

Mon. Mar. 14thMonday, March 14th 1842.

Resolve to correct a clerical error in the Valuation of the town of Waldoboro';

came up from the House indefinitely postponed;

The Senate, insisting on its Vote, passing said Resolve to be engrossed, proposed a Conference, and appointed

Messrs. Barnard, of Frankling,

Agar and

Bennett, Conferees.

Sent down for concurrence.

The House insisted on its former Vote of indefinite postponement, concurred in the proposition for a Conference; and appointed, as Conferees on its part,

Messrs. Root, of Waldoboro',

Wheeler, of Hallowell, and

Sewall, of Oldtown.

Resolve in favor of the Company of Cavalry of Arrowslock County, came up; passed to be engrossed;

The Senate insisted on its former Vote indefinitely postponed, said Resolve; proposed a Conference, and appointed,

Messrs. Lovell,

Hanscom, and

Sent down for concurrence. Scott, Conferees.

The House insisted on its Vote passing the Resolve to be engrossed, concurred in the proposition for a Conference, and appointed, as Conferees on its part,

Messrs. Pierce, of Houlton,

Dickey, of Strong,

Purdy, of Augusta.

Bill entitled

Bill entitled 391.

An Act to incorporate the Pelgrade Cotton and Woollen Manufacturing Company;
came up from the House amended:

The Senate receded from its Vote passing the Bill to be engrossed; adopted the amendment of the House, and passed the Bill to be engrossed, as amended, in concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act to set off a part of Passadenunkong to Lowell;
was read a second time and passed to be engrossed as amended on sheet annexed, marked A.
Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve to amend the Constitution relative to the time of holding the annual sessions of the Legislature, and the time of holding the annual Elections;

came up from the House refused a passage.

The Senate receded from its Vote passing the Resolve to be engrossed and concurred with the House.

Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War (reported from the Committee on State Lands, on Petition of John Rogers.)

Bill entitled

An Act additional to amend the Revised Statutes,
(reported from the Committee on the Judiciary on several Orders and Petitions.)

Resolve

Resolve in favor of Ellsworth Light Infantry, reported in a New draft, by Mr. Bridgman from the Conference on the disagreeing Notes of the two Houses on that subject;)

" in favor of the State Prison, (reported from the Committee on State Prison;)

Bill entitled

An Act to incorporate the Calais Mechanic Association, (introduced in the House;)

Resolve declaratory of an amendment of the Constitution, (reported from the Committee on the Judiciary;)

" in relation to the purchase of the decisions of the Supreme Judicial Court, (introduced into the House;)

Bill entitled

An Act to set off a part of the town of Berlin and annex the same to the town of Phillips, in the County of Franklin, and to repeal the Act of incorporation of said Berlin so far as relates to the remaining part of said town, (reported in the House on Petition of James Tuck and others;)

Resolve in favor of S. J. Foster and others;

" in favor of the town of Penobscot;

Resolve

1862 Resolve in favor of Joseph Hill; (severally intro- 393
-duced into the House;)

were severally read once, and three o'clock this afternoon
assigned for a second reading.

Resolve authorizing the payment of A. P. Libby for services
as adjutant, (reported in the House;)
was read twice, and passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

Resolve relating to the Revenue Law, (introduced into the
House;)

came up referred to the Legislature of 1943:

The Senate non concurred, and indefinitely postponed
the Resolve:

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Smith from the Committee on State Lands.

Reported reference to the next Legislature on
Petition of James Lombard; and

" " Francis Bowman, and others:

Read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Eastman from the Committee on the Judiciary.

Reported leave to withdraw on

Petition of Cyrus Knapp; and legislation inexpedient on

Order in relation to the reports of the decisions of the Supreme
Judicial Court;

" " " " collection of Taxes on real estate,
severally read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Roll entitled

Mon. Mar. 14thBill entitled

An Act for the relief of the Inhabitants of Cape Elizabeth, (reported from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, on Petition of Daniel Skilling;) referred to the next Legislature, in concurrence.

Resolve to correct an error in the valuation of Monhegan Isle, and for connecting the State and County tax thereon;

was read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act additional for the prevention of frauds and perjury;

was read a second time, and passed to be engrossed:
Sent down for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Farnsworth,
Ordered: That the Senate forthwith proceed on its part to elect a Major General to fill the vacancy in the eighth division of the Militia of this State, occasioned by the resignation of Major General Charles N. Bodfish;

Messrs. Cough

Elliot and

Patterson, were appointed a Committee to receive, sort and count the votes for a Major General, and having attended to that duty, said Committee Reported: That the whole number of votes was Thirty; all of which were for Moses Sherburne.

