 10, S. P. No. 37.
- Page 105—Resolve in favor of the town of Prescott. (H. P. No. 282)—Should be town of Trescott.
- Page 106—Second resolve in favor of the town of Dixmont (H. P. 401)
- Page 114—Resolve to reimburse the town of Solon for support of Mrs. Ernest Cousins having no known settlement in the state.—Should be Salem.
- Page 120—Resolve to reimburse Hamlin Plantation for support and burial expenses of Ephrem Picard, a State Pauper (H. P. No. 895)—Should be (H. P. No. 805)
- Page 128—Resolve in favor of the town of Atkinson (H. P. No. 876)—Should be (H. P. No. 976)
- Page 129—Second resolve in favor of the town of Cornish to be deleted.
- Page 152—Resolve in favor of E. G. Hodgkins of Carmel, H. P. 364, L. D. 197—should be H. P. 364, L. D. 203.
- Page 152—An act relating to health certificates for teachers and janitors S. P. 207, L. D. 295—Should be S. P. 207, L. D. 395.
- Page 153—An act relating to inland fish and game wardens; powers, duties and service of processes, S. P. 193, L. D. 597—Should be S. P. 193, L. D. 397.
- Page 163—Bill "An Act relating to Stamping of Registered Boilers" (H. P. No. 1132)—Should be (H. P. No. 1131)
- Page 163—Bill "An Act relating to Towns and Town Officers" (H. P. No. 1136)—Should be (H. P. No. 1135)
- Page 184—"An act relating to motor vehicles carrying passengers for hire over regular routes" (S. P. 92, L. D. 105)—Should be (S. P. 92, L. D. 104)
- Page 193—An act relating to motor vehicle lights S. P. 217, L. D. 598—Should be S. P. 217, L. D. 398.
- Page 202—(Presented by Mr. Stevens of Pownal)—Should be Mr. Stover.
- Page 246—An act relating to Board of Censors of Maine Pictures—should read Moving Pictures.
- Page 259—Resolve opening Jaquity Pond in Brownville, to ice fishing—Should be Jaquith Pond.
- Page 260—Ordered, that there be printed 500 more copies of H. P. 1082, L. D. 571—Should be H. P. 1083, L. D. 571.
- Page 267—Resolve in favor of John E. Parker of Windsor, for State pension (H. P. 90, L. D. 672)—Should be (H. P. 99, L. D. 672)
- Page 273—Resolve opening Jacquith Pond, in Brownville, to ice fishing—Should be Jaquith Pond.
- Page 315—(H. P. No. 552) (L. D. No. 231) Resolve relating to rabbit hunting in Vinalhaven—Should be (H. P. No. 552) (L. D. No. 221)
- Page 321—An Act relating to partition of real estate (S. P. 327, L. D. 833)—Should be (S. P. 327, L. D. 533)
- Page 341—An Act permitting Dennis Plourde to Dump Sawdust in Wallagrass Stream—Should be Dennis Fluorde.
- Page 343—(H. P. No. 39) (L. D. No. 776)—Should be (H. P. No. 739 (L. D. No. 776)
- Page 343—(H. P. No. 1476) (L. D. No. 778)—Should be (H. P. No. 1486) (L. D. No. 778)
- Page 358—An act to grant a new charter to the city of Rockland, S. P. 486, L. D. 788—Should be S. P. 486, L. D. 798.
- Page 383—An act to amend the banking laws by amending Sec. 91, of Chap. 57 of the Revised Statutes—Should be marked S. P. 548, L. D. 805.
- Page 417—An Act to provide for School Expenses in Towns having a Valuation of Less than \$200,000.00—Should be marked (H. P. 588, L. D. 235)
- Page 437—"An Act to amend Sections 48 to 54 of Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes" (S. P. 353)—Should read Sections 48 to 51.
- Page 440—Resolve in favor of Henry McCrotty of Farmingdale (H. P. 1502, L. D. 810)—Should be Henry McGroty.
- Page 442—Resolve regulating ice fishing in Tacoma Lakes (H. P. 1465, L. D. 736)—Should be (H. P. 1465, L. D. 756)

**HOUSE**

Friday, February 24, 1933.

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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Wood of Augusta.

Journal of the previous session read and approved.

Papers from the Senate disposed of in concurrence.

From the Senate: Report of the committee on Claims reporting ought not to pass on resolve in favor of William Sansom of Rockland. (S. P. No. 98)

Came from the Senate read and accepted.

In the House, read and accepted in concurrence.

