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

Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Valton V. Morse of Congregational Parish, Cumberland Center.

The members stood at attention during the playing of the National Anthem.

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 Standing Committee on Retirements and Pensions be and hereby is directed to investigate all special resolve pensions presently existing and that upon the completion of such study, the Committee be directed to report their findings and conclusions to this Legislature (S. P. 318)

Came from the Senate read and passed.

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

The SPEAKER: At this time the Chair would like to recognize the presence in the gallery of the House of two groups of students from Lewiston High School under the escort of Miss Geneva Kirk. One group is from the Future Teachers' Club and the other group from the Political Science Forum. The Chair takes great pleasure in welcoming you young ladies and gentlemen to the House and we hope that your visit with us will be both instructive and enjoyable. (Applause)

From the Senate:

Resolve to Construct Dormitory for Women at Gorham State Teachers College (S. P. 251) (L. D. 690)

Resolve Appropriating Moneys for Auto Mechanics Shop at Maine Vocational Technical Institute (S. P. 252) (L. D. 689)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act relating to Legal Investments for Savings Banks" (S. P. 253) (L. D. 691)

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 the Use of Artificial Lights for Lighting Game" (S. P. 254) (L. D. 693)

Bill "An Act Creating the Oak Grove Management Area" (S. P. 255) (L. D. 692)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act to Authorize the State of Maine to Enter into a Compact with the States of Vermont and New Hampshire to Establish a Tri-State Regional Medical Needs Board" (S. P. 256) (L. D. 694)

Resolve Providing for Judicial Review of Certain Criminal Judgments (S. P. 257) (L. D. 695)

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 Claims for Compensation for Hernia" (S. P. 258) (L. D. 698)

Bill "An Act relating to Time Limitations for Filing Petitions under Workmen's Compensation Act" (S. P. 259) (L. D. 697)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Labor.

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

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act relating to Payments by Town of Northport to Northport Village Corporation" (S. P. 260) (L. D. 699)

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 relating to Applications for Liquor Licenses" (S. P. 261) (L. D. 700)

Bill "An Act relating to Persons to Whom Liquor Licenses May Not Be Issued" (S. P. 262) (L. D. 701)

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 Duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture re Sardine Canning Inspection Law and Standards of Contents of Cans" (S. P. 263) (L. D. 702)

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:

Bill "An Act relating to Removal of Persons from Service in Department of Inland Fisheries and Game" (S. P. 264) (L. D. 703)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on State Government.

In the House, referred to the Committee on State Government in concurrence.

From the Senate:

Bill "An Act relating to Closing of Somerset County Offices on Saturdays" (S. P. 265) (L. D. 707)

Bill "An Act Permitting County Commissioners to Lay out Public Right of Way to Great Ponds" (S. P. 266) (L. D. 706)

Bill "An Act Increasing Price Adjustment Maximum for Support of Debtor in Jail" (S. P. 267) (L. D. 705)

Bill "An Act relating to Sessions of Boards of Registration" (S. P. 268) (L. D. 704)

Came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties.

In the House, referred to the Committee on Towns and Counties in concurrence.

Senate Reports of Committees Ought Not to Pass

Report of the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reporting "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Sunday Hunting" (S. P. 97) (L. D. 227)

Report of same Committee reporting same on Resolve Regulating Fishing in Umbagog Lake, Oxford County (S. P. 101) (L. D. 231)

Came from the Senate read and accepted.

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

Recommended

Report of the Committee on Business Legislation reporting "Ought not to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Employment Offices" (S. P. 41) (L. D. 57)

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

In the House, the Reports were recommended to the Committee on Business Legislation in concurrence.

Petitions, Bills and Resolves Requiring Reference

The following 15 Bills (transmitted by the Director of Legislative Research pursuant to Joint Order) (H. P. 43) were received and, upon recommendation of the Committee on Reference of Bills, were referred to the following Committees:

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Bill "An Act Appropriating Monies for Anticipated Overdraft in Harness Racing Commission Due to Insufficient Appropriations" (H. P. 563) (Presented by Mr. Heald of Union by request)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Business Legislation

Bill "An Act Increasing Insured Perils Underwritten by Union Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company" (H. P. 564) (Presented by Mr. Heald of Union)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Judiciary

Bill "An Act Authorizing Construction of a Breakwater Across Mill Cove, Hancock County" (H. P.

