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OF THE

Ninety-Fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1951

**DAILY KENNEBEC JOURNAL
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SENATE

Friday, February 9, 1951.

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Prayer by the Rev. Edward W. Grilley Jr. of Augusta.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Joint Order

On motion by Mr. Crosby of Franklin, out of order and under suspension of the rules, it was

ORDERED, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they adjourn to meet on Tuesday, February 13th, 1951, at eleven o'clock in the morning. (S. P. 245)

Sent down for concurrence.

From the House

Bill "An Act Relating to the Town of Winthrop School District." (S. P. 35) (L. D. 21)

(In the Senate, on January 30th, passed to be engrossed.)

Comes from the House, passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" in non-concurrence.

In the Senate, on motion by Mr. Reid of Kennebec, the Senate voted to reconsider its former action whereby the bill was passed to be engrossed; House Amendment A was adopted in concurrence and the bill as amended by House Amendment A was passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Automobile Travel by State Employees." (H. P. 791) (L. D. 471)

Bill "An Act Providing for Funds for Civil Defense and Public Safety." (H. P. 792) (L. D. 472)

Bill "An Act Relating to Direct Payments for Hospital Care of Public Assistance Recipients." (H. P. 793) (L. D. 473)

"Resolve Providing Funds for Nursing Attendant Education." (H. P. 795) (L. D. 474)

"Resolve Relating to Surplus Property Pool for Institutions." (H. P. 796) (L. D. 491)

"Resolve Appropriating Moneys for General Administration of Inland Fish and Game Department." (H. P. 797) (L. D. 475)

"Resolve Creating a Fund for Scholarships for Vocational and Technical Schools." (H. P. 798) (L. D. 476)

"Resolve Providing for a Classroom and Library Building at Farmington State Teachers' College." (H. P. 799) (L. D. 492)

"Resolve Appropriating Moneys to Effectuate Salary Plan for State Employees." (H. P. 804) (L. D. 477)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Transfer of Corporate Stock." (H. P. 805) (L. D. 478)

Which was referred to the Committee on Business Legislation in concurrence.

"Resolve in Favor of Howard M. Irish, of Hartford." (H. P. 876)

"Resolve in Favor of Peter P. Testa, of Waterville." (H. P. 877)

"Resolve to Reimburse the Town of Pittston for Support and Care of Robert Calnan, Otherwise Known as Robert Callman." (H. P. 878)

"Resolve to Reimburse the Town of Dexter for Support Furnished to Henry Edward Hamilton." (H. P. 879)

"Resolve in Favor of Arthur H. Molasky of Gorham." (H. P. 880)

"Resolve in Favor of Charles Norton Pratt, of Leeds." (H. P. 881)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Claims in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Membership in State Board of Education." (H. P. 816) (L. D. 479)

Bill "An Act Relating to Full-time Supervisors." (H. P. 817) (L. D. 493)

Bill "An Act Relating to Minimum Salaries for Teachers." (H. P. 818) (L. D. 480)

"Resolve in Favor of Lee Academy." (H. P. 884)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Education in concurrence.

"Resolve in Favor of Certain Towns in York and Oxford Counties for Snow Removal." (H. P. 821) (L. D. 481)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of St. George." (H. P. 885)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Isle au Haut." (H. P. 886)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Peru." (H. P. 887)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Buckfield." (H. P. 888)

"Resolve in Favor of Salem Township." (H. P. 889)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Vassalboro." (H. P. 890)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Winslow." (H. P. 891)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Solon." (H. P. 892)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Solon." (H. P. 893)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of St. Albans." (H. P. 894)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Machiasport." (H. P. 895)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Carmel." (H. P. 895)

"Resolve in Favor of Freeman Township." (H. P. 897)

"Resolve in Favor of Perkins Township." (H. P. 898)

"Resolve in Favor of Washington Township." (H. P. 899)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Brunswick." (H. P. 900)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Columbia." (H. P. 901)

"Resolve in Favor of Township No. 31 M. D. Washington County." (H. P. 902)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Camden." (H. P. 903)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Hope." (H. P. 904)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Appleton." (H. P. 905)

"Resolve in Favor of New Canada Plantation." (H. P. 906)

"Resolve in Favor of Plantation of Winterville." (H. P. 907)

"Resolve in Favor of Plantation of Winterville." (H. P. 908)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Fryeburg." (H. P. 909)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Brownfield." (H. P. 910)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Hiram." (H. P. 911)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Byron." (H. P. 912)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Byron." (H. P. 913)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Swan's Island." (H. P. 914)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Southwest Harbor." (H. P. 915)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Lamoine." (H. P. 916)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Mount Desert." (H. P. 917)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Newport." (H. P. 918)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Shirley." (H. P. 919)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Monson." (H. P. 920)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Woodstock." (H. P. 921)

"Resolve in Favor of the Town of Paris." (H. P. 922)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Highways in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Certificates of Marriage." (H. P. 844) (L. D. 482)

Bill "An Act Relating to Contracts of Minors." (H. P. 845) (L. D. 483)

"Resolve in Favor of Winifred Malloy, of Hallowell." (H. P. 846) (L. D. 484)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Designating Hernia as an Occupational Disease." (H. P. 806) (L. D. 485)

Which was referred to the Committee on Labor in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Relating to Definition of Tavern in Liquor Law." (H. P. 847) (L. D. 486)

Bill "An Act Relating to Sales of Liquor to Minors." (H. P. 848) (L. D. 487)

Bill "An Act Repealing the Laws on Taverns Concerning Liquor." (H. P. 849) (L. D. 488)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Liquor Control in concurrence.

