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KENNEBEC JOURNAL AUGUSTA, MAINE by appointment by the Governor for a full term of seven years." I think what the amendment does, it looks like it adds "the Council."

The PRESIDENT: The Chair now recognizes the Senator from Kennebec, Senator Lund.

Mr. LUND of Kennebec: Mr. President, I would thank the good attorney from Penobscot for his assistance, I would move that the Senate recede and concur.

The PRESIDENT: The Senator from Kennebec, Senator Lund, now moves that the Senate recede and concur. Is this the pleasure of the Senate?

The motion prevailed.

### Report of Committee Senate

Mr. Mills for the Committee on Judiciary on Bill, "An Act to Correct Errors and Inconsistencies in the Public Laws." (S. P. 756) (L. D. 1867) reported that the same Ought to Pass As Amended by Committee Amendment "A" (S-362).

Which was Read and Accepted and the bill Read Once.

Committee Amendment "A" was Read and Adopted.

Mr. Ferguson of Oxford then presented Senate Amendment "A" and moved its adoption.

Senate Amendment "A", Filing No. S-358, was Read.

The PRESIDENT: Is it now the pleasure of the Senate to adopt Senate Amendment "A"?

The Chair recognizes the Senator from Oxford, Senator Ferguson.

Mr. FERGUSON of Oxford: Mr. President and Members of the Senate: For the benefit of the Senators, I would give a little explanation on this amendment. When we made some amendments to the Highway Bill in the regular session Senator Greeley had a bill in the Legislature that moved the value of special aid for towns from \$400,000 to \$500,000. In completing the bill there was one section of the statute struck out, which was \$500,000, and this should not have been done. It shouldn't have been left at \$400,000, and this is just to correct an error that we missed in amending the laws in the regular session. It doesn't change

the law in any way; it is just a correction.

Thereupon, Senate Amendment "A" was Adopted.

Mr. Mills of Franklin presented Senate Amendment "B" and moved its adoption.

Senate Amendment "B", Filing No. S-366, was Read and Adopted.

Mr. Hildreth of Cumberland then presented Senate Amendment "C" and moved its adoption.

Senate Amendment "C", Filing No. S-367, was Read and Adopted and, under suspension of the rules, the bill, as Amended, was given its Second Reading and Passed to be Engrossed.

Sent forthwith to the House for concurrence.

#### Enactors

The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as truly and strictly engrossed, the following:

An Act Creating the State Witness Immunity Act. (H. P. 1269) (L. D. 1775)

"An Act Establishing a State Planning Office." (S. P. 772) (L. D. 1844)

(On motion by Mr. Berry of Cumberland, placed on the Special Appropriations Table.)

"An Act Increasing Hunting and Fishing Licenses." (H. P. 1327) (L. D. 1872)

Which, except for the tabled matter, were Passed to be Enacted and, having been signed by the President, were by the Secretary presented to the Governor for his approval.

"An Act to Allow Research in Irish Moss." (H. P. 1329) (L. D. 1874)

The PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Lincoln, Senator Sproul.

Mrs. SPROUL of Lincoln: Mr. President and Members of the Senate: With reference to L. D. 1874, I wish to be recorded in opposition to this bill. I realize it has been fully debated and at this point there is no use in any further debate but I don't favor this. I am against the whole idea of it and, with the amendment, as I understand it, part of it will be off the coast of Lincoln County and,