565) (Presented by Mr. Shepard of Stonington)
 (Ordered Printed)
 Sent up for concurrence.

Legal Affairs

Bill "An Act Amending the Charter of the Relief Association of the Portland Fire Department" (H. P. 566) (Presented by Mr. Childs of Portland)
 (Ordered Printed)
 Sent up for concurrence.

Natural Resources

Bill "An Act to Authorize Construction and Maintenance of a Wharf in Long Lake at Naples by John Troup" (H. P. 567) (Presented by Mr. Morrill of Harrison)
 (Ordered Printed)
 Sent up for concurrence.

Public Utilities

Bill "An Act relating to Source of Supply of the Brewer Water District" (H. P. 568) (Presented by Mr. Lindsay of Brewer)
 (Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act to Incorporate the Topsham Sewer District" (H. P. 569) (Presented by Mr. Jack of Topsham by request)
 (Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to the Election of Trustees of the Winthrop Water District" (H. P. 570) (Presented by Mr. Maxwell of Winthrop)
 (Ordered Printed)
 Sent up for concurrence.

Sea and Shore Fisheries

Bill "An Act relating to Digging Clams, Quahogs and Mussels in Town of Yarmouth, Cumberland County" (H. P. 571) (Presented by Mrs. Knapp of Yarmouth by request)
 (Ordered Printed)
 Sent up for concurrence.

Towns and Counties

Bill "An Act to Increase Salaries of Judge and Recorder of Houlton Municipal Court" (H. P. 572) (Presented by Mr. Ervin of Houlton)
 (Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Payment of Expenses and Rental of Lewiston Municipal Court" (H. P. 573)

(Presented by Mr. Jalbert of Lewiston by request)

(Ordered Printed)
 Bill "An Act relating to Payment of Fees of Auburn Municipal Court" (H. P. 574) (Presented by same gentleman by request)

(Ordered Printed)
 Bill "An Act relating to Payment of Expenses of Auburn Municipal Court" (H. P. 575) (Presented by same gentleman by request)

(Ordered Printed)
 Bill "An Act to Change the Name of the Town of North Kennebunkport, York County, to Arundel" (H. P. 576) (Presented by Mr. Plante of Old Orchard Beach by request)

(Ordered Printed)
 Bill "An Act relating to the Disposition of Fees of the Auburn Municipal Court" (H. P. 577) (Presented by Mr. Wade of Auburn)

(Ordered Printed)
 Sent up for concurrence.

Agriculture

Bill "An Act relating to Compulsory Vaccination of Calves" (H. P. 578) (Presented by Mr. Emery of Palmyra)

(Ordered Printed)
 Sent up for concurrence.

Appropriations and Financial Affairs

Bill "An Act relating to Calhood Vaccination" (H. P. 579) (Presented by Mr. Emery of Palmyra)

(Ordered Printed)
 Resolve Appropriating Moneys for a Multi-Purpose Building at Aroostook State Teachers' College (H. P. 580) (Presented by Mrs. Christie of Presque Isle)

(Ordered Printed)
 Resolve Authorizing Funds for Medical and Dental Education for New England Board of Higher Education (H. P. 581) (Presented by Miss Cormier of Rumford)

(Ordered Printed)
 Resolve Creating University of Maine Scholarship Fund (H. P. 582) (Presented by same member by request)

(Ordered Printed)
 Resolve in favor of the Town of New Gloucester (H. P. 583) (Presented by Mr. Edwards of Raymond)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Establishing Control Program for Abatement of Mosquitoes in Cranberry Isles (H. P. 584) (Presented by Mr. Graves of Northeast Harbor)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Appropriating Moneys to Construct a Drill Hall at Maine Maritime Academy (H. P. 585) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Appropriating Moneys for Testing Tanks for State Sealer of Weights and Measures (H. P. 586) (Presented by Mr. Haughn of Bridgton)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve relating to Construction of a Road and Terminal in City of Rockland (H. P. 587) (Presented by Mr. Stilphen of Rockland)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Authorizing Forestry Resource Survey (H. P. 588) (Presented by Mr. Brewer of Caribou) (750 copies Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Business Legislation