**Senate Bills in First Reading**

S. P. 134, L. D. 135: An act decreasing the subsidy contributed by the State relative to education.

S. P. 177, L. D. 667: An act relative to falsely assuming to be a game warden.

S. P. 175, L. D. 665: An act relative to the visiting and setting of traps.

S. P. 173, L. D. 664: An act relative to fishing for gain and hire prohibited; exceptions, penalty.

From the Senate: Report of the committee on Judiciary reporting ought to pass on bill an act to incorporate the Sandy River Log Driving Company, S. P. 219, L. D. 701.

Comes from the Senate, report read and accepted and the bill passed to be engrossed.

In the House, on motion by Mr. Blanchard of Wilton, tabled pending acceptance of report in concurrence.

From the Senate: Joint order relative to recalling two bear bills from the committee on Agriculture, H. P. 1417, which was passed in the House on February 22nd,

Comes from the Senate indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

In the House, on motion by Mr. Russ of Woodstock that body voted to recede and concur.

From the Senate: Ordered, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they adjourn to meet Tuesday, February 28th, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Comes from the Senate, read and passed.

In the House, read and passed in concurrence.

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

The SPEAKER: The reason for placing these petitions and remonstrances on file instead of referring them to the committee on Temperance is that the bill has already been reported by the committee and that committee has nothing more to do with it. The petitions will be filed with the bill and report.

**Placed on File**

Petition of F. B. Haynes and 17 others in favor of Referendum on the 26th Amendment to the Constitution (H. P. No. 1424) (Presented by Mr. Knight of Waterford)

Petition of L. J. Abrams and 14 others of Portland in favor of same (H. P. No. 1453) (Presented by Mr. Rounds of Portland)

Petition of Anthon W. Jensen and 60 others of Peaks Island in favor of same (H. P. No. 1454) (Presented by same gentleman)

Petition of Ralph W. Bradish and 12 others of Portland in favor of same (H. P. No. 1455) (Presented by same gentleman)

Petition of Helen N. Hanson and 7 others of Calais in favor of same (H. P. No. 1456) (Presented by Mr. Tupper of Calais)

Petition of James J. Donovan and 119 others of Calais in favor of same (H. P. No. 1457) (Presented by same gentleman)

Petition of R. J. McGarrigle and 104 others of Calais in favor of same (H. P. No. 1458) (Presented by same gentleman)

Remonstrance of Harry R. Coolidge and 71 others against same (H. P. No. 1425) (Presented by Mr. Cook of Pittsfield)

Remonstrance of Ralph W. Austin and 13 others of South China against same (H. P. No. 1426) (Presented by Mr. Tompkins of Bridgewater)

Remonstrance of C. B. Leathers and 24 others of Exeter against same (H. P. No. 1428) (Presented by same gentleman)

Remonstrance of Mrs. Helen Bell and 19 others of Blaine against same (H. P. No. 1429) (Presented by same gentleman)

Remonstrance of Nellie M. Wagar and 13 others of Belfast against same (H. P. No. 1430) (Presented by same gentleman)

Remonstrance of Phosie J. Higgins and 9 others of Lamoine against same (H. P. No. 1431) (Presented by same gentleman)

Remonstrance of T. J. Ramsdell and 18 others of Charleston against same (H. P. No. 1432) (Presented by same gentleman)

Remonstrance of Hattie Cary Day and 6 others of Machias against same (H. P. No. 1433) (Presented by same gentleman)

Remonstrance of Vinette G. Soule and 16 others of Ludlow against same (H. P. No. 1427) (Presented by Mr. Sprague of Oakfield)

Remonstrance of Helen R. Anderson and 37 others of Auburn against same (H. P. No. 1459) (Presented by Mr. Flanders of Auburn)

**Agriculture**

Remonstrance of E. A. Trask and 23 others against passage of an Act to assure the proper Branding of Potatoes (H. P. No. 1434) (Presented by Mr. Hastings of Bethel)

Petition of Fred Fairbanks and 99 others in favor of a Bounty on Bears (H. P. No. 1435) (Presented by Mr. Sanborn of Weld)

Petition of Laurice F. Horn and 40 others in favor of same (H. P. No. 1436) (Presented by Mr. Ellis of Rangeley)

**Legal Affairs**

Remonstrance of Hancock Pomona Grange against legalizing any Sunday Commercial Sport or Sunday Hunting (H. P. No. 1437) (Presented by Mr. Devereux of Penobscot)

**Taxation**

Petition of Inez L. Whitman and 82 others in favor of Repeal of Auxiliary Forest Law (H. P. No. 1438) (Presented by Mr. Russ of Woodstock)

Petition of F. B. Haynes and 20 others in favor of same (H. P. No. 1439) (Presented by Mr. Knight of Waterford)

Petition of Seth W. Johnson and 16 others of Stoneham in favor of same (H. P. No. 1440) (Presented by same gentleman)

Petition of Archie I. Sargent and 14 others of Weld in favor of same (H. P. No. 1441) (Presented by Mr. Sanborn of Weld)

