

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Record

OF THE

Eighty-Sixth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1933

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**SENATE**

Thursday, January 5, 1933

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Rev. Herbert E. P. Pressey of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

**Reports**

Report of the 86th Legislature by the Revisor of Statutes, (Senate Paper No. 11).

Which report was read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Report of recess committee on Natural Beauty and Historical Spots (Senate Paper No. 16).

Which report was read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Communication from the Department of State,

Transmitting the Gubernatorial Vote. (Senate Paper No. 12).

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Gubernatorial Vote.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Weatherbee from the Joint Select Committee on Gubernatorial Vote submitted the following report, (Senate Paper No. 17).

Whole number of votes returned for Governor was 241,095.

Louis J. Brann had 121,153.

Eurleigh Martin had 118,800.

Frank H. Maxfield had 1,137.

Which report was read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

The following bills were received and on recommendation by the committee on reference of bills were referred to the following committee:

**Judiciary**

Mr. Murchie of Washington: "An Act to Revise the Health and Welfare Law." (S. P. 1, L. D. 1.)

(One thousand copies printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Weeks of Somerset: "An Act to Revise the Laws relating to Sea and Shore Fisheries." (S. P. 2, L. D. 2.)

(Five hundred copies ordered printed).

Sent down for concurrence.

The President announced the appointment of the following Standing Committees of the Senate:

**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEES****On Bills in Second Reading**

Kitchen of Aroostook

Bissett of Cumberland

Viles of Kennebec

Winn of Androscoggin

**On Engrossed Bills**

Jackson, A. of Cumberland

Holman of Franklin

Weymouth of Penobscot

Harmon of Hancock

Schnurle of Cumberland

Pillsbury of Kennebec

Fernandez of Penobscot

Abbott of York

Robie of Cumberland

Angell of York

McDonald of Washington

Bartlett of Oxford

**Orders**

On motion by Mr. Holman of Franklin, it was

Ordered, that a committee of three on the part of the Senate, (Senate Paper No. 13) with such as the House may join, be appointed to wait upon the Hon. Louis J. Brann and inform him that he has been duly elected Governor of the State of Maine for the current political years of 1933 and 1934.

The President appointed:

**Senators**

Holman of Franklin

Hathaway of Piscataquis

Lawless of Androscoggin

\*Sent down for concurrence.

Subsequently the foregoing order came back from the House, read and passed in concurrence, and the Speaker having joined on the part of that branch:

**Representatives**

Farris of Augusta

Tompkins of Houlton

Fernald of Winterport

Graves of Northeast Harbor

Peacock of Lubec

Scates of Westbrook

Burgess of Rumford

Mr. Holman for the committee appointed to inform the Governor-elect of his election, reported that the committee had waited upon the Honorable Louis J. Brann, Governor-elect, and that he was pleased to reply that he accepted the office and would attend on the Legislature at such time as may be designated for the purpose of taking and subscribing the oaths required by the Constitution to qualify him for the discharge of his official duties.

On motion by Mr. Abbott of York, it was

Ordered, that a message be sent to the House of Representatives proposing a convention of both branches of the Legislature to be held forthwith in the Hall of the House for the purpose of administering to the Honorables George C. Lord, Raymond S. Oakes, Frank W. Carleton, Clyde H. Smith, Forrest H. Bond, Arthur A. Crafts and Ernest A. Woodman, the oaths required by the Constitution to qualify them to enter upon the discharge of their official duties, and for the further purpose of administering to the Honorable Louis J. Brann, Governor-elect, the oaths required by the Constitution to qualify him to enter upon the discharge of his official duties.

Subsequently a message was received from the House, by Mr. Pease, its clerk, concurring in the proposition for a joint convention for the purpose of administering the oaths to the Executive Councilors and to the Governor-elect.

The Senate retired to the Hall of the House of Representatives, where a joint convention was formed.

(For proceedings in Joint Convention see House Report.)

#### **In the Senate**

Upon the return of the Senators to their chamber the Senate was called to order by the President.

On motion by Mr. Story of Aroostook, it was

Ordered, the House concurring, (Senate Paper No. 14) that a Joint Select Committee of three on the part of the Senate, with such as the House may join, be appointed to consider the Governor's message and report a reference of its several subjects to appropriate committees.

The President appointed:

Senators

STORY of Aroostook

HATHAWAY of Piscataquis

McDONALD of Washington.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Farnsworth of Aroostook, it was

Ordered, the House concurring, (Senate Paper No. 15) that when the Senate and House adjourn, they adjourn to meet Tuesday, January 10th, at four-thirty o'clock in the afternoon.

Sent down for concurrence.

Subsequently the foregoing order came back from the House read and passed in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Holmes of Androscoggin, it was

Ordered, that the State Librarian be directed to provide each officer and member of the Senate with a copy of the Revised Statutes.

On motion by Mrs. Gay of Lincoln, it was

Ordered, that the President of the Senate be authorized to appoint a Folder for the Senate.

The Chair appointed Bruce C. Oglivie.

On motion by Mr. Holman of Franklin, it was

Ordered, that the use of the Senate Chamber be granted to the Maine State Bar Association for the afternoon of Wednesday, January 11, 1933.

On motion by Mr. Viles of Kennebec, it was

Ordered, that 2500 copies of the Governor's message be printed.

The President announced the appointment of the Senate members of the Joint Standing Committees to be joined with the members on the part of the House.

(For Joint Standing Committees see House report.)

On motion by Mr. Harmon of Hancock

Adjourned, until Tuesday afternoon, January 10th at four-thirty o'clock.