Bill "An Act relating to Partial Closing of Banks on Saturdays" (H. P. 589) (Presented by Mr. Blanchard of Wilton)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act to Incorporate the Farrar-Brown Finance Company" (H. P. 590) (Presented by Mr. Childs of Portland)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Payment of Premium of Insurance Policies under Franchise Plan" (H. P. 591) (Presented by Mr. Hughes of St. Albans)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Filing Date of Annual Statement of Insurance Companies" (H. P. 592) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Rate of Interest Charged by Licensed Small Loan Agencies" (H. P. 593) (Presented by Mr. Jack of Topsham) (750 copies Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Claims

Resolve in favor of Harmon Rogers of Topsham (H. P. 594) (Presented by Mr. Jack of Topsham) (Ordered Printed)

Resolve in favor of Henry K. Morey of Deer Isle (H. P. 595) (Presented by Mr. Shepard of Stonington)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve in favor of Chester Fredericks of Norridgewock (H. P. 596) (Presented by Mr. Hughes of St. Albans by request)

Resolve to Reimburse Town of Thomaston for Aid Furnished Mary Hurd (H. P. 597) (Presented by Mr. Winchenpaw of Friendship)

Sent up for concurrence.

Education

Bill "An Act relating to Children Resident at Private Tax-Exempt Institutions" (H. P. 598) (Presented by Mr. Edwards of Raymond)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Highways

Bill "An Act relating to Repairs of Roads in Unorganized Territory and Deorganized Towns" (H. P. 599) (Presented by Mrs. Harriman of Lovell)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Northern Terminus of Maine Turnpike" (H. P. 600) (Presented by Mr. Pierce of Bucksport)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Inland Fisheries and Game

Bill "An Act Prohibiting Dogs Running at Large" (H. P. 601) (Presented by Mr. Edwards of Raymond)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Taking of Smelts in Certain Waters" (H. P. 602) (Presented by Mr. Frazier of Lee)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act Closing Cranberry Isles to all Deer Hunting" (H. P. 603) (Presented by Mr. Graves of Northeast Harbor)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Regulating Fishing in Hill's Pond, Franklin County (H. P. 604) (Presented by Mr. Blanchard of Wilton)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Regulating Ice Fishing in Grand Lake, Washington County (H.

P. 605) (Presented by Mr. Wheaton of Princeton)
(Ordered Printed)
Sent up for concurrence.

Judiciary

Bill "An Act Prohibiting Television Advertising of Alcoholic Beverages" (H. P. 606) (Presented by Mr. Bruce of Buxton)

(750 copies Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act to Apportion Damages Due to Contributory Negligence" (H. P. 607) (Presented by Mr. Earles of South Portland)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Actions for Injuries Causing Death" (H. P. 608) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Duties of and Reimbursement for the Reporter of Decisions" (H. P. 609) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act Repealing Law on Inspection of Records of Clerks of Courts" (H. P. 610) (Presented by Mr. Emmons of Kennebunk)

(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Disorderly Conduct" (H. P. 611) (Presented by Mr. Hancock of York)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Authorizing Arthur W. Bushey and Alice Bushey, both of Waterville, John Tibbetts, Archie Leeman and Oscar Bradstreet, all of Palermo, to Sue the State of Maine (H. P. 612) (Presented by Mr. Coyne of Waterville)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Liquor Control

Bill "An Act relating to Liquor Bought from the Commission by Licensees" (H. P. 613) (Presented by Mr. Pierce of Bucksport)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Natural Resources

Resolve Authorizing Attorney General to Investigate Title to Certain Island in B. Pond, Piscataquis County (H. P. 614) (Presented by Mr. Dudley of Enfield)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Public Utilities

Bill "An Act relating to Operating Motor Vehicles for Carrying Passengers for Hire" (H. P. 615) (Presented by Mr. Haughn of Bridgton)
(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Definition of Common Carriers" (H. P. 616) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered Printed)

Sent up for concurrence.

