

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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of the Revised Statutes, relating to fees of witnesses, reported that the same "ought to pass."

Report accepted and the bill was tabled for printing under the joint rules.

Mr. Cunningham from the committee on State lands and forest preservation, to which was referred Resolve authorizing the State land agent to sell certain lots in Madawaska, Aroostook county, reported that the same "ought to pass."

The report was accepted and the resolve tabled for printing under the joint rules.

The same gentleman from the same committee, to which was referred Resolve authorizing the State land agent to sell certain lots in Fort Kent, Aroostook county, reported that the same "ought to pass."

The report was accepted and the resolve tabled for printing under the joint rules.

The same committee, to which was referred report of the land agent and forest commissioner on House Order dated March 23, 1917, instructing the land agent and forest commissioner to make investigation, search out and find townships and parts of townships of the wild lands in Maine suited for settlement for purposes of husbandry, ask leave to report that the same be received and placed on file.

The report was accepted.

The same committee, to which was referred that part of the Governor's message relating to forests, and which message also suggested that the same be referred to the committee on State lands and forest preservation, ask leave to report that the same be received and placed on file.

The report was accepted.

The same committee, on report of the forest commissioner on investigation of settlers' claims in Township No. 17, Range 5, Aroostook county, according to resolve passed by the last Legislature, ask leave to report that the same be received and placed on file.

The report was accepted.

Mr. Barnes from the committee on elections, to which was referred the petition of C. C. Washburn of Minot, contestant for seat in the House of Representatives of the 79th Legislature from the towns classed in the represent-

ative district of Minot, Durham, Webster and Wales, having received a request from the attorney for the petitioner that he have leave to withdraw, reported that the petitioner should be granted leave to withdraw.

The report was accepted.

Mr. Cochrane of the special committee appointed by the Chair to draft resolutions conveying expressions of appreciation to our Chief Executive by making them his guests at the recent Efficiency Congress, reported as follows:

Whereas, His Excellency, Carl E. Milliken, has honored and favored the members of the State Legislature by making them his guests at the recent Efficiency Conference, therefore, be it

Resolved, That members of the 79th Legislature are placed under obligations to our Chief Executive by being thus brought into personal touch with men of international renown who have had opportunity to study the problems of reconstruction in the courts, councils and cabinets of European rulers.

Resolved, That the information secured through these unusual channels is of great value to those who are framing laws to meet the demands of a new economic era.

Resolved, That it is our pleasant duty to extend to Governor Milliken hearty expressions of appreciation for his consideration and courtesy.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be placed in the hands of our Chief Executive and that they be printed in the Legislative Record.

(Signed)

GURNEY of Cumberland.

AMES of Washington.

METCALF of Piscataquis.

Committee on part of the Senate.

COCHRANE of Monmouth.

STORM of Sweden.

GILMOUR of Westbrook.

Committee on part of House.

The report was accepted and resolution adopted by a viva voce vote.

On motion by Mr. Bowie of Falmouth, the rules were suspended and it was voted to reconsider the vote whereby 2000 copies of the bill prohibiting the manufacture, sale and

smoking of cigarettes were ordered printed.

Mr. BOWIE: This Legislature is spending quite a good deal of money. We have referred bills here this morning involving expenditure of of large sums of money where there have been only 500 copies ordered printed; and without in any way reflecting upon the merits of this cigarette bill--because there may be a time when there will be thousands of such bills ordered printed--I move that only 500 copies be printed.

The motion prevailed.

First Reading of Printed Bills and Resolves

On motion by Mr. Pattee of Harmony the rules were suspended and House Document No. 59, Resolve in favor of W. W. Greateon for services as document clerk at the organization of the 79th Legislature, received its two several readings and was passed to be engrossed.

On motion by Mr. Garcelon of Auburn

Adjourned until 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, Feb. 4, 1919.