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**LEGISLATIVE RECORD**

**OF THE**

*Ninety-Sixth Legislature*

**OF THE**

**STATE OF MAINE**

**1953**

**DAILY KENNEBEC JOURNAL  
AUGUSTA, MAINE**

**HOUSE**

Thursday, March 5, 1953

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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. John S. Pendleton of Fairfield.

The journal of the previous session was read and approved.

**Papers from the Senate**

From the Senate:

The following Order:

**ORDERED**, the House concurring, that the joint select committee appointed by authority of Joint Order S. P. 157, Relative to Apportionment of Representatives, shall be known as the Committee on Reapportionment (S. P. 461)

Came from the Senate read and passed.

In the House, the Order was read and passed in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act relating to Certain Policies of Insurance by Companies Organized Under General Law" (S. P. 433) (L. D. 1210)

Bill "An Act relating to the Executive Office" (S. P. 434) (L. D. 1203)

Bill "An Act relating to Acts of Employees of a Partnership as Insurance Agents" (S. P. 435) (L. D. 1202)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Business Legislation.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Business Legislation in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act relating to Regrouping of Towns in Supervisory Unions" (S. P. 436) (L. D. 1204)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Education.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Education in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution to Provide for Appointment of Attorney General by the Governor (S. P. 437) (L. D. 1205)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Judiciary in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act relating to Adoption of a Certain Child" (S. P. 438) (L. D. 1206)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Liquor Laws" (S. P. 439) (L. D. 1207)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Liquor Control.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Liquor Control in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act relating to the Packing of Sardines" (S. P. 440) (L. D. 1209)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

In the House, on motion of Mr. Fuller of South Portland, the Bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture in non-concurrence and was sent up for concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act relating to Interstate Transportation of Shellfish" (S. P. 441) (L. D. 1208)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries in concurrence.

From the Senate:

The following Order:

**ORDERED**, the House concurring, that when the Senate and House adjourn, they adjourn to meet on Tuesday, March 10, 1953, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. (S. P. 466)

Came from the Senate read and passed.

In the House, read and passed in concurrence.

### Senate Reports of Committees Ought Not to Pass

Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act providing for the Election of all State Officials by the People" (S. P. 173) (L. D. 417)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to Election of Commissioner of Agriculture and State Auditor by the People" (S. P. 174) (L. D. 416)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Changing the Tenure of Office of Governor to Four-Year Terms (S. P. 31) (L. D. 34)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution to Elect Secretary of State, Treasurer of State and Attorney General by the People (S. P. 176) (L. D. 415)

Came from the Senate read and accepted.

In the House, Reports were read and accepted in concurrence.

### Ought to Pass

Report of the Committee on Business Legislation reporting "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to the Examination of Insurance Agents" (S. P. 106) (L. D. 306)

Report of the Committee on Judiciary reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to the Bangor Public Library" (S. P. 124) (L. D. 333)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to Amend the Charter of Great Northern Paper Company, Formerly Northern Development Company" (S. P. 125) (L. D. 334)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to the Consolidation or Merger of Wholly Owned Subsidiaries into Their Parent Corporation" (S. P. 126) (L. D. 335)

Report of the Committee on Liquor Control reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to Suspension and Revocation of Liquor Licenses" (S. P. 135) (L. D. 322)

Report of the Committee on Natural Resources reporting same on Bill "An Act Authorizing the

Construction of an Intake Structure and the Taking of Water from Craig Pond, Hancock County" (S. P. 115) (L. D. 329)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act relating to Insects and Diseases of Trees" (S. P. 210) (L. D. 546)

Report of the Committee on Taxation reporting same on Bill "An Act to Prevent Multiple Sales or Use Taxes" (S. P. 73) (L. D. 157)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Bill "An Act to Clarify the Exemption from Sales and Use Tax of Prescribed Medicine" (S. P. 211) (L. D. 547)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve Directing Review of Property Tax Statutes (S. P. 189) (L. D. 428)

Came from the Senate with the Reports read and accepted and the Bills and Resolve passed to be engrossed.

In the House, Reports were read and accepted in concurrence, Bills read twice, Resolve read once, and assigned for the next legislative day.

### Ought to Pass with Committee Amendment

Report of the Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act relating to Financial Responsibility" (S. P. 61) (L. D. 125) reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Came from the Senate with the Report read and accepted and the Bill passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A".

In the House, Report was read and accepted in concurrence and the Bill read twice.