Moses Sherburne was declared duly elected
Major

1872 Major General of the eighth division of the Militia of this State; of which the House was informed by Message. 395.

A Message was received from the House informing the Senate that that Body had concurred in the election of Mons. Sherburne, as Major General of the eighth division of the Militia of this State.

Mr. Jarvis offered the following Order:
Ordered: That the Rev. Mr. Iudd, one of the Chaplains of the Senate, having promulgated and declared sentiments which are repugnant to the American feelings and libelous upon the Patriots of the Revolution, has rendered himself wholly unworthy to officiate as Chaplain of an American Senate; and that he cannot longer be permitted to act in that capacity to this board.

Mr. Kavanagh moved to strike out all after the word "Ordered," and insert the following:

"That the Senate dispense with the further"

"services of the Rev. Mr. Iudd as Chaplain"

"to this board."

The amendment was adopted; and the question of passing the Order, as amended, being ordered to be taken by Yeas and Nays, was decided in the affirmative as follows; the President, at his request, being excused from voting:

Yeas: Messrs. Alger, Barnard, of Oxford,
Barnard, of Franklin, Bennett,
Messrs

Messrs. Bridgman, Parleigh, Clough, Elliot,
 Farnsworth, Fairfield, Page, Goodwin,
 Hanscom, Humphreys, Kavanagh, Leavitt,
 Paris, Patterson, Pullen, Smart, Smith
 of Somerset, Smith of Cumberland,
 Somes, Stetson and Scott . . . 25.

May 3. Messrs. Brown, Eastman and Lane . . . 3.

On motion of Mr. Paris:

Ordered: That the Secretary notify the Rev. Mr.
 Ludd of the passage of the foregoing
Order.

Leave of absence was granted
 Mr. Smith of Somerset, from and after
 Wednesday.

Adjourned:

Afternoon

Resolved providing for the amendment of the Constitution in relation to Sheriffs and Registers of Probate; was taken up:

Mr. Bridgman moved to amend by adding to the first Resolve the following words:

"and also that the Constitution be so amended"
"as to permit the people of this State to"
"elect Land Agent, Attorney General, State"
"Treasurer and Counsellors:"

And the question of adopting the amendment was decided in the negative, by Yeas and Nays, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Blake, Bridgman, Eastman, Farnsworth, Page, Havanagh, Leavitt, Patterson, Smith of Somerset, Smith of Cumberland, Jones and Scott. 12.

Nays: Messrs. Agor, Barnard, of Franklin, Barnard of Oxford, Bennett, Brown, Philoigh, Clough, Ellich, Fairfield, Goodwin, Hanscom, Humphrey, Lane, Olis, Parry, Pullen, Smart and Nelson. 18.

Mr. Bridgman moved the indefinite postponement of the Resolved; and the question being ordered to be taken by Yeas and Nays, was decided in the Negative, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Barnard, of Oxford, Blake, Bridgman.
Messrs.

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Messrs. Eastman, Farnsworth, Fry, Haranagh, Leavitt,
Patterson, Smith of Somerset, Smith of
Humberland and Jones. 12

Nays: Messrs. Ayer, Barnard, of Franklin, Bennett,
Brown, Burlingh, Clough, Elliot, Fairfield,
Goodwin, Handcom, Humphrey, Lane, Atty,
Pariz, Pullen, Smart, Nelson and Smith. 18

The Resolved were then ordered to a second reading; and
tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned.

Bill entitled

An Act to apportion and assess on the inhabitants of
this State a tax of two hundred, one thousand,
four hundred and twenty six dollars and sixty
seven cents, (reported in the House, from
the Committee on Finance);

was read twice, (the rules being suspended),
and passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act to alter the mode of advertising real estate
for the nonpayment of town taxes;

was taken up; and the question, being the reconsideration
of the Vote, by which the Bill was ordered to be engrossed,
was decided in the negative, by Yeas and Nays, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Bennett, Bridgham, Elliot, Humphrey, Lane,
Pariz and Smart. 7

Nays: Messrs. Ayer, Blake, Brown, Burlingh, Clough, Eastman,
Messrs.

Messrs. Farnsworth, Goodwin, Hanscom, Kavanaugh, Smith 399.
 of Cumberland, Jones, Stebbins and Webb. 144.
 Sent down for concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act in relation to Institutions for Savings;
 was taken up; and the question of reconsidering the
Vote whereby Senate adopted the amendment to the fourth
 section, was decided in the negative:

Mr. Eastman offered an amendment as
 follows: "and provided further, that the property of such"
 "institution shall, by the proceedings mentioned"
 "in the first section, be discharged from attachment"
 "in such suit."