Petition of Seth B. Harriman and 41 others of Stow in favor of same (H. P. No. 1442) (Presented by Mr. Osgood of Fryeburg)

Petition of Raymond C. Burbank and 33 others in favor of same (H. P. No. 1443) (Presented by Mr. Littlefield of Alfred)

Petition of John T. Kidder and 25 others in favor of same (H. P. No. 1444) (Presented by Mr. Sanborn of Weld)

Petition of P. E. Cormick and 88 others of Brownfield in favor of same (H. P. No. 1445) (Presented by Mr. Osgood of Fryeburg)

Petition of Millard Crowley and 19 others in favor of repeal of law which imposes a Tax on Gasoline used in Fishing Boats (H. P. No. 1446) (Presented by Mr. Shaw of Milbridge)

Petition of A. G. Dolliver and 28 others in favor of same (H. P. No. 1447) (Presented by same gentleman)

Petition of Sewall B. Smith and 9 others in favor of same (H. P. No. 1448) (Presented by same gentleman)

Petition of U. M. Davis and 14 others in favor of same (H. P. No. 1449) (Presented by same gentleman)

**Ways and Bridges**

Petition of E. S. Bennett and 65 others in favor of Wilson's Mills-Oguossoc Road (H. P. No. 1450) (Presented by Mr. Hastings of Bethel)

Petition of A. Carroll and 25 others in favor of same (H. P. No. 1451) (Presented by same gentleman)

**Orders**

On motion by Mr. Fernald of Winterport, it was

Ordered, that Rev. Ralph K. Barron of Winterport be invited to act as Chaplain of the House on Tuesday, February 28, 1933.

Mr. Rounds of Portland presented the following order and moved its passage.

Ordered, that the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game be requested to furnish each member of the House of Representatives with

a list of all claims paid by the State during the year 1931 and 1932 for damages caused by deer and moose, stating the amount of each claim.

On motion by Mr. Farris of Augusta, tabled pending passage.

### Reports of Committees

Mr. Sterling from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Resolve relating to Fishing in Pleasant Pond (H. P. No. 436) (L. D. No. 155) reported same in a new draft (H. P. No. 1460) under same title and that it "Ought to pass."

Same gentleman from same Committee on Bill "An Act providing for Negotiations for Screen at the Outlet of Eastern Grand Lake" (H. P. No. 754) reported a Resolve under title of "Resolve authorizing Negotiations for Screening the Outlet of Eastern Grand Lake" (H. P. No. 1461) and that it "Ought to pass."

Mr. Fogg from same Committee on Bill "An Act closing Worthley Pond to Ice Fishing, also Closing said Worthley Pond to all except Fly Fishing" (H. P. No. 687) (L. D. No. 357) reported a Resolve under title of "Resolve regulating Fishing in Worthley Pond in the town of Poland in the county of Androscoggin" (H. P. No. 1462) and that it "Ought to pass."

Mr. ROUNDS of Portland: I move that we postpone this until next Thursday. I believe it is debatable, isn't it?

The SPEAKER: The merits of the bill are not debatable. The question of postponement until Thursday is debatable. The matter that we are considering now has to do with fishing in Worthley Pond in the town of Poland. Is the gentleman interested in that?

Mr. ROUNDS: Well, I ought to know something about it. I was born right there. (Laughter) I have seen good fishing there in times gone by, but they have fished it so much that I will guarantee that one might fish there all day and not get more than two or three trout.

The SPEAKER: The Chair understands that the gentleman from Portland, Mr. Rounds, moves that further consideration of this matter be postponed until Thursday, March 2.

The motion prevailed.

Mr. Burgess from the committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on bill an act relating to fishing in

Parlin Stream (H. P. 372) (L. D. 138) reported a resolve under title of "Resolve regulating the fishing in Parlin Stream," (H. P. 1463) and that it ought to pass.

Mr. Hescoock from same committee on Bill "An Act relating to Fishing in Bog Brook in Minot and Mechanic Falls" (H. P. No. 692) (L. D. No. 361) reported a Resolve under title of "Resolve regulating the Fishing in Bog Brook in Minot and Mechanic Falls" (H. P. No. 1464) and that it "Ought to pass."

Mr. Sterling from same Committee on Resolve regulating Ice Fishing in Tacoma Lake (H. P. No. 750) (L. D. No. 415) reported same in a new draft (H. P. No. 1465) under same title and that it "Ought to pass."

Mr. Hawkes from the Committee on Pensions on Resolve providing for a State Pension for Frank G. Downes of Palermo (H. P. No. 888) reported same in a new draft (H. P. No. 1466) under title of "Resolve providing for a State Pension for Frank G. Downer of Palermo" and that it "Ought to pass."