Committee Amendment "A" was read by the Clerk as follows:

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A"**  
to S. P. 61, L. D. 125, Bill "An Act Relating to Financial Responsibility."

Amend said bill by striking out the whole of section 1 and inserting in place thereof the following:

**"Sec. 1, R. S., c. 19, § 64, Sub-§ II, amended.** Subsection II of section 64 of chapter 19 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

**'II. Secretary to administer §§64 to 71; court review.** The secretary

shall administer and enforce the provisions of sections 64 to 71, inclusive, and he is authorized to adopt and enforce such regulations as may be necessary for their administration. **He is hereby authorized to remove and destroy all records and papers in his office pertaining to the financial responsibility law which are more than 3 years old, are not in use and which in his judgment are no longer of value.** Any person aggrieved by an order or act of the secretary under the provisions of said sections may, within 10 days after notice thereof, file a petition for a review thereof in the superior court of the county in which one of the parties resides, and if both plaintiff and defendant are non-residents, then in the county where the accident occurred; but the filing of such petition shall not suspend the order or act unless a stay thereof shall be allowed by a judge of said court pending final determination of the review. The court shall summarily hear the petition and may make any appropriate order or decree."

Committee Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence and the Bill assigned for third reading the next legislative day.

#### Tabled

Report of the Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act relating to Liability for Willfully Injuring or Killing Dogs" (S. P. 128) (L. D. 337) reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Report was read.

(On motion of Mr. Turner of Auburn, the Report, with accompanying papers, was tabled pending acceptance of Committee Report in concurrence.)

Report of the Committee on Welfare on Bill "An Act relating to the Advisory Council of Health and Welfare" (S. P. 119) (L. D. 317) reporting "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Came from the Senate with the Report read and accepted and the Bill passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A".

In the House, Report was read and accepted and the Bill read twice.

Committee Amendment "A" was read by the Clerk as follows:

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S. P. 119, L. D. 317, Bill "An Act Relating to the Advisory Council of Health and Welfare."

Amend said Bill by adding after the period at the end of section 1 thereof the following underlined sentence:

**'The committee shall meet at least twice in each calendar year; one such meeting shall be held annually in October, at which time a chairman and vice-chairman shall be elected from its members.'**

Committee Amendment "A" was adopted in concurrence and the Bill assigned for third reading the next legislative day.

#### Messages and Documents

The following Communication:  
(H. P. 1150)

STATE OF MAINE  
Department of Health  
and Welfare  
Augusta

March 4, 1953

President of the Senate and  
Speaker of the House of  
Representatives

Ninety-Sixth Legislature  
State House  
Augusta, Maine  
Gentlemen:

This is to certify that Archie La-Coote at an election held at Peter Dana Point, Princeton, Maine on October 7, 1952, was elected to represent the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians at the Legislature from January 1, 1953 to December 31, 1954.

Respectfully,

(Signed) David H. Stevens  
Commissioner

Was read and ordered placed on file and sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Miss Cormier of Rumford, House Rule 25 was suspended for the remainder of today's session, in order to permit smoking.

The SPEAKER: The Chair, at this time, will request the Assistant

Sergeant-at-Arms to escort the gentleman from Saco, Mr. Fitanides, to the rostrum, for the purpose of presiding as Speaker pro tem.

Thereupon, Mr. Fitanides was escorted by the Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms to the rostrum, where he assumed the Chair amid the applause of the House, and Speaker Bates retired.

#### **Petition, Bills and Resolves Requiring Reference**

The following Petition, Bills and Resolves (transmitted by the Director of Legislative Research pursuant to Joint Order, S. P. 29) were received and, upon recommendation of the Committee on Reference of Bills, were referred to the following Committees:

#### **Appropriations and Financial Affairs**

Petition of Mary R. Stevens of Westbrook, Maine and 21 others in Favor of Bookmobile Bill, H. P. 2, L. D. 2 (H. P. 1151) (Presented by Mr. Larrabee of Westbrook)  
Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve to Provide for Studying Winter Sports Development Potentialities (H. P. 1152) (Presented by Mr. Vaughan of Hallowell)  
(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### **Highways**

Bill "An Act relating to Reclassification of State Aid Highways as Town Ways" (H. P. 1153) (Presented by Mr. Ludwig of Hope)  
(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### **Inland Fisheries and Game**

Bill "An Act relating to Time of Petitions and Hearings on Adverse Conditions of Fish" (H. P. 1154) (Presented by Mr. Buckley of Leeds)  
(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### **Judiciary**