And the question of adopting the amendments was decided in
 the negative, by Yeas and Nays, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Ayer, Eastman, Frye, Ellis and Pillsbury. . . . 5.

Nays: Messrs. Barnard of Franklin, Bennett, Blake, Bridgman,
 Brown, Elliot, Fairfield, Gordon, Hanscom, Humphrey,
 Kavanaugh, Lane, Leavitt, Smart, Smith of
 Cumberland and Jones, 16.

The Bill was then passed to be engrossed;
 Sent down for concurrence.

The following Order from the House was read and
 passed in concurrence:

Ordered: That the Committee on State Valuation be directed
 to include Township No. Three, Whitehall Range, situated in the
 County of Piscataquis, in the State Valuation.

Resolue

Resolve in relation to the British Colonial Trade;

was read a second time, and passed to be engrossed,
as amended on Sheet annexed marked A.

Sent down for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Bennett,

Ordered: That when the Senate does adjourn, it adjourn to
meet at half past seven this evening.

Resolve in relation to the purchase of the decisions of the
Supreme Judicial Court;

was read a second time, and passed to be engrossed,
in concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act additional to an Act in relation to Elections;
(laid on the table by Mr. Eastman;)

was read once, and four o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Resolve authorizing the Governor and Council to settle with
the Inspectors of the State Prison for 1840;

was read once and tomorrow at eleven of the clock assigned for
a second reading.

Adjourned.

Attest: Oliver Haskell Secretary

On motion of Mr. Eastman,

Ordered: That a Message be sent to the Governor and Council informing them, that, by the concurrent Vote of the two branches of the Legislature, Moses Sherburne, of Phillips has been duly elected Major General of the eighth division of the Militia of this State.

Mr. Frye moved a reconsideration of the Vote, whereby the Senate referred to the next Legislature.

Bill entitled

An Act additional to an Act entitled an Act to organize, govern and discipline the Militia of this State.

The question of reconsideration was decided in the affirmative, by Yeas and Nays, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Barnard of Franklin, Bennett, Bridgman, Burleigh, Frye, Humphrey, Leavitt, Parry, Patterson, Smith of Somerset, Smith of Cumberland, Jones and Nelson . . . 13.

Nays: Messrs. Ayer, Blake, Brown, Eastman, Elliot, Farnsworth, Fairfield, Lane, Patten, Smart, and Scott. 11.

Mr. Elliot moved an amendment in the following words, to-wit:

"every soldier who shall do military duty shall"
"receive fifty cents for every half day he shall"

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"to do duty," in addition to the pay provided in the
 "twenty sixth Section of this Act, and in the
 "manner therein provided; but the Treasurers of"
 "towns shall be reimbursed by the State the amount,
 "that shall be so paid":—

And the question of adopting the amendment was decided in the
negative, by yeas and nays, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Ayer, Blake, Bridgman, Brown, Burlingh,
 Elliot, Lane, Patten, Smart and Jones. 10.

Nays: Messrs. Barnard of Franklin, Barnard of Oxford,
 Bennett, Eastman, Farnsworth, Fairfield,
 Frye, Goodwin, Hunscom, Humphrey, Leavitt
 Paris, Patterson, Smith of Somerset, Smith of
 Cumberland, Nelson and Scott. 17.

And the question of passing the Bill to be engrossed,
 as amended on sheets annexed, marked A, B, and C, was
 decided in the Affirmative, by Yeas and Nays, as follows.

Yeas: Messrs. Barnard, of Franklin, Bennett, Bridgman,
 Burlingh, Farnsworth, Fairfield, Frye,
 Goodwin, Humphrey, Leavitt, Paris,
 Patterson, Smart, Smith of Somerset, Smith of
 Cumberland, and Nelson. 16.

Nays: Messrs. Ayer, Blake, Brown, Eastman, Elliot,
 Hunscom, Patten, Jones and Scott. 9.

Resolue

1852 Resolve in favor of Tobias Churchill and George W. 4103.
[fanning] (read on the table by Mr. Hyge;)
was read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned
for a second reading.

Resolve in favor of the town of Penobscot;
was read a second time; and,

On motion of Mr.
Smith of Cumberland, referred to a select Committee,
consisting of Messrs. Smith of Cumberland,
Bridgman and
Proulx.

Resolve authorizing the Treasurer of Franklin County to
negotiate a loan;
was read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned
for a second reading.