Retirements and Pensions

Bill "An Act relating to Retirement of Employee Option under Maine State Retirement System" (H. P. 617) (Presented by Mr. Browne of Bangor)

(750 copies Ordered Printed)

Resolve Providing Retirement Pension Increase for Marcia E. Sawyer of Machias (H. P. 618) (Presented by Mr. Andrews of Jonesboro by request)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Providing for State Pension for Isaac Gamble of Prospect (H. P. 619) (Presented by Mr. Bean of Winterport)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Providing for State Pension for Arthur M. Clewley, of Etna (H. P. 620) (Presented by Mr. Carter of Etna)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Providing for State Pension for Kenneth Bates of Newburgh (H. P. 621) (Presented by same gentleman)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Providing for a State Pension for Philip Anderson of Portland (H. P. 622) (Presented by Mrs. Hendricks of Portland)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Providing for an Increase in State Pension for Merle Merrill of Liberty (H. P. 623) (Presented by Mr. Mathieson of Montville)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Providing for State Pension for Paul Tobin of Otisfield (H. P. 624) (Presented by Mr. Morrill of Harrison)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Increasing State Pension for Lynwood R. Bowden of Penobscot (H. P. 625) (Presented by Mr. Pierce of Bucksport)

(Ordered Printed)

Resolve Providing an Increase in State Pension for Lillian M. Dennis of Saco (H. P. 626) (Presented by Mr. Warren of Saco)
(Ordered Printed)
Sent up for concurrence.

Sea and Shore Fisheries

Bill "An Act Prohibiting the Use of Draggers in Part of Sheepscot Bay, Sagadahoc County" (H. P. 627) (Presented by Mr. Jack of Topsham by request)
(Ordered Printed)
Sent up for concurrence.

Taxation Tabled

Bill "An Act Imposing a Tax on Poultry Producers for Promotional Purposes" (H. P. 628) (Presented by Mr. Besse of Clinton)
(On motion of Mr. Brockway of Milo, tabled pending reference to any Committee.)

Bill "An Act relating to the Exemption of Certain Property of Veterans from Taxation" (H. P. 629) (Presented by Mr. Thackeray of Mexico)
(Ordered Printed)
Sent up for concurrence.

The SPEAKER: The Chair at this time would like to recognize the presence in the gallery of the House of the officers of the Junior Class of Bridgton High School under the escort of Mr. Whitney and Mrs. Hodgson. On behalf of the House the Chair extends a most sincere welcome and hopes your visit with us will be both enjoyable and profitable. (Applause)

Towns and Counties

Bill "An Act relating to the Employment of a physician by Municipalities" (H. P. 630) (Presented by Mr. Browne of Bangor)
(Ordered Printed)
Sent up for concurrence.

Transportation

Bill "An Act relating to Motor Vehicle Plates for Members of Legislature Who are Automobile Dealers" (H. P. 631) (Presented by Mr. Brewer of Caribou)
(Ordered Printed)

Bill "An Act relating to Liability Policy for Applicants for Motor Vehicle Dealer or Transit Registration Plates" (H. P. 632) (Presented by Mr. Shepard of Stonington)
(Ordered Printed)
Sent up for concurrence.

Orders

On motion of Mr. Tevanian of Portland, it was
ORDERED, that Rev. Philip J. Pekras of Hellenic Orthodox Community Church, Portland, be invited to officiate as Chaplain of the House on Thursday, February 21, 1957.

On motion of Mrs. Hatch of Minot, it was
ORDERED, that Rev. Merle Jordan, Pastor of Hebron Academy and West Minot Church, be invited to officiate as Chaplain of the House on Thursday, March 28, 1957.