Mr. Bennett from the Committee on Public Health on Bill "An Act to provide for the Regulation of the Practice of Podiatry and for the Examination and Licensing of Podiatrists" (H. P. No. 1148) (L. D. No. 598) reported same in a new draft (H. P. No. 1467) under same title and that it "Ought to pass."

Reports read and accepted and the new drafts ordered printed under the Joint Rules.

Mr. Fenlason from the Committee on Education reported "Ought to pass" on Resolve granting Teacher's Pension to Miss Nancy Rankin of Hiram (H. P. No. 834).

Mr. Richardson from the Committee on Pensions reported same on Resolve providing for an increase in the State Pension for Kate Bird of Farmingdale (H. P. No. 987).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve providing for an increase in State Pension for Ellen Bird of Farmingdale (H. P. No. 988).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve providing for a State Pension for Hannah L. Batchelor of Belfast (H. P. No. 394).

Mr. Hawkes from same Committee reported same on Resolve providing for a State Pension for George L. Harvey of Belfast (H. P. No. 396)

Reports read and accepted and

the resolves ordered printed under the Joint Rules.

Mr. Smith from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Definitions under Fish and Game Laws" (H. P. No. 738) (L. D. No. 407).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relative to Fees for Trapping Licenses, Resident and Non-resident" (H. P. No. 734) (L. D. No. 403).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act prohibiting the Horning of Deer" (H. P. No. 733) (L. D. No. 340).

Mr. Burgess from same Committee reported same on Resolve regulating the taking of Muskrats on Massacre Pond in Scarboro (H. P. No. 740) (L. D. No. 254).

Reports read and accepted and sent up for concurrence.

Mr. Burgess from the committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported ought to pass on Resolve relating to Ice Fishing in No Name Pond (H. P. No. 741) (L. D. No. 408).

Report read and accepted.

Tabled by Mr. Flanders of Auburn, pending first reading under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Burgess from the committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported ought to pass on Resolve relating to Fishing in George Durgin Pond (H. P. No. 558) (L. D. No. 226).

Mr. Sterling from same Committee reported same on Resolve relating to Fishing in Baker Pond (H. P. No. 556) (L. D. No. 225).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve relating to Fishing in Baker Stream (H. P. No. 555) (L. D. No. 224).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve opening Crystal Lake to Ice Fishing (H. P. No. 553) (L. D. No. 222).

Mr. Hescoek from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relative to Non-residents Kindling Fires and Employment of Guides" (H. P. No. 732) (L. D. No. 339).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Ice Fishing in Sandy Pond in Freedom and Montville in the county of Waldo" (H. P. No. 731) (L. D. No. 338).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An

Act relative to the Use of Live Decoys and Boats in Hunting Waterfowl" (H. P. No. 724) (L. D. No. 332).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to the Penalties for Violations of the Fish and Game Laws" (H. P. No. 722) (L. D. No. 330).

Mr. Crowell from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act prohibiting the use of Partridge as Bait for Trapping" (H. P. No. 719) (L. D. No. 328).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relative to the Revocation of Licenses after Violation of the Fish and Game Laws" (H. P. No. 718) (L. D. No. 307).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relative to the taking of Salmon in certain waters" (H. P. No. 716) (L. D. No. 326).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relative to Night Hunting" (H. P. No. 714) (L. D. No. 324).

Mr. Bussey from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relative to Search and Seizure of Fish and Game Equipment used in Hunting, Trapping and Fishing" (H. P. No. 712) (L. D. No. 373).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Closed Seasons in the several waters of the State" (H. P. No. 710) (L. D. No. 371).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve relating to Fishing in Tributaries of Sturtevant Pond (H. P. No. 564) (L. D. No. 230).

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Resolve relating to Fishing in Big King and Bartlett Lakes (H. P. No. 559) (L. D. No. 227).

Mr. Ashby from the Committee on Interior Waters reported same on Bill "An Act empowering William L. Milliken of Presque Isle in the county of Aroostook, to erect and maintain Piers and Booms in the Aroostook River" (H. P. No. 67) (L. D. No. 29).

Mr. Sargent from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Prepayment of Taxes" (H. P. No. 662) (L. D. No. 205).

Mr. Soper from the Committee on Public Utilities reported same on



Bill "An Act relating to Protection at Grade Crossings" (H. P. No. 1149) (L. D. No. 599).

Reports were read and accepted and the Bills and Resolves having already been printed, the Bills were read twice under suspension of the rules, the Resolves read once under suspension of the rules and all tomorrow assigned.

#### First Reading of Printed Bills and Resolves

(H. P. No. 1420) (L. D. No. 732) An act relative to the use of power boats in hunting waterfowl.

(H. P. No. 398) (L. D. No. 733) Resolve for State pension in favor of Mary Barton Redlon of Augusta, Maine.

