

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**SENATE**

Tuesday, January 8, 1935

Senate called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Rev. L. D. Porter of Gardiner.

Journal of Thursday, January 3, read and approved.

Mr. WINN of Androscoggin: Mr. President, it is with deep personal sorrow that I announce to you and to the Senate the death of the esteemed senator-elect, Elwood P. Weeks of Androscoggin, whose untimely passing occurred before he had assumed his seat. And I move that the President of the Senate be requested to extend the sympathy of this body to the afflicted family.

The PRESIDENT: The Senate hears with regret of the death of our Senator-elect, and sympathizes extremely with the delegation from Androscoggin County at their loss. The motion prevailed.

The President laid before the Senate the following bills and resolves which were referred to this Legislature by the last preceding Legislature.

An Act to Provide for the Completion of the Payment of a Bonus to Maine Soldiers and Sailors in the war with Spain. (S. P. 22)

(On motion by Mr. Burkett of Cumberland tabled pending reference to a committee).

**Banks and Banking**

Bill "An Act Relating to the Limitation of Stock Ownership and Voting Trusts." (S. P. 23)

Bill "An Act Relating to Liquidation of Banks." (S. P. 24)

Sent down for concurrence.

**Claims**

"Resolve to Reimburse the Town of Moscow for Support of Bert H. Clark and family." (S. P. 25)

"Resolve in favor of the City of Bangor." (S. P. 26)

"Resolve Appropriating Money to Pay the Claim of Louis Lipsitz Estate against the State of Maine." (S. P. 27)

"Resolve in favor of Estate of Luther Kountze." (S. P. 28)

"Resolve in favor of the Town of Orrington." (S. P. 29)

"Resolve in favor of Estate of Harmon L. Remmel." (S. P. 30)

"Resolve in Favor of Bucksport and Prospect Ferry Company." (S. P. 31)

"Resolve in Favor of the Estate of Charles M. Crofoot." (S. P. 32)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Carrie E. Smith." (S. P. 33)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Lenore Doster Cooke." (S. P. 34)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of William J. Neuenschwander." (S. P. 35)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Morgan Jones." (S. P. 36)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Frank H. Kidder." (S. J. 37)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Solomon Davis." (S. P. 38)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Charles H. Bayley." (S. P. 39)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Amy Gore Iasigi." (S. P. 40)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Abigail W. Clark." (S. P. 41)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of William Walden." (S. P. 42)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Edward B. Patch." (S. P. 43)

"Resolve in favor of the Estate of Rose Allen." (S. P. 44)

"Resolve in favor of Como Monumental Works." (S. P. 45)

"Resolve in favor of the Town of Jay for the Support of Arthur Chabot and Family." (S. P. 46)

Sent down for concurrence.

**Federal Relations**

Bill "An Act Providing for the Calling of Conventions for Adoption or Rejection of Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, Submitted by Congress to Conventions." (S. P. 47)

Sent down for concurrence.

**Judiciary**

Bill "An Act to Correct Technical Errors in Various Laws." (S. P. 48)

Bill "An Act Permitting the Louis Lipsitz Estate to Sue the State for Recovery of Succession Tax Assessed and Paid under Law held by United States Supreme Court to be Unconstitutional." (S. P. 49)

Sent down for concurrence.

**Legal Affairs**

Bill "An Act Relating to Special Elections of Legislators." (S. P. 50)

Sent down for concurrence.

**Maine Publicity**

Bill "An Act to Designate the State Highway from Waterville to Bar Harbor as 'Acadia Trail.'" (S. P. 51)

**Pensions**

"Resolve Granting a State Pension to Gertrude C. Coffin of Lisbon." (S. P. 52)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Charles E. Walsh of Waldoboro." (S. P. 53)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Emma Carey Bean, of Topsfield." (S. P. 54)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Rose M. Charlesworth of Portland." (S. P. 55)

"Resolve in Favor of a State Pension for Lucy Cuddy of Augusta." (S. P. 56)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Frances Hustus of Freedom." (S. P. 57)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Henry King, of Gardiner." (S. P. 58)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Lydia J. Williams of Gardiner." (S. P. 59)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Mary Frances Savage, of Gardiner." (S. P. 60)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Will Howard of Union." (S. P. 61)

"Resolve Providing for an Increase in State Pension for William H. Clark of Levant." (S. P. 62)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Artell A. Spear of Richmond." (S. P. 63)

"Resolve in Favor of Pension to Emma S. Anderson of Augusta." (S. P. 64)

"Resolve in Favor of Pension to Robert E. Taylor of Augusta." (S. P. 65)

"Resolve Providing a State Pension for Edwin McCray of East Corinth." (S. P. 66)

"Resolve for State Pension in Favor of Vinnie M. Poland of Gardiner." (S. P. 67)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Benjamin F. Howatt of Greene." (S. P. 68)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Katherine Closson of Searsport." (S. P. 69)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Emma Anderson of Augusta." (S. P. 70)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Will Howard of Union." (S. P. 71)

"Petition for Pension for Will Howard of Union." (S. P. 72)

"Resolve in Favor of a Pension for Eva May Snowman of Bar Harbor." (S. P. 73)

"Petition in Favor of Pension for Emma Anderson." (S. P. 74)

#### Sea and Shore Fisheries

"Resolve Protecting Cod, Haddock, and Other Ground Fish in Certain Waters of and Adjacent to Hancock County." (S. P. 75)

Which was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries. Sent down for concurrence.

#### State School for Boys, State School for Girls and State Reformatories

"Resolve in Favor of the State School for Girls." (S. P. 76)

Sent down for concurrence.

#### Taxation

Bill "An Act Relating to Abatement of Taxes." (S. P. 77)

Sent down for concurrence.

#### Ways and Bridges

"Resolve in favor of the Town of Fairfield." (S. P. 78)

Sent down for concurrence.

#### Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Bill "An Act to Assure a Balanced Budget." (S. P. 79)

Bill "An Act to Provide Flexibility in the Handling of State Revenues and Expenditures During the Period of the Present State Cash Stringency." (S. P. 80)

Sent down for concurrence.

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

#### Claims

Mr. Burkett of Cumberland presented "Resolve in favor of Lincoln M. Garnett of Portland." (S. P. 81)

Sent down for concurrence.

#### Judiciary

Mr. Bissett of Cumberland presented Bill "An Act Providing for a Retirement System for State Highway Police." (S. P. 82)

(500 copies ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

#### Military Affairs

Mr. Bissett of Cumberland presented Bill "An Act Relating to Exemption of Estates from Taxation." (S. P. 83)

(500 copies ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

**Pensions**

The same Senator presented "Resolve for a State Pension for Rose M. Charlesworth of Portland." (S. P. 84)

Sent down for concurrence.

**Ways and Bridges**

Mr. Fernald of Waldo presented

"Resolve in Favor of the City of Belfast." (S. P. 85)

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Blaisdell of Hancock,

Adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.