On motion of Mr. Crockett of Freeport, it was
ORDERED, that Rev. Ronald W. Smith of the Congregational Church, Pownal Center, be invited to officiate as Chaplain of the House on Tuesday, March 26, 1957.

On motion of the gentlewoman from Presque Isle, Mrs. Christie, House Rule 25 was suspended for the remainder of today's session in order to permit smoking.

House Reports of Committees Ought Not to Pass

Mr. LaCasce from the Committee on Education reported "Ought not to pass" on Resolve Creating the Maine Practical Nurse Training Scholarship Fund (H. P. 269) (L. D. 365)
Report was read and accepted and sent up for concurrence.

Ought to Pass in New Draft New Draft Printed

Mr. Beyer from the Committee on Transportation on Bill "An Act relating to Motor Vehicles Emerging from Alley, Driveway or Building" (H. P. 172) (L. D. 219) reported same in a new draft (H. P. 633) (L. D. 748) under same title and that it "Ought to pass"

Report was read and accepted, the New Draft read twice and tomorrow assigned.

Ought to Pass Printed Bills

Mr. Carter from the Committee on Education reported "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Special Milk Program for Children in Schools" (H. P. 265) (L. D. 361)

Mr. Fuller from same Committee reported same on Bill "An Act relating to Supervisors in Department of Education to Assist Teachers" (H. P. 266) (L. D. 362)

Mr. Nadeau from the Committee on Highways reported same on Bill "An Act Discontinuing Bridge over Aroostook River at Fort Fairfield as a Public Highway" (H. P. 272) (L. D. 368)

Mr. Saunders from the Committee on Natural Resources reported same on Resolve Authorizing State of Maine to Convey Certain Land in Fort Kent (H. P. 185) (L. D. 248)

Reports were read and accepted, the Bills read twice, the Resolve read once and tomorrow assigned.

Passed to Be Engrossed

Mr. Tarbox from the Committee on Sea and Shore Fisheries reported "Ought to pass" on Bill "An Act relating to Taking of Alewives in Town of Sullivan" (H. P. 80) (L. D. 106)

(On motion of the gentleman from Goulsboro, Mr. Tarbox, under suspension of the rules, the Bill was given its third reading, passed to be engrossed and sent to the Senate.)

Mr. Bragdon from the Committee on State Government reported "Ought to pass" on Resolve to Study Advisability of State Office Building in Bangor (H. P. 168) (L. D. 215)

Report was read and accepted, the Resolve read once and tomorrow assigned.

Passed to Be Engrossed

Bill "An Act relating to Cremation of Old State Bonds" (S. P. 38) (L. D. 40)

Bill "An Act relating to Time of Payments by Counties and Towns Under Bridge Act" (S. P. 50) (L. D. 81)

Bill "An Act to Incorporate the General Finance Co." (S. P. 67) (L. D. 115)

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

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act Providing for Group Life Insurance for Certain Members of the State Police" (H. P. 78) (L. D. 104)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the third time.

(On motion of Mr. Shaw of Bangham, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and specially assigned for Wednesday, February 27.)

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act relating to Definition of Public School Under State Retirement System" (H. P. 142) (L. D. 180)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, and read the third time.

(On motion of Mr. Quinn of Bangor, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and specially assigned for Wednesday, February 27.)

Tabled

Bill "An Act relating to Limitations on Overtaking Motor Vehicles on the Left" (H. P. 173) (L. D. 220)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the third time.

(On motion of Mr. Turner of Auburn, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and unassigned.)

Bill "An Act relating to Closed Time on Deer in Long Island Plantation" (H. P. 206) (L. D. 290)

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

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act relating to Packing of Food" (H. P. 288) (L. D. 384)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading.

(On motion of Mr. Brockway of Milo, tabled pending third reading and specially assigned for tomorrow.)

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act relating to Fees for Licenses of Funeral Directors and Embalmers" (H. P. 12) (L. D. 11)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading.

(On motion of Mr. Hanson of Gardiner, tabled pending third reading and specially assigned for Thursday, February 21.)

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act relating to Military Leave Credits under State Personnel Law" (H. P. 143) (L. D. 181)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the third time.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Bangor, Mr. Totman.