"Resolve Relating to Taking Crabs in Cumberland County." (H. P. 850) (L. D. 489)

Which was referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries in concurrence.

Bill "An Act Increasing the Use Fuel Tax." (H. P. 851) (L. D. 490)

Which was referred to the Committee on Taxation in concurrence.

"Resolve Providing for an Increase in State Pension for Berton Knight, of Peru." (H. P. 943)

"Resolve Providing for State Pension for George McGinley, of Mat-tawamkeag." (H. P. 944)

"Resolve Providing for State Pension for Sydney McLeod, of Mexico." (H. P. 945)

"Resolve Providing for an In-crease in State Pension for Al-bridge Raymond Ranks, of Ran-dolph." (H. P. 946)

"Resolve Providing for State Pen-sion for Alice Foster, of Dixmont." (H. P. 947)

"Resolve Providing for a State Pension for George W. Worthing, of Levant." (H. P. 948)

"Resolve Providing for State Pen-sion for Caroline R. White, of Au-gusta." (H. P. 949)

"Resolve Providing for State Pen-sion for Albert Farrar, of Rum-ford." (H. P. 950)

"Resolve Providing for State Pen-sion for Edwin Harris, of Mechanic Falls." (H. P. 951)

"Resolve Providing for State Pen-sion for Hugh Gallagher, of Me-chanic Falls." (H. P. 952)

"Resolve Providing for State Pension for Elva Morton, of Me-chanic Falls." (H. P. 953)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Welfare in con-currence.

Bill, "An Act Imposing a Sales and Use Tax for the Purpose of Raising Additional Revenue" (H. P. 1030)

Which was referred to the Com-mittee on Taxation in concurrence.

Referred to Committees

The following bills and resolves were received, and on recommenda-tion by the Committee on Refer-ence of Bills, were referred to the following committees:

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Mr. Haskell of Penobscot pre-sented "Resolve Appropriating Moneys for Automatic Emergency Electric Power for State Police Radio System." (S. P. 246)

Mr. Smart of Hancock presented Bill "An Act Relating to Salaries of State Liquor Commission." (S. P. 247)

Mr. Leavitt of Cumberland pre-sented "Resolve Appropriating Moneys for the Leasing, Operation and Maintenance of a State Office

Building in the City of Augusta." (S. P. 248)

(Each ordered printed.)
Sent down for concurrence.

Claims

Mr. McKusick of Piscataquis presented "Resolve to Reimburse the Town of Parkman for Support of Llewellyn Woodward and fam-ily." (S. P. 249)

Mr. Collins of Aroostook pre-sented "Resolve to Reimburse the Town of Blaine for Assistance to Non-Settled or General Relief Cases." (S. P. 250)

Sent down for concurrence.

Education

Mr. McKusick of Piscataquis presented Bill "An Act Relating to Apportionments from School Funds." (S. P. 251)

The same Senator presented Bill "An Act Providing for General Purpose Educational Aid to Cities, Towns, Plantations and Community School Districts." (S. P. 263)

Mr. Fuller of Oxford presented Bill "An Act to Revise Educational Subsidy and Tuition Regulations." (S. P. 264)

(Each ordered printed.)
Sent down for concurrence.

Highways

The same Senator presented "Re-solve in Favor of the Town of Sumner." (S. P. 252)

The same Senator presented "Re-solve in Favor of the Town of Buckfield." (S. P. 253)

Mr. Smart of Hancock presented "Resolve in Favor of the Town of Southwest Harbor." (S. P. 254)

Sent down for concurrence.

Inland Fisheries and Game

Mr. Boyker of Oxford presented "Resolve Opening Certain Ponds in Oxford County to Ice Fishing."

The same Senator presented "Resolve Closing Bartlette Brook, Oxford County, to Dipping of Smelts." (S. P. 256)

(Each ordered printed.)
Sent down for concurrence.

Natural Resources

Mr. Savage of Somerset presented Bill "An Act Relating to Slash and Brush Disposal." (S. P. 257)

(Ordered printed.)
Sent down for concurrence.

Public Health

Mrs. Kavanagh of Androscoggin presented "Resolve Appropriating Moneys for Materials for Free Inoculations." (S. P. 258)

(Ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Sea and Shore Fisheries

Mr. Larrabee of Sagadahoc presented Bill "An Act Relating to Interstate Transportation of Clams." (S. P. 259)

Mr. Sleeper of Knox presented, by request Bill "An Act Relating to Legal Length of Lobsters." (S. P. 260)

(Each ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Taxation

Mr. Marshall of York presented, by request Bill "An Act Relating to the Taxation of Telephone and Telegraph Companies and Electric Light and Power Companies." (S. P. 261)

(Ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Towns and Counties

Mr. Boucher of Androscoggin presented Bill "An Act Relating to Salaries of Members of Boards of Registration." (S. P. 262)

(Ordered printed.)

Sent down for concurrence.

Order

On motion by Mr. Crosby of Franklin, it was

ORDERED the House concurring that notwithstanding joint orders now in effect, all resolves and acts, full and complete data for which were in hands of the Director of Research on or before twelve o'clock noon February 8, 1951, shall be received notwithstanding said orders; and be it further

ORDERED that the said Director of Research shall file a list of titles of the resolves and acts, the full and complete data for which were in his hands at that time, with the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House.

Senate Committee Reports

Mr. Weeks from the Committee on Legal Affairs on Bill "An Act Relating to Hours of Sunday Sports," (S. P. 25) reported that the same ought not to pass.

Which report was read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion by Mr. Crosby of Franklin

Adjourned until Tuesday, February 13, 1951 at eleven o'clock in the morning.