Bill "An Act to Authorize Bonds in the Amount of Fourteen Million Dollars for Bonus to Maine Veterans of World War II and Korean Campaign and to Repay Bonds by Additional Cigarette and Tobacco Taxes" (H. P. 1155) (Presented by Mr. Albert of Augusta.)  
(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution to Provide for a Bonus to Maine Veterans of World War II and the Korean Campaign (H. P. 1156) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Trespass" (H. P. 1157) (Presented by Mr. Bailey of Woolwich)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### **Public Utilities**

Bill "An Act to Incorporate the Westbrook Sewerage District" (H. P. 1158) (Presented by Mr. Travis of Westbrook)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### **Sea and Shore Fisheries**

Bill "An Act relating to Conservation of Clams" (H. P. 1159) (Presented by Mr. Stanwood of Steuben by request)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### **Towns and Counties**

Bill "An Act relating to Clarification of Municipal School Appropriations" (H. P. 1160) (Presented by Mr. Fuller of South Portland)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### **Welfare**

Resolve providing for State Pension for Blanche Lavoie of Grand Isle (H. P. 1161) (Presented by Mr. Madore of Van Buren)

Resolve providing for State Pension for Olive Leonard of Grand Isle (H. P. 1162) (Presented by same gentleman)

Sent up for concurrence.

#### **Orders**

On motion of Mr. Albert of Augusta, it was

ORDERED, that permission is hereby granted for speakers to be connected to the House Public Address System and located in the office of the President of the Senate, the Secretary of the Senate, the Executive Department and the Council Chamber until the House shall otherwise order.

**House Reports of Committees  
Divided Report  
Tabled and Assigned**

Majority Report of the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reporting "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to the Use of Trawls in Washington County" (H. P. 543) (L. D. 524)

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs. BROWN of Washington  
LITTLEFIELD of York  
DOW of Lincoln

—of the Senate

Messrs. HIGGINS of Scarborough  
HANSON of Machiasport  
STANWOOD of Steuben  
TUPPER of Boothbay Harbor  
GILMAN of Portland

—of the House

Minority Report of same Committee reporting "Ought to pass" on same Bill.

Report was signed by the following members:

Messrs. BILLINGS of Stonington  
McCLUSKEY of Warren

—of the House

Reports were read.

(On motion of Mr. Winchenpaw of Friendship, the two Reports, with accompanying papers, were tabled pending acceptance of either Report, and specially assigned for Thursday, March 12)

**Ought to Pass  
Printed Bills**

Mr. Bearce from the Committee on Agriculture reported "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Stipend to Agricultural Societies" (H. P. 626) (L. D. 650)

Mr. Center from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Expenses of Dairymen's Conference" (H. P. 309) (L. D. 381)

Mr. Emerson from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Proceeds from Sale of Carcass of Diseased Animals" (H. P. 713) (L. D. 737)

Mr. Gosline from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Cattle Diseased with Tuberculosis" (H. P. 627) (L. D. 651)

Mr. Taylor from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act Repealing Law relating to Record of

Advertised Stallions" (H. P. 714) (L. D. 738)

Mr. Burgess from the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs reported same on Bill "An Act to Repeal the Liquor Research Commission Law and Provide that the Department of Health and Welfare Assume Certain Responsibilities relating to Alcoholism" (H. P. 206) (L. D. 237)

Reports were read and accepted, the Bills read twice and assigned the next legislative day.

**Tabled and Assigned**

Mr. Vaughan from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "Ought to Pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Daily Bag Limit on Rabbits in York County" (H. P. 806) (L. D. 890)

Report was read and accepted.

(On motion of Mr. Seaward of Kittery, the Report, with accompanying papers, was tabled pending first reading and specially assigned for Wednesday, March 11.)

Mr. Vaughan from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported "Ought to Pass" on Resolve Closing Sandy Stream in the County of Somerset to All Fishing (H. P. 740) (L. D. 757)

Mr. Watson from same Committee reported same on Resolve Regulating Fishing in Warren Pond, York County (H. P. 813) (L. D. 897)

Mr. Hand from the Committee on Legal Affairs reported same on Bill "An Act Repealing the Charter of the Boothbay Region Community School District" (H. P. 189) (L. D. 200)

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Warrant Committee of Town of Sanford" (H. P. 346) (L. D. 361)

Mr. Stewart of Portland from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Tree Surgeons" (H. P. 348) (L. D. 364)

Reports were read and accepted, Bills read twice, Resolves read once, and assigned for the next legislative day.