Mr. TOTMAN: Mr. Speaker, I move that Item ten lie on the table and be specially assigned to Tuesday next, February 26, in deference to the gentleman from Hallowell, Mr. Vaughn, who I understand wished to present an amendment and is not here this morning.

Thereupon, the Bill was tabled pending passage to be engrossed and specially assigned for Tuesday, February 26.

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act relating to Military Leave Credits under State Retirement System" (H. P. 144) (L. D. 182)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the third time.

(On motion of Mr. Totman of Bangor, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and specially assigned for Tuesday, February 26.)

Tabled and Assigned

Bill "An Act relating to Depositing Carcass of Domestic Fowl to Cause Nuisance" (H. P. 289) (L. D. 385)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the third time.

(On motion of Mr. Brockway of Milo, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and specially assigned for tomorrow.)

Resolve Opening Twitchell Pond in Oxford County to Ice Fishing During February and March (H. P. 127) (L. D. 165)

Resolve Regulating Ice Fishing in Lower Chain Lake, Washington County (H. P. 211) (L. D. 295)

Resolve Regulating Ice Fishing in Lombard Lake and Upper Sysladobsis Lake, Penobscot County (H. P. 212) (L. D. 296)

Resolve Regulating Ice Fishing in Middle Chain Lake and Upper Chain Lake, Hancock County (H. P. 213) (L. D. 297)

Resolve Regulating Ice Fishing on Lake Christopher, Oxford County (H. P. 215) (L. D. 299)

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

Amended Bills

Bill "An Act relating to Fees for License for Nonresident Dealers in Furs" (H. P. 109) (L. D. 147)

Bill "An Act relating to Complimentary Non-Resident Fishing and Hunting Licenses" (H. P. 110) (L. D. 148)

Bill "An Act to Authorize the City of Lewiston to Discharge a Drain into the Androscoggin River" (H. P. 138) (L. D. 176)

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

Tabled and Assigned

Resolve Authorizing the Forest Commissioner to Convey Certain Land in Woodland, Aroostook County (H. P. 139) (L. D. 177)

Was reported by the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading and read the second time.

(On motion of Mr. Brockway of Milo, tabled pending passage to be engrossed and specially assigned for Tuesday, February 26.)

**Passed to Be Enacted
Emergency Measure**

An Act to Authorize the Town of Brunswick to Provide for the Collection and Disposal of Garbage and Rubbish (H. P. 137) (L. D. 175)

Was reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills as truly and strictly engrossed. This being an emergency measure and a two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the House being necessary, a division was had, 132 voted in favor of same and none against, and accordingly the Bill was passed to be enacted, signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Orders of the Day

The gentleman from Cumberland, Mr. Call, was granted unanimous consent to address the House.

Mr. CALL: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: I may not act it but I assure you I look it. Today I am celebrating with the happy Mrs. my thirty-sixth wedding anniversary. Briefly, a friend of mine wanted to put it in as an order, but I said: "I have been taking orders enough, and this is one time I am going to have something to say."

I want to take this occasion, Mr. Speaker, to thank you for allowing my grandson, Jimmy Wiles, who is here with us for the next three days, to obtain some knowledge of the sessions that he may attain a merit badge in the Scouts, and I want to thank the Chair for allowing him to sit in the well of the House during this procedure. Thank you.

The gentlewoman from Lovell, Mrs. Harriman, was granted unanimous consent to address the House.

Mrs. HARRIMAN: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: I wish to say thank you for the lovely flowers that I received while I was at the Augusta General Hospital. I was sorry to have missed the Valentine Party, and particularly the presentation of my corsage with the accompanying caress. And might I suggest to the gentleman who was to bestow it that, if it is to be a delayed action, would he wait until I recover from this paralysis of the face so that we might thoroughly enjoy it.

The gentleman from Madison, Mr. Hendsbee, was granted unanimous consent to address the House.

