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of this House and if you want to go for this riot control bill, you will do it with your eyes wide open. On page 2 of the bill it says, among other things: "without limiting the scope of the same, said orders, rules and regulations may provide for the control of traffic including public and private transportation; designation of the specific areas in which the occupancy and use of buildings and ingress and egress of persons and vehicles may be prohibited or regulated; control of places of amusement and assembly and of persons on public streets and thoroughfares, establishment of a curfew; control of the sale, transportation and use of alcoholic beverages, liquors and malt liquors; control of the possession, sale, carrying and use of firearms, other dangerous weapons and ammunition," etc., etc., etc.

Now we on the committee un-animously felt that the State didn't need this type of restrictive legislation, so I hope you will go along with the unanimous "Ought not to pass" Report of the Committee.

Thereupon, the "Ought not to pass" Report was accepted in non-concurrence and sent up for concurrence.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Old Town, Mr. Binnette.

Mr. BINNETTE: Mr. Speaker, does the House have in its possession House Paper 1185, L. D. 1506?

The SPEAKER: The answer is in the affirmative, Bill "An Act Revising the Motor Vehicle Dealer Registration Law."

Mr. BINNETTE: Mr. Speaker, I would like to suspend the rules in order to put in an amendment.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Old Town, Mr. Binnette, moves that the House reconsider its action on yesterday whereby this Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A".

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Cape Elizabeth, Mr. Hewes.

Mr. HEWES: Mr. Speaker, a parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman may state his inquiry.

Mr. HEWES: I assure that the purpose of the move to reconsider is to submit Amendment H-456 and I question if that is germane to the—

The SPEAKER: The Chair would advise the gentleman that his question is not in order. The pending question is reconsideration. Is it the pleasure of the House to reconsider its action of yesterday whereby this bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" in non-concurrence? It's a vote.

Whereupon, Mr. Binnette of Old Town offered House Amendment "B" and moved its adoption.

House Amendment "B" (H-456) was read by the Clerk.

The SPEAKER: The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Manchester, Mr. Rideout.

Mr. RIDEOUT: Mr. Speaker, I question the germaneness of this amendment and ask for the Chair to rule.

The SPEAKER: The gentleman from Manchester, Mr. Rideout questions the germaneness of the amendment, and the Chair would rule that the amendment is not germane and will cite House Rule 32 and Joint Rule 21 as its authority, and the Chair trusts that the House will sustain the ruling of the Chair. Is this the pleasure of the House? It's a vote.

Thereupon, the Bill was passed to be engrossed as amended by House Amendment "A" in non-concurrence and sent up for concurrence.

The Chair laid before the House the third tabled and today assigned matter:

Majority Report (6) — "Ought not to pass" — Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs on Bill "An Act Appropriating Moneys for Vocational and Technical Institute in Waterville" (S. P. 83) (L. D. 280) and MINORITY REPORT (4) reporting same in a new draft (S. P. 477) (L. D. 1554) under title of "An Act Appropriating Moneys for a State Vocational and Technical Institute in Waterville" and that it "Ought to pass" (In Senate, Minority Report accepted)

Tabled — June 3, by Mr. Birt of East Milinocket.