(H. P. No. 399) (L. D. No. 734) Resolve providing for an increase in State pension for Mary J. French of Carmel.

(H. P. No. 567) (L. D. No. 735) Resolve providing for a State pension for Oscar Lund of East Machias.

(H. P. No. 569) (L. D. No. 736) Resolve providing for a State pension for Susie May Harding of Hampden.

(H. P. No. 645) (L. D. No. 737) Resolve providing for a State pension for Leland Palmer of Carmel.

(H. P. No. 775) (L. D. No. 738) Resolve in favor of the Kennebec Journal Company for printing Public Laws of the State of Maine.

(H. P. No. 806) (L. D. No. 739) Resolve in favor of Gerald Lund.

(H. P. No. 991) (L. D. No. 740) Resolve providing for a State pension for Fred E. Stevens of Chelsea.

(H. P. No. 1418) (L. D. No. 741) Resolve in favor of Bion M. Rhoades of Topsfield.

(H. P. No. 1419) (L. D. No. 742) Resolve in favor of George Mawhinney of Jonesboro.

(H. P. No. 1421) (L. D. No. 743) Resolve regulating fishing in Heald Ponds.

(H. P. No. 1422) (L. D. No. 744) Resolve providing for an increase in State pension for Hannah C. McLaughlin of Farmingdale.

(H. P. No. 1423) (L. D. No. 745) Resolve providing for a State pension for Alida Jackson of Waldo.

#### Passed to Be Engrossed

(S. P. No. 218) (L. D. No. 702) An act to amend an act to incorporate the Guilford and Sangerville Water District.

(S. P. No. 220) (L. D. No. 399)

An act to authorize the Treasurer of State to make payment of the share of the State in the reconstruction of Cascade Bridge in the town of Old Orchard.

(S. P. No. 225) (L. D. No. 690) An act relating to taking of land for park purposes by Parsonsfield-Kezar Falls Village Corporation.

(S. P. No. 336) (L. D. No. 689) An act relating to Plant Railroad and definition thereof.

(S. P. No. 422) (L. D. No. 698) An act regulating the taking of shellfish in the town of Harpswell.

(H. P. No. 547) (L. D. No. 158) An act relating to fishing in Stanley Ponds in towns of Hiram and Porter.

(H. P. No. 576) (L. D. No. 721) An Act relating to the State Trust Funds.

(H. P. No. 690) (L. D. No. 360) An act relating to fish and game culture.

(H. P. No. 697) (L. D. No. 308) An act relative to licenses for dealers in deer skins and heads.

(H. P. No. 698) (L. D. No. 365) An act relative to the taking of eels, suckers, horn pouts, yellow perch, and alewives, permits for same.

(H. P. No. 873) (L. D. No. 311) An act relating to employers of labor.

(H. P. No. 1040) (L. D. No. 460) An act relative to the proof and determination of foreign law.

(H. P. No. 1043) (L. D. No. 478) An act relating to the admissibility of accounts in evidence in civil proceedings.

(H. P. No. 1058) (L. D. No. 489) An act relating to applications for registration of motor vehicles.

(H. P. No. 1079) (L. D. No. 719) An act relating to the property of extinct or disbanded Congregational and Christian churches, parishes or societies.

(H. P. No. 150) (L. D. No. 93) Resolve regulating fishing in Big Jim Pond.

(H. P. No. 152) (L. D. No. 80) Resolve regulating fishing in Big Jim Pond inlets.

(H. P. No. 377) (L. D. No. 139) Resolve relating to fishing in Noyes Pond.

(H. P. No. 381) (L. D. No. 216) Resolve relating to fishing in Cold Stream Pond.

(H. P. No. 382) (L. D. No. 217) Resolve regulating fishing in Shallow Pond.

(H. P. No. 431) (L. D. No. 150) Resolve relating to fishing in Mat-

thews Pond in the towns of Hebron and Oxford.

(H. P. No. 432) (L. D. No. 151)  
Resolve relating to fishing in Rum Brook

(H. P. No. 433) (L. D. No. 152)  
Resolve relating to fishing in Sandy Stream.

(H. P. No. 435) (L. D. No. 154)  
Resolve relating to fishing in Pleasant Pond.

(H. P. No. 552) (L. D. No. 231)  
Resolve relating to rabbit hunting in Vinalhaven.

(H. P. No. 554) (L. D. No. 223)  
Resolve relating to fishing in Blakslee Lake.

(H. P. No. 565) (L. D. No. 231)  
Resolve regulating fishing in Cambolasse Pond.

(H. P. No. 1415) (L. D. No. 720)  
Resolve in favor of procuring testimonials for the purpose of marking the unmarked graves of the soldiers of the Revolutionary War.