Bill entitled
An Act additional to an Act in relation to Elections,
was read a second time, and passed to be
engrossed:
Sent down for concurrence.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills:
Reported as correctly engrossed:

Bill entitled

An Act concerning Tenies;
and the same passed to be enacted.

Adjourned:

Attest: Olee Haskell, Secretary.

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Mr. Sumner moved a reconsideration
of the Vote, whereby the Senate passed to be engrossed:

Bill entitled,

An Act additional to an Act, entitled an Act to organize
govern and discipline the Militia of this State;

The question of reconsideration was decided in the
negative, by Yeas and Nays, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Ayer, Blake, Brown, Colough, Eastman,
Elliot, Handam, Kavanaugh, Lane, Oly, Puller,
Smart and Scott. 13.

Nays: Messrs. Barnard, of Oxford, Barnard of Framking
Bennett, Bridgman, Burleigh, Farnsworth
Fairfield, Foye, Goodwin, Humphrey,
Leavitt, Parist, Patterson, Smith, of Cumberland,
Somers and Stetson. 16.

The Bill was

laid down for concurrence.

Resolution of Eusebius Weston, in reference to the
North Eastern Boundary.

Read and referred to the Committee on the North Eastern
Boundary, in concurrence.

Mr. Smith, from the Select Committee
to which was referred

Resolve in favor of the Town of Knobscoot

Reported

1842 Reported: That the same ought to pass. —

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Read and accepted; and this Resolve was passed to be engrossed, in concurrence. —

Resolve amendatory to the Resolved passed A. S. 1841, for dividing the State into districts for the choice of Senators; and for apportioning the Representatives among the several Counties, Cities, Towns, Plantations and Clusters, at the third apportionment, reported from the Committee on Senatorial apportionments, and

Bill entitled

An Act relating to Support of persons in prison for debt, (introduced into the House,)

were read once, and three o'clock this afternoon assigned for a second reading. —

Resolve in relation to expenses incurred in maintaining an armed boat upon the Frontier of this State; was read twice, and passed to be engrossed.
Sent down for concurrence. —

Bill entitled

An Act to provide, in part, for the expenditures of Government, (reported in the House;) and

Resolve laying a tax on the several Counties in this State, (reported in the House, from the Committee on County Estimates;) were read twice (the rules being suspended,) and passed to be engrossed in concurrence. —

Resolve

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Resolve in favor of Ellsworth Light Infantry Company;

was read a second time; and on motion of Mr. Smith of Cumberland, indefinitely postponed; Sent down for concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act to establish the third town of the County of Piscataquis;

was taken up; and passed to be engrossed;

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Smith from the Conference on the disagreeing vote of the two branches on the Report of the Committee on the Petition of William Gidden, made a Report recommending that the Senate recede and concur the House in referring said Petition to the next Legislature.

Read and accepted; and the Petition was referred to the next Legislature, in concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act to abolish imprisonment for debt, (reported in the House from the Committee on the Judiciary,)

was read once, referred to the next Legislature, in concurrence, and ordered to be printed in the State paper.

Resolve to correct a clerical error in the valuation of the town of Mount Desert, and for correcting the State and County tax on said town;

in favor of Joseph Hill;

" " " " William S. Greene;

Resolve

Bill entitled

An Act to set off a part of the town of Berlin and annex the same to the town of Phillips, in the County of Franklin, and to repeal the Act of incorporation of said Berlin, so far as related to the remaining part of said town;

was severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrences.

The Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, to which was referred Orders in relation to aid to Waterville College, made a Report which was read and accepted; and on motion of Mr. Lane, laid on the table; and three hundred copies ordered to be printed.

Mr. Barnard, from the Conference on the disagreeing Vote of the two branches, on the Resolve to correct a clerical error in the valuation of the town of Waldoboro, Reported: That, having met the Conference on the part of the House, they had not been able to agree; they, therefore, recommend that the Senate adhere to its former Vote passing the Resolve to be engrossed. Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act further regulating Banks and Banking;

was taken up:

The amendments of the House, on sheets annexed, marked A, B, C, D, and E, were adopted;

and the question of adopting the amendments on sheet annexed, marked F, was ordered to be taken by Yeas and Nays; the said amendment being in the following words:

Section

Section "Be it enacted as follows; That all Stock
 " owned by persons living out of this State shall be taxed
 " in the City, Town or Plantation, where such Stock
 " is located. And there shall be a lien on the
 " said share for the period of one year from the time
 " said tax is assessed; and the Collectors of such Cities,
 " Towns and Plantations shall, within one year from the
 " time such tax shall have been assessed, be required to
 " collect the same: And, for the purpose of so collecting,
 " shall have power to distrain, advertise and sell the
 " said share, or any part thereof; and shall conform,
 " in all respects, to the same rules, in advertising and
 " selling said share, as they are required to observe
 " in selling other personal property for the collection of
 " taxes."