Mr. HENDSBEE: Mr. Speaker, Members of the Legislature, and friends: Last Sunday in the supplement Parade Magazine of the Portland Sunday Telegram, there appeared a very startling piece of news. It concerns cystic fibrosis, the dread killer of small children. This item did not look too startling to me at the time, until I made some inquiries and found in my town we have one family with three children afflicted with this disease. On inquiring, I have found that the father has many times had to leave Madison at night and get his child to the Children's Hospital in Boston in time to save its life.

This has been going on for quite some time, and at an early period I propose to present some legislation to take care of the matter of this type. I believe this is not an individual problem of mine or his or the Town of Madison, but I believe it concerns each and every one of us, because as having been a member of the Boy Scouts since 1912, my work has been mostly with young people. And our good Lord said, "Suffer little children to come unto me, for such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

I believe we should remember, before I say this last statement, I am going to leave this in the Library so that anybody interested may look it over and give me any thought that you have on the matter, and there is a very old and true saying that "There is no man stands so high as when he stoops to help a child." Thank you. (Applause)

The gentleman from Portland, Mr. Maynard, was granted unanimous consent to address the House.

Mr. MAYNARD: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House: At this time I would like to lean a bit on your patience to give me unanimous consent to introduce a bill that has reference to teachers' colleges. There is so much merit in the bill that I am sure that the discussion would be very profitable.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Portland, Mr. Maynard, now moves that he be granted permission to introduce a bill notwith-

standing the cloture order. The Clerk will read the title of the bill.

The CLERK: Bill "An Act to Authorize Construction and Installation of Certain Capital Improvements at the State Teachers' Colleges and the Fort Kent State Normal School".

The SPEAKER: In order for the introduction of the bill under these circumstances, unanimous consent is necessary. Is there objection in the House to the gentleman from Portland, Mr. Maynard, introducing the bill notwithstanding the cloture order?

The Chair hears none and the Bill is received.

Thereupon, on motion of the gentleman from Portland, Mr. Maynard, the Bill (H. P. 634) was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, ordered printed and sent up for concurrence.

The gentleman from Lewiston, Mr. Cote, was granted unanimous consent to address the House.

Mr. COTE: Mr. Speaker and fellow members: I feel that I would be very remiss indeed if I failed in noting and bringing to the attention of the Members of the House that three of my colleagues from Lewiston were reelected to office yesterday, Representative Rancourt to his second term as Mayor, Representative Jacques to his fourth term as Alderman, and Representative Couture to his fifth term as Alderman. I would personally like to congratulate them and hope that all members of the House join me in wishing them a fruitful administration. Thank you. (Applause)

The SPEAKER: The Chair understands, in the absence of your Speaker last week, a joint order was passed to appoint three members of this House to a joint committee to be known as the Committee on Street Parking. This Committee shall be charged with the responsibility of meeting with the appropriate City of Augusta officials and the

officials of the Augusta Parking District to discuss such problems as may exist in the use of Augusta streets. In pursuance of that order, the Chair will now appoint as the three House members of that committee the following:

WALSH of Brunswick
QUINN of Bangor
EMMONS of Kennebunk

The gentleman from Bangor, Mr. Totman, was granted unanimous consent to address the House.

Mr. TOTMAN: Mr. Speaker and Members of the House; I have been asked on behalf of the Director of Legislative Research to call to your attention the fact that if some members are carrying in their pockets or have in their possession bills that have been prepared, and I certainly want to emphasize the distinction between a bill that has been prepared and a bill that is still in your mind.

For those members who have bills that have been prepared, and already have the name of the Director of Legislative Research on the jacket, the list of bills is being left open this afternoon until four o'clock. And it is suggested and respectfully requested that you take those bills out of your pocket and take them into Mr. Slosberg's office. However, I do want to emphasize this does not mean any breaking of the cloture date. This does not mean if you have not yet given the title or the contents of a bill to Mr. Slosberg, the door is still open. This is solely for bills that have already been prepared but which you for some reason have taken out of his office and have in your pocket. Thank you.

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

On motion of Mr. Carter of Etna,

Adjourned until ten o'clock tomorrow morning.