**Ought to Pass with Committee  
Amendment**

Mr. Bailey from the Committee on Agriculture on Bill "An Act re-

lating to Vaccination of Cattle Over Eight Months of Age" (H. P. 623) (L. D. 648) reported "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Report was read and accepted and the Bill read twice.

Committee Amendment "A" was read by the Clerk as follows:

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A"**  
to H. P. 623, L. D. 648, "An Act Relating to Vaccination of Cattle Over Eight Months of Age."

Amend said bill by adding the words "**Any Person, Partnership, Association or Corporation which shall violate the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$25 for the 1st offense, and not more than \$50 for each subsequent offense.**", following the words "**as directed by him.**", in the last line of Sec. 73-B.

Committee Amendment "A" was adopted and the Bill was assigned for third reading the next legislative day.

Mr. Watson from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game on Resolve Opening Moose River to Fishing (H. P. 217) (L. D. 244) reported "Ought to pass" as amended by Committee Amendment "A" submitted therewith.

Report was read and accepted and the Resolve read once.

Committee Amendment "A" was read by the Clerk as follows:

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A"**  
to H. P. 217, L. D. 244, Resolve Opening Moose River to Fishing.

Amend said resolve by inserting after the underlined word "**opening**" in the third line the underlined words "**that portion of**"

Further amend said resolve by inserting after the underlined word "**from**" in said third line the underlined words and punctuation "**a point a distance 500 feet downstream, measuring from the cement work of**"

Further amend said resolve by striking out the underlined numeral "**15th**" and inserting the underlined numeral "**30th**" after the underlined word "**September**" in the fifth line thereof.

Further amend said resolve by inserting at the end of said resolve the following underlined words "**Fly**

**fishing only from September 15th to September 30th'**

Committee Amendment "A" was adopted and the Resolve was assigned for second reading the next legislative day.

At this point, Speaker Bates returned to the rostrum.

**SPEAKER BATES:** Mr. Fitanides, I am very, very happy to present you with this memento of the occasion.

Thereupon, Speaker Bates presented Mr. Fitanides with a desk plaque, and Mr. Fitanides was escorted to his seat on the floor, amid the applause of the House, and Speaker Bates resumed the Chair.

#### Passed to be Engrossed

Bill "An Act Authorizing Husson College to Confer Degrees" (S. P. 87) (L. D. 193)

Bill "An Act relating to Liquor Commission Functions" (S. P. 223) (L. D. 593)

Bill "An Act relating to Numbers Boards in State Stores" (S. P. 227) (L. D. 589)

Bill "An Act relating to Minimum Speed of Motor Vehicles" (H. P. 37) (L. D. 31)

Bill "An Act to Clarify Records as to Tax Mortgages" (H. P. 105) (L. D. 106)

Bill "An Act to Clarify the Aviation Laws" (H. P. 451) (L. D. 446)

Bill "An Act relating to Registration Certificates for Airmen, Aircraft and Air Carriers" (H. P. 452) (L. D. 447)

Bill "An Act relating to Exemptions for Non-Resident Airmen" (H. P. 453) (L. D. 448)

Bill "An Act relating to Exemptions for Non-Resident Aircraft" (H. P. 454) (L. D. 449)

Were reported by the Committee on Bills in the Tihrd Reading, read the third time, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.

#### Amended Bills

Bill "An Act to Create a Motor Vehicle Dealer Registration Board" (H. P. 244) (L. D. 225)

Bill "An Act relating to Salaries of Certain County Officers of Washington County" (H. P. 359) (L. D. 375)

Bill "An Act to Increase the Salaries of the Judge and Recorder of



the Kennebunk Municipal Court" (H. P. 548) (L. D. 528)

Bill "An Act to Increase the Salary of Deputy Clerk of Courts, Penobscot County" (H. P. 552) (L. D. 532)

Resolve in favor of the Dragon Cement Company, Inc. (H. P. 91) (L. D. 95)

Resolve Appropriating Money for the Lands Reserved for Public Uses Trust Fund (H. P. 312) (L. D. 384)

Resolve in favor of W. Lawrence Doble, of Milo (H. P. 493) (L. D. 1258)

Were reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, Bills read the third time, Resolves read the second time, all passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A" and sent to the Senate.