And the same was decided in the Affirmative as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Barnard of Franklin, Barnard of Oxford,
 Bennett, Blake, Bridgman, Brien, Farnsworth,
 Fairfield, Godwin, Lane, Leavitt, Parry, Smart, Smith of
 Somerset, Smith of Cumberland, and Scott. 16.

Nays: Messrs. Ayer, Colough, Eastman, Frye, Hanson, Harvorth,
 May, Patten, and South. 9.

Mr. Farnsworth moved to refer the Bill
 to the next Legislature; and the Yeas and Nays, being
 ordered on that question, it was decided in the
Affirmative as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Ayer, Barnard of Franklin, Barnard of
 Oxford

Aylford, Blake, Brown, Clough, Eastman, Farnsworth,
 Hyde, Hanscom, Humphrey, Kavanagh, Olis, Pullen,
 Smith of Somerset, Smith of Cumberland, Somes,
 and Seely. 18-

Vic. Messrs. Bennett, Bridgman, Fairfield, Goodwin, Lane, Leavitt,
 Paris, Patterson and Smart. 9-

Not down for concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act to amend the forty first Section of the Sixteenth
 Chapter of the Revised Statutes;

came up from the House, passed to be engrossed:

The Senate nonconcurred, and indefinitely postponed the Bill.

Not down for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Rufus McIntire;

came up from the House, passed to be engrossed, as
 amended on Sheet annexed, marked B.

And the Senate receded from its former Vote, passing the Resolve
 to be engrossed; adopted the amendment of the House, and
 passed the Resolve to be engrossed in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of J. S. Foster, and others;

was read a second time; and referred to a
 Select Committee of the Senate, consisting of

Messrs. Bridgman,
 Hanscom, and
 Bennett.

Bill entitled

Thurs. Mar. 15thBill entitled

An Act to promote Agriculture and diminish pauperism;
was taken up; and tomorrow at ten o'clock
assigned for a second reading.

Bill entitled

An additional Act for prevention of perjury and
perjurers
came up from the House referred to the next Legislature.
The Senate recede from its former vote, and referred
the Bill, in concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act authorizing the several School districts, in the
several towns in this State, to organize and hold
School district Libraries;
Read once and referred to the next Legislature, in
concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Nehemiah Allen, (introduced
into the House,)

was read once, and four o'clock this afternoon assigned
for a second reading.

Report of the Joint Select Committee on the North
Eastern Boundary,

was taken up, Read and accepted.

Set down for concurrence.

Petition of John Easton, that township No. 1, in the 4th range, Franklin County,
may be incorporated into a town by the name of Hancock;
was read, and referred to the next Legislature, in concurrence.

Resolve

Resolve in favor of the State Prison:

was read a second time; and the question on its passage to be engrossed, being taken by Yeas and Nays, the Resolve was refused a passage, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs: Kavanagh, and Patterson. 2

Nays: Messrs: Bennett, Blake, Bridgman, Brown, Burleigh, Blough, Eastman, Harnsworth, Fairfield, Goodwin, Handcom, Humphrey, Lane, Leavitt, Otis, Puller, Smart, Smith of Cumberland, Sams, Stetson and Scott. 21

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act to amend an Act, entitled an Act authorizing the assessment of certain taxes upon the town of Alderbury;

to incorporate the Calais Mechanic Association; were severally read a second time, and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Bill entitled

An additional Act to amend the Revised Statutes;

was read a second time and passed to be engrossed: Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve in relation to certain Bonds to Thomas J. Stewart and others;

was read a second time, and passed to be engrossed:

Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve

Resolve in favor of Nathaniel Wheeler;

" in favor of the town of Mexico;

" in favor of Thomas Eames;

and

Bill entitled

An Act to incorporate the Prospect Mechanic Association,
(severally introduced into the House;)
were read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock, assigned
for a second reading.

Resolve in favor of the town of Town;

" in favor of ^{and} Greenleaf White;
(severally introduced into the House;)

were read once, and seven o'clock this evening assigned for a
second reading.

Bill entitled

An Act providing for the choice of Representatives to
Congress; (reported from the Joint Select Committee
on that subject;)

An Additional Act as to the disposal of insane persons;
(reported in the House from the
Committee on Insane Hospital;)

An Act additional to regulate Judicial proceedings.
(reported)

were severally read once; and this evening at seven o'clock
again for a second reading: —

Adjourned: