

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**SENATE**

Tuesday, January 24, 1933.

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Rev. H. Mortimer Gesner of Augusta.

Journal of Thursday, January 19th read and approved.

Papers from the House disposed of in concurrence.

From the House:

An act relating to absentee voters (H. P. 95)

In the House, referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

In the Senate, referred to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence, and on motion by Mr. Winn of Androscoggin five hundred copies ordered printed.

From the House:

An Act to amend the charter of the Portland Water District (S. P. 23, L. D. 25)

(In the Senate, January 10th, referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.)

In the House, indefinitely postponed in non-concurrence.

In the Senate, on motion by Mr. Littlefield of York, the Senate voted to recede and concur with the House in the indefinite postponement of the bill.

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

**Claims**

Mr. Kitchen of Aroostook: Resolve authorizing payment of accident compensation to Leon P. Shepard. (S. P. 63)

**Judiciary**

Mr. Viles of Kennebec: An Act to correct phraseology in section twenty-one of chapter ninety-two. (S. P. 64)

Mr. Weeks of Somerset: An Act to transfer law relating to the courts to the court chapter. (S. P. 65)

The same Senator: An Act to repeal obsolete law. (S. P. 66)

The same Senator: An Act to revise the municipal court chapter of the revised statutes. (S. P. 67)

The same Senator: An Act to transfer section eight of chapter

one hundred fifty-seven to chapter thirty-three. (S. P. 68)

The same Senator: An Act repealing obsolete sections. (S. P. 69)

The same Senator: An Act to revise the soldiers' bonus fund law. (S. P. 70)

The same Senator: An Act repealing obsolete law. (S. P. 71)

The same Senator: An Act to revise penalty provisions in chapter seventy-two. (S. P. 72)

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Harmon of Hancock: An Act relating to pedestrians on State Highways. (S. P. 73)

(500 copies ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

**Ways and Bridges**

Mr. Harmon of Hancock: Resolve in favor of the town of Southwest Harbor. (S. P. 74).

The same Senator: Resolve relating to maintenance of Mount Desert Island Bridge. (S. P. 75).

Sent down for concurrence.

**Orders**

On motion by Mr. Viles of Kennebec, it was

Ordered, the House concurring, that five hundred copies of the Report of the Recess Committee on Natural Beauty and Historic Spots (S. P. 16) be printed. (S. P. 76).

Sent down for concurrence.

**Orders of the Day**

On motion by Mr. Robie of Cumberland, the Senate voted to reconsider its former action, taken earlier in today's session, whereby An Act relating to the maintenance of the Androscoggin Lake Dam. (H. P. 66, L. D. 48) was referred to the Committee on Interior Waters in concurrence; and on further motion by the same Senator the bill was laid upon the table pending reference.

On motion by Mr. Weatherbee of Penobscot, the Senate voted to take from the table, An Act for the taxation of billboards and regulation and control of outdoor advertising (H. P. 37, L. D. 23) tabled by that Senator on January 18th pending reference in concurrence; and on further motion by the same Senator the bill was referred to the Committee on Taxation in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Kitchen of Aroostook, the Senate voted to take

from the table, Joint Order, relative to investigation of unemployment and relief problems (H. P. 2, L. D. 16), tabled by that Senator on January 18th pending reference in concurrence; and on further motion by the same Senator the order was referred to the Committee on Labor in concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Robie of Cumberland, the Senate voted to take from the table, An Act relating to the maintenance of the Androscoggin Lake Dam (H. P. 66, L. D. 48), tabled by that Senator earlier in today's session pending reference.

Mr. ROBIE of Cumberland: Mr. President, I now move that this bill be referred to the Committee on

Appropriations and Financial Affairs in concurrence.

The PRESIDENT: The Chair will state that this bill was improperly carried on the advance journal as referred in the House to the Committee on Interior Waters. It was referred in the House to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Is it now the pleasure of the Senate that this bill be referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs in concurrence?

The motion prevailed.

On motion by Mr. Pillsbury of Kennebec,

Adjourned, until ten o'clock tomorrow morning.