#### Orders of the Day

The SPEAKER: Under Orders of the Day, the Chair lays before the House the first tabled and today assigned matter, House Report "Ought not to pass" of the Committee on Judiciary on Bill "An Act relating to Night Hunting of Wild Animals" (H. P. 221) (L. D. 248) tabled on March 4 by the gentleman from Fairfield, Mr. Osborne, pending acceptance of the Report; and the Chair recognizes that gentleman.

On motion of Mr. Osborne, the "Ought not to pass" Report of the Committee was accepted and sent up for concurrence.

The SPEAKER: The Chair now lays before the House the second tabled and today assigned matter, Resolve in favor of Freelow Crummit of Whitefield (H. P. 404) (L. D. 1159) tabled on March 4 by the gentleman from Moose River Plantation, Mr. Watson, pending second reading; and the Chair recognizes that gentleman.

Mr. WATSON: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: Inasmuch as this resolve is the same as the resolves on deer damage which we indefinitely postponed two days ago, I now move that this item be indefinitely postponed.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Moose River Plantation, Mr. Watson, moves that Resolve in

favor of Freelow Crummit of Whitefield (H. P. 404) (L. D. 1159) be indefinitely postponed and sent up for concurrence. Is this the pleasure of the House?

(Cry of "No")

The SPEAKER: As many as are in favor of the indefinite postponement of this resolve will please manifest their desire by saying aye; those opposed will please manifest their desire by saying no.

A viva voce vote being taken, the motion prevailed and the Resolve was indefinitely postponed and sent up for concurrence.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Belfast, Mr. Clements.

Mr. CLEMENTS: Mr. Speaker, I would like to inquire if Legislative Document 380, Bill "An Act Relating to Hospital Aid" is in the possession of the House.

The SPEAKER: The Chair is informed that House Paper 364, Legislative Document 380, Bill "An Act Relating to Hospital Aid" is in possession of the House.

Mr. CLEMENTS: Mr. Speaker, I would move that the House reconsider its action of yesterday whereby this bill was passed to be engrossed as amended.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Belfast, Mr. Clements, moves that the House reconsider its action of yesterday whereby it passed to be engrossed Bill "An Act Relating to Hospital Aid" (H. P. 364) (L. D. 380) as amended by House Amendment "A". Is this the pleasure of the House?

The motion prevailed and on further motion of Mr. Clements the Bill with accompanying papers was recommitted to the Committee on Welfare in non-concurrence and sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Trafton of Auburn, the House voted to take from the table the eighth tabled and unassigned matter, Bill "An Act to Require that a Modern Mortality Table be Used in Inheritance Tax Calculations" (S. P. 82) (L. D. 189) tabled on February 25 by that gentleman pending third reading.

Mr. Trafton then offered House Amendment "A" and moved its adoption.

House Amendment "A" was read by the Clerk as follows:

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to S. P. 82, L. D. 189, Bill "An Act to Require That a Modern Mortality Table be Used in Inheritance Tax Calculations."

Amend said bill by striking out in the 8th line the underlined word "latest" and substituting therefor the underlined numerals '1940'

Further amend said bill by striking out in the 8th and 9th lines the underlined words "for which such tables are published"

House Amendment "A" was adopted, the Bill was given its third reading, passed to be engrossed as amended in non-concurrence and sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Stewart of Portland, the House voted to take from the table the third tabled and unassigned matter, Bill "An Act relating to State Stipend for Counties and Towns" (H. P. 113) (L. D. 115) tabled on February 18 by that gentleman pending adoption of House Amendment "A".

Mr. Stewart then moved that House Amendment "A" be adopted.

House Amendment "A" was read by the Clerk as follows:

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 113, L. D. 115, Bill "An Act Relating to State Stipend for Counties and Towns."

Amend said Bill by striking off from the title at the end thereof the words 'and Towns'.

House Amendment "A" was adopted, the Bill was given its third reading, passed to be engrossed as amended by Committee Amendment "A" and House Amendment "A" and sent to the Senate.

The SPEAKER: The House is proceeding under Orders of the Day.

The Chair wishes to announce that on the disagreeing action of the two branches of the Legislature on Bill "An Act Relating to Sale of Malt Liquor in Non-Returnable Bottles" (H. P. 145) (L. D. 143) the Chair has appointed as conferees on the part of the House:

Messrs: OSBORNE of Fairfield  
POTTER of Medway  
SMALL of Mexico

The SPEAKER: If there is no further business to come before the House, the Clerk will read the notices.

On motion of Mr. Willey of Ellsworth,

Adjourned until Tuesday, March 10, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.