**Passed to be Enacted**

An Act to Correct Phraseology in Section 21 of Chapter 92 (S. P. No. 64) (L. D. No. 497)

An act to Transfer Law relating to the Courts to the Court Chapter (S. P. No. 65) (L. D. No. 498)

An Act to Repeal Obsolete Law (S. P. No. 66) (L. D. No. 499)

An Act to Transfer Section 8 of Chapter 157 to Chapter 33 (S. P. No. 68) (L. D. No. 503)

An Act Repealing Obsolete Sections (S. P. No. 69) (L. D. No. 501)

An Act relating to Motor Vehicles Carrying Passengers for Hire over Regular Routes (S. P. No. 92) (L. D. No. 104)

An Act relating to Hearings in Vacation (S. P. No. 93) (L. D. No. 105)

An Act relating to the Incorporation of the Hebron Water Company (H. P. No. 115) (L. D. No. 610)

An Act providing for Special Terms of the Superior Court (H. P. No. 30) (L. D. No. 17)

An Act appointing a Commission on Medical Education (H. P. No. 91) (L. D. No. 60)

An Act relating to Fishing in Upper Taylor Brook (H. P. No. 118) (L. D. No. 65)

An Act relating to the Jurisdiction of Municipal Courts in Certain Cases (H. P. No. 123) (L. D. No. 73)

An Act relating to Fishing in Lake Pennesseewassee and Sand Pond (H. P. No. 211) (L. D. No. 117)

An Act relating to the practice of Vivisection in Schools Supported

Wholly or in Part by Public Money (H. P. No. 217) (L. D. No. 122)

An Act relating to the Certificates to be given by the Clerk of Towns or Cities to those Declaring Intention of Marriage (H. P. No. 258) (L. D. No. 131)

An Act Discontinuing Publishing Lists of Costs (H. P. No. 614) (L. D. No. 181).

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Patten Water and Power Company (H. P. No. 652) (L. D. No. 638).

An Act to Extend the Charter of the Vanceboro Water Company (H. P. No. 924) (L. D. No. 639).

An Act Validating the Election of the City Assessor of Eastport (H. P. No. 1004) (L. D. No. 274).

An Act to Incorporate the Wiscasset, Waterville and Farmington Railway Company (H. P. No. 1208) (L. D. No. 552).

An Act relating to Qualifications of County Attorneys (H. P. No. 1232) (L. D. No. 640).

**Finally Passed**

Resolve appropriating money for the Expenses of the Electoral College (S. P. No. 53) (L. D. No. 468).

Resolve relating to Fishing in Whitney Brook (H. P. No. 64) (L. D. No. 34).

Resolve regulating Fishing in Weld Pond (H. P. No. 92) (L. D. No. 432).

Resolve relating to Fishing in McCoslin Brook and Turtle Pond Brook (H. P. No. 206) (L. D. No. 113).

Resolve regulating Fishing in Quimby, Round, Haley and Ross Ponds (H. P. No. 210) (L. D. No. 116).

Resolve authorizing the Commissioner of Health and Welfare to convey and acquire Property (H. P. No. 641) (L. D. No. 191).

Resolve providing for a State Pension for Mary L. Haskell of Milford (H. P. No. 1209) (L. D. No. 549).

Resolve providing for a State Pension for Emma C. Weeks of Sidney (H. P. No. 1210) (L. D. No. 550).

Resolve providing for a State Pension for Charles A. Frohock of Lincolnville (H. P. No. 1211) (L. D. No. 551).

Resolve in favor of George L. Page of Orland, to reimburse him for loss and damage to Property in the Construction of a State Road in the town of Orland (H. P. No. 1226) (L. D. No. 607).

**Orders of the Day**

On motion by Mr. Rounds of

Portland, the House voted to reconsider its action of yesterday in accepting the report of the committee on Claims, ought not to pass, on a resolve in favor of Jay Robbins of McKinley, being H. P. 12; and on further motion by the same gentleman the report and accompanying bill were tabled and specially assigned for Thursday, March 2.

Mr. SCATES of Westbrook: Mr. Speaker, I would like to make a statement in regard to the second unassigned matter, House reports, majority, ought not to pass, and minority, ought to pass, on resolve proposing the repeal of the Twenty-sixth Amendment to the Constitution relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, H. P. No. 104, L. D. 56. Many of the members have asked me when that was to be taken from the table, and I have told them that I thought it would be fairer to all to let it lie on the table until it came off automatically next Wednesday.

The SPEAKER: The House hears the statement of the gentleman from Westbrook, Mr. Scates, relative to the second unassigned matter.

Mr. SMITH of Vinalhaven: Mr. Speaker, I rise to a point of personal privilege.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman may state his point.

Mr. SMITH: I have in my hand the Kennebec Journal of this morning and you will find there in large headlines "RIVAL GROUPS TILT FOUR HOURS OVER LOBSTERS LENGTH. Fishermen of Eastern Maine in Stout Stand to Reduce Legal Length to 9 Inches—Claim they Cannot Compete with the Nearby States where Length is 9 Inches—Opponents Plead Present 10 1-2 inch Law Aids in Propagation."

For the benefit of those who were not present yesterday at the hearing I would like to state that this is a gross misstatement in direct contradiction to the facts. Almost every lobster fisherman who appeared here at that hearing from the eastern part of the State was opposed to reducing the length of lobsters to 9 inches and in favor of keeping the length as it is now 10 1-2.

Further down in the body of the article it reads this way "For more than four hours Thursday lobster fishermen of Eastern Maine opposed

fellow lobstermen and lobster dealers of York and Cumberland counties over a measure to lower the legal length of lobsters from 10 1-2 inches to nine." Now that part of it is possibly correct but it is ambiguous. I do not know who is responsible for this. It is an (P) communication and whether the Kennebec Journal or the (P) is responsible, I don't know; but I would like all the members to understand it is incorrect. I thank you.

On motion by Mr. Young of York the rules were suspended and the House voted to reconsider its action of February 14 whereby it referred to the committee on Salaries and Fees H. P. 1316, an act relating to compensation of trustees of York Water District; and on further motion by the same gentleman unanimous consent was granted him to withdraw the bill.

On motion by Mr. Ashby of Fort Fairfield, it was voted to take from the table the eighth unassigned matter, House report ought not to pass of the committee on Taxation on bill an act exempting horses and dairy cows from taxation, H. P. 1014, L. D. 426, tabled on February 22 by that gentleman, pending the motion of the gentleman from Brunswick, Mr. Lebel, to substitute the bill for the report.

Mr. ASHBY: Mr. Speaker, I now yield to the gentleman from Brunswick, Mr. Lebel.

Mr. LEBEL: Mr. Speaker, I am not ready to take this up at this time and I move that it be retabled until next week.

A viva voce vote being doubted, A division of the House was had.

Forty-six voting in the affirmative and none in the negative, the motion to retable prevailed.

On motion by Mr. Walker of Rockport, the House voted to reconsider its action earlier in the day in accepting the ought not to pass report of the committee on Claims on resolve in favor of William Sansom of Rockland, S. P. 98; and on further motion by the same gentleman the resolve and the accompanying report were tabled and specially assigned for Thursday, March 2.

After considerable informal discussion, off the Record, on motion

by Mr. Scates of Westbrook, the second unassigned matter, being House reports of the committee on Temperance, majority, ought not to pass and minority, ought to pass, on resolve proposing the repeal of the Twenty-sixth Amendment to the Constitution, relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, H. P. 104, L. D. 56, tabled by that gentleman on February 21, pending acceptance of either report, was taken from the table; and on further motion by the same gentleman, for the reasons set forth in the informal discussion, which is off the Record, the resolve and accompanying reports were re-tabled and specially assigned for Tuesday, March 7th.

The SPEAKER: Are there any other matters under Orders of the Day.

There are quite a number on the calendar, some of them purely formal.

There are two matters at the end of the list that were recalled at the suggestion of some member who wishes to withdraw them.

Mr. FENLASON of Anson: Mr. Speaker, I would like to take up the first recalled matter, H. P. 1087, an act relating to the Eastern State Normal School at Castine, and I move that the House reconsider its action whereby on February 8th it referred this bill to the committee on Education.

The motion prevailed; and on further motion by the same gentleman the bill was indefinitely postponed without reference to a committee.

Mr. Carleton of Portland presented the following order and moved its passage:

“Ordered, that there be printed 5,000 copies of salaries of state employees at a cost of \$245 or 10,000 copies at a cost of \$385, the same to be charged to legislative expense.”

Mr. CARLETON of Portland: Mr. Speaker, I want to keep faith with the House. I thought that the new salary list would be out, but I find there is more or less delay, and if I can get an expression of the House as to how many they want, we could start this printing tomorrow. I got the price on 5,000 and 10,000. If the members will let us know how many they would like.

Mr. CARSWELL of Gorham: Mr.

Speaker, may I inquire from the gentleman from Portland (Mr. Carleton) whether or not this is a new edition or the old one.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman may answer.

Mr. CARLETON: I said in my first remarks that there was more or less delay on the new list, and I wanted to keep faith with you and all the others, and I promised you would have it in a few days, but I cannot fulfill my promise. The other list is now available at once, or will be, but I fear there will be a delay in the new salary list. I wished to keep faith with you and the other members. It is the old list.

Mr. CARSWELL: Mr. Speaker, we appreciate the courtesy extended by the gentleman from Portland. I move that 5,000 additional copies be printed.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Gorham, Mr. Carswell, moves to amend the order by striking out after the words \$245 the words “or 10,000 copies at a cost of \$385” so that the order as amended will read as follows:

“Ordered that there be printed 5000 copies of salaries of state employees at a cost of \$245, the same to be charged to legislative expense.”

Mr. PLUMMER of Portland: Mr. Speaker, I would ask if this is an order to publish extra copies of the present list?

The SPEAKER: The Chair understands it is an order which if passed will provide for printing of 5000 additional copies of the list that was previously distributed. Is the Chair correct in that understanding?

Mr. CARLETON: That is correct, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER: Is it the pleasure of the House that the amendment offered by the gentleman from Gorham, Mr. Carswell, be adopted. The order provides for two definite and distinct propositions both of which are contradictory.

Mr. SCATES: Mr. Speaker, I move the order lie on the table.

A viva voce vote being taken, the motion failed of passage.

Mr. TUPPER of Calais: Mr. Speaker, it seems to me if we are going to have a new list, it is an absolute waste of money to print this.

Mr. THOMPSON of Belfast: Mr. Speaker, if the gentleman had had as many requests for that list of

salaries as some of us, I think he would like to see it printed.

Mr. FERNALD of Winterport: Mr. Speaker, I move indefinite postponement of the order.

Mr. SCATES: Mr. Speaker, this is the first time during this session that anyone has been denied having a bill printed. I have no particular interest in it but it is a matter of information and I think the people of this State are entitled to all the information that they can get on what has been going on in this State for the past ten years. Are you going to deny them that privilege? It will be a valuable document to compare with the new list of people employed in the State, to see how much the salaries have been reduced in the different activities of the State. That is all. Gentlemen do not deny it!

Mr. CARLETON: I tried to keep faith with the members of the House but I could not fulfill my promise to deliver to you the new price list I thought I could, therefore I introduced this order so that you might have the old one if you wish.

The SPEAKER: The pending question is on the motion of the gentleman from Winterport, Mr. Fernald, that the order be indefinitely postponed.

A viva voce vote being taken the motion failed of passage.

The SPEAKER: The pending question is now on the motion of the gentleman from Gorham, Mr. Carswell, that the order be amended by striking out the provision for 10,000 copies leaving the order to provide for 5000 copies.

Mr. ASHBY of Fort Fairfield: Mr. Speaker, I would like to ask Brother Carleton how many copies he thinks should be printed.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman inquires through the Chair of Mr. Carleton his idea of the number of copies that should be printed.

Mr. CARLETON: Not any. (Laughter).

Mr. ASHBY: I am sorry I cannot agree with the gentleman from Portland. I didn't expect to and I never did. I second the gentleman's motion for 5,000 copies.

Mr. SMITH of Vinalhaven: Mr. Speaker, I, myself, have had five inquiries for this list of salaries in the past few days and I hope the motion that 5,000 copies be printed prevails.

Mr. PLOUFF of Dexter: Mr. Speaker, I am opposed to printing because it is inaccurate. Why should

we have copies of something that isn't as it should be?

The SPEAKER: Is the Chair correct in understanding there is only one error in that list that was printed before?

Mr. CARLETON: May I speak a moment, Mr. Speaker? As I understand it the old list was the salaries previous to January 1st. The Salaries and Fees Committee is about to put before the House a new salary list, and I thought it was going to be available pretty quick, and that is why I laid it on the table. Now I find there will be some delay, and as I understand it there is a demand on the members for copies of the old list, therefore I introduced this order to keep faith with you.

The SPEAKER: The pending question is on the motion of the gentleman from Gorham, Mr. Carswell, that the order be amended by striking out the provision for printing of 10,000 copies at a cost of \$385, leaving the order so that it will provide for the printing of 5,000 copies at a cost of \$245.

A viva voce vote being taken the motion prevailed.

The SPEAKER: The pending question is on the motion of the gentleman from Portland (Mr. Carleton) that this order that there be printed five thousand copies of salaries of State employees at a cost of \$245.00, or ten thousand copies at a cost of \$385.00, the same to be charged to legislative expense, the order having been amended to read as follows: "Ordered, that there be printed five thousand copies of salaries of State employees at a cost of \$245.00, the same to be charged to legislative expense," have passage.

A viva voce vote being taken, the amended order received passage.

On motion by Mr. Bennett of Presque Isle, the House voted to reconsider its action of January 31 whereby it referred H. P. 640, L. D. 297, an act relating to the Presque Isle Town Government to the committee on Legal Affairs; and on further motion by the same gentleman, the bill was indefinitely postponed without reference to a committee.

On motion by Mr. Dow of Livermore,

Adjourned until Tuesday, February 28th, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.