

Message from the House requesting the Senate to transmit to that body the petition of Jere A. Nichol and others, and the papers accompanying the same: The Secretary, by direction of the Senate, transmitted the same.

Petition of the Narragansett Indians, praying that they may be allowed to change their form of Government.

Read and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, in concurrence.

Petition of Jurgus McLain, and eighty two others, praying to have a part of Hope set off and annexed to the town of Appleton.

Read and referred to the Committee on Division of Towns, in concurrence.

Petition of Charles H. Woodbury, and eleven others, praying for a repeal of a portion of the Militia Laws.

Read and referred to the Committee on the Militia, in concurrence.

Petition of David Noyes and others praying for an alteration of the time of holding the regular Session of the County Commissioners in the County of Oxford.

Read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, in concurrence.

Petition

Petition of Alexander Morrow, and others, for admission
as Attorneys.

Read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary,
in concurrence.

Petition of Samuel M. West, and eighty two others,
in aid of the petition of William Pearson
and others.

Read and referred to the Committee on Interior
Affairs, in concurrence.

Petition of Joseph Pomroy for a Pension;

John W. Lindsay, and thirty four others,
inhabitants of Union, in aid of the
petition of Abram Cushman; Severally
Read and referred to the Committee on Military Pensions,
in concurrence.

Petition of Elizabeth C. Miles, praying for a
Divorce from her husband Charles B.
Miles.

Read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary,
in concurrence.

Petition of John Daggett came up, the House
having ~~to consider~~ its vote referring it
to the Committee on State Lands, and
referred the same to the Committee on
the Judiciary.

The Senate ~~receded~~ from its former vote, and referred it
to the Committee on the Judiciary, in concurrence.

Order

40 112^o Order from the House; That the Joint Standing 119
Committee on Division and Alteration of
Counties be instructed to inquire into the
expediency of taking certain Townships from the
County of Penobscot, and annexing the same
to the County of Arrostook; also to inquire
into the expediency of taking certain other
Townships from the County of Penobscot and
annexing the same to the County of Piscataquis.
Read and passed in concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Military Pensions,
on the petition of Robert Maxwell
came from the House recommended:

The Senate receded from its former vote and recommended
the same, in concurrence.

Mr. Bennett, from the
Committee on Bills in the second reading; Reported a

Resolve in favor of Albert Hanson, of Belfast
with an amendment on a sheet marked
A; and the same was read a second
time and recommended it down for concurrence.

Petition of John Perkins, and others for the repeal
of all laws licensing the sale of
Ardent Spirit.

Read and referred to the Committee on the License
Laws. Sent down for concurrence.

Petition of the Inhabitants of Bluehill for a
separate representation:

Read and referred to the Committee on Apportionment. Sent down for
concurrence.

Mr. Bennett.

Mr Bennett, from the Committee on Banks and Banking, Reported leave to withdraw on the Petition of the President, Directors and Company of the Westbrook Bank.

Read, and on Motion of Mr Smith, of Cumberland, laid on the table.

Report of the Committee on State Lands, granting leave to withdraw on Petition of John Dudley and others;
Read and accepted, in concurrence.

Adjourned.

West Lee Haskell. Secretary.

Tuesday, January 25th 1842.

Petition of Citizens of Pittston for repeal of
License Laws;

Read and referred to the Committee having that
subject under consideration in concurrence.

Petition of Charles Hutchings, late Sheriff of the
County of Hancock for compensation for
duties performed while Sheriff of said
County;

Read and referred to the Committee on Claims, in
concurrence.

Petition of James B. Pike and others, of
Bangor, and vicinity, asking an
alteration in the Post-Office Law;

Read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary,
in concurrence.

Petition of the Overseers of the Town of Edgecomb,
for an abatement of State Tax;

Read and referred to the Committee on State valuation,
in concurrence.

Petition of the President, Directors and Company of
the George's Insurance Company praying for
a reduction of their capital stock;

Read and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking
in concurrence.

Resolved from the House of Representatives, according the
Resolves

Resolved relating to a general Bankrupt Law, approved March 18. 1840.

Read and this day at eleven and a half o'clock assigned for a second reading.

The Committee on Interior Waters Reported order of Notice to the present Legislature, on the Petition of Jere A. Nichols and others:

Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Eastman, from the Committee on the Judiciary Reported leave to withdraw on the Petition of Elizabeth G. Miers; and, also, that Legislation is inexpedient on an Order in relation to repealing certain public Laws; also on an Order in relation to the repeal of the Law giving a bounty on Coconuts and Sittos.

Severally read and accepted: Sent down for concurrence.

Bills entitled an Act to repeal the law giving a bounty for the Heads of Beards and Wolves;

and an

Act to incorporate the Mount Meriah Cemetery
(Severally Reported by the Committee on the Judiciary) were read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Mr. Patten from the Select Committee to whom was referred the returns of votes on the Shiretown of Piscataquis County Reported; That the whole number of votes given is two thousand, one hundred and eighty eight.
Necessary

1842. Necessary for a choir, one thousand and ninety five, 123.
one thousand and ninety three votes were given for Faverscroft,
nine hundred and eighty six were given for Dover; —
sixty seven votes were given for Milo; thirty two votes
were given for Guilford; and eleven votes were given
for other places: No Town having a majority of all
the votes given in, Dover remains the Shire town of
said County, agreeably to an Act of the Legislature,
approved April 16. 1841;
Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Report of the Committee on Banks and Banking,
on the Petition of the President and Directors
of the Bank of Westbrooke was, on
Motion of Mr. Smith, of Cumberland,
taken up; and the same was accepted.
Sent down for concurrence.

The Secretary of State came in
and laid upon the table a communication from the
Governor, in compliance with a Resolution of the Senate
asking information in relation to Lands set apart for
the benefit of Primary Schools.
And the same was read and referred to the Committee
on Literature and Literary Institutions
sent down for concurrence.

In compliance with the provisions of
the Revised Statutes, the Secretary of State transmitted
to the Legislature such returns of the Cashiers of Banks, and
Clerks of Corporations, comprising the names of all
the Stockholders, their residence, and the amount
of

of Stock owned by each, &c. as had been made by his office.

Laid on the table; and five hundred copies ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate, and five hundred additional copies to be distributed among the several towns, cities and plantations.

A written Message was received from the Governor, by the Secretary of State, transmitting Resolutions and Documents from the several States, which were read and referred as follows, to wit: Report and Resolutions of the Legislature of Vermont on the Subject of the North Eastern Boundary of Maine; to the Committee on the North Eastern Boundary:

Resolutions of Vermont relative to the re-eligibility of President of the United States;

Resolutions of the same relating to the election of President of the United States;

Resolves of the General Assembly of Connecticut in relation to the one term principle as applied to the Executive of the Nation;

Resolves of the Legislature of Massachusetts relating to the re-eligibility of President of the United States, and the limitation of that office to a single term;

Resolves of the Legislature of Massachusetts concerning the Public Lands;

Resolves of the Legislature of Massachusetts relative to the Revenue Law, and Laws regulating the trade of the United States;

Report of a Committee of the House of Delegates of Maryland, relative to the Surrender of Fugitives from Justice;

Message from the Governor of Virginia, communicating a correspondence

122 correspondence between the Governor of Virginia and 125
New York in relation to certain fugitives from Justice; and
the Report of the Select Committee of the the House of
Delegates of Virginia on the controversy with New York
was severally read and referred to the Committee on the
Judiciary.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Leavitt from the Joint
Select Committee, appointed to Superintend the funeral
of the late Honorable William Pickens; Reported
Resolves in favor of Henry P. Stevens and others;
Read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock, assigned for
a second reading. —

Resolve recinding the Resolve of March 18th 1840,
"relating to a general Bankrupt Law;
Read a second time;

Mr. Parrot moved an
amendment in the following words, to wit:
"That our Senators be instructed, and our Representa-
tives, in Congress, be requested, to use their best
" exertions to resist the passage of any Bankrupt
" Act not having compulsory provisions upon
" Banking Corporations."

And the question of adopting the amendment being Ordered
to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the
Negative, as follows.

Yeas: Messrs. Barnard, of Oxford, Bennett, Blake,
Bodwell, Clough, Farnsworth, Faye, Humphrey,
Leavitt, Otis, Parrot, Fuller and Smart: 13
Nays —

Yays: Messrs. Ayer, Bridgman, Brown, Burlingame,
Eastman, Goodwin, Hanscom,
Kavanaugh, Lane, Patterson,
Smith, of Somerset, and Smith,
of Cumberland, Jones and
Nelson 111.

Mr. Humphrey moved to amend,
by inserting after the first Resolve, the following
words, to wit:

"Resolved: That our Senators in Congress"
"be instructed, and our Representatives be"
"requested, to use their influence in favor"
"of a general Bankrupt Law, which shall"
"be equal, impartial and just in its operation"
"throughout these United States, and applicable"
"to all such Corporations as issue bills or"
"promissory notes, as well as to individuals,"
"shedding its benefits on all, and infringing"
"the rights of none."

And the question being ordered to be taken by yeas
and nays, it was decided in the negative, as
follows.

Yeas: Messrs. Ayer, Blough, Hanscom,
Humphrey, Ols, Patten and Smart . . . 7.

Nays: Messrs. Barnard of Oxford, Bennett,
Blake, Bodwell, Bridgman, Brown,
Burlingame, Eastman, Farnsworth, Fye,
Goodwin, Kavanaugh, Lane, Leavitt,
Parris, Patterson, Smith, of Somerset,
Smith, of Cumberland, Jones and
Nelson 20.

Mr. Smart

Mr. Smart offered the following amendment.

Resolved: That, by the passage of the above (foregoing) Resolve, this Legislature does not intend "to express an opinion for or against a Bankrupt Law, nor the Bankrupt Law passed by the extra Session of Congress, in 1841, nor does the Legislature" intend that any instruction shall be given to our Senators and Representatives in Congress by the passage of the "above (foregoing) Resolve":

And the question being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the Negative, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Ayer, Clough, Hanscom, Humphrey, Ols, Patten and Smart. . . . 7.

Nays: Messrs. Barnard of Oxford, Bennett, Blake, Bodwell, Bridgman, Brown, Burleigh, Eastman, Farnsworth, Fry, Goodwin, Kavanagh, Lane, Leavitt, Parid, Patterson, Smith, of Somerset, Smith, of Cumberland, Jones and Litcher. . . . 20.

The question on the final passage of the Resolve (the rule having been suspended,) being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the affirmative, as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Barnard of Oxford, Bennett, Blake, Bodwell, Bridgman, Brown, Burleigh, Eastman, Farnsworth, Fry, Goodwin, Kavanagh, Lane, Leavitt, Patterson, Smith, of Somerset, Smith, of Cumberland, Jones and

Lomes and Stetson 19

Naup: Mesrs. Ayer, Cough, Hanson, Humphrey,
Ols, Parist, Pullen and Smith 8

Petition of John Attean, and seventy six
others, of the Indians of the Penobscot
Tribe, praying that no law may be
passed granting a new election of
Governor, or in any way to deprive
them of their ancient customs:

Read and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs
in concurrence. —

Adjourned:

Wm. Sere Haskell, Secretary.

Wednesday, January 26th 1842.

Petition of Peter Altherton, and ninety six others, ladies of Castine, for the repeal or suspension of the Laws regulating and licensing the traffic of Ardent Spirits.

Read and referred to the Committee on the License Laws.
Sent down for concurrence.

Petition of Rebecca Rounds that certain lands may be set off from Denmark and annexed to Bridgton.

Read and referred to the Committee on the Division and Alteration of Counties.
Sent down for concurrence.

Petition of Meshack Pike, of Port, for the passage of a Law regulating the use of water in reservoir dams held in common and undivided.

Read and referred to the Committee on Interior Waters.
Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Kavanagh, from the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, to which so much of the Governor's Message as relates to the appropriation of the Bank Tax, made a Report asking to be discharged from the further consideration of that subject, and recommending a reference of the same to the Standing Committee on Finance, appointed by the House of Representatives.

Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

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The Committee on Claims to which was referred the Report of the last Legislature on the Petition of Joseph Miles, praying that he may be remunerated for damages sustained at the organization of the town of Madawaska: Reported; That, the same be referred to the next Legislature.
Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Bridgman Ordered: That the Secretary be directed to take from the files of the Senate the Petition of Spencer G. Bowes, and lay the same upon the President's table.

The Committee on Rail Roads and Canals Reported order of notice to the present Legislature on the Petition of L. W. Trull and others.
Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

A communication was received from James White, Treasurer elect, signifying his acceptance, and transmitting his Bond, which, together with the Bond, was referred to the Joint Select Committee on the Treasurer's Report.
Sent down for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Farnsworth the Senate reconsidered the vote of yesterday, by which it ordered the printing of one thousand copies of the Return of Cashiers of Banks and Clerks of Corporations.

Resolved

Resolve in favor of Henry P. Stearns and others;

Bill entitled

An Act to incorporate the Proprietors of Mount Meriah Cemetery;
was severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed;
Sent down for concurrence.

Order from the House; That a notice of the Kennebec Locks and Canals Company be referred to the Committee on Interior Waters;

Read and passed in concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act to repeal the Law giving a bounty on the heads of Wolves and Beasts.

Read a second time; and,

On motion of Mr. Davis,
laid on the table.

Petition of Joseph Dargatz and others, citizens of Fairfield, for the erection of a Dam at Six Miles Falls;

Read and referred to the Committee on Interior Waters, in concurrence.

Remonstrance of John Francis and forty others, of the Pessamaguddy Indians, against the annual election of Governor of said Tribe.

Read and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs, in concurrence.

Resolve

Resolve in favor of Columbus Crockett.
Read once, and tomorrow at two o'clock appointed
for a second reading.

Adjourned.

Attest: Levi Haskell, Secretary.

Thursday, January 27th 1842.

The Committee on Interior Waters:
Reported Order of Notice to the present Legislature,
on the petition of Jacob Hariman and others.
Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Petition of Selectmen of Baring that, that portion
of Meddylumps set off from Baring, be
made liable for their proportion of said
town's debt, existing at the time of the
division;

" " Patrick Campbell that West. Shide
may be authorized to give a deed;

" " William Emerson that certain notes
and securities may be cancelled;

Remonstrance of Citizens of Augusta against the
repeal of the Law prohibiting Hatters,
Potters and Petty-Chapmans;

" " Franklin Glazier and forty
others, citizens of Hallowell, against
the repeal of the twenty fifth
Chapter of the Revised Statutes;

were severally read and referred to the Committee on the
Judiciary, in concurrence.

Petition of C. Pote for allowance of money, in
pursuance of the written agreement of
Leviniah Lookwin, formerly Treasurer of State.

Read and referred to the Committee on Claims, in concurrence.

Petition

Petition of Stephen L. Tobey and others praying
for an Act of incorporation for the
Waterville Academy;

Read and referred to the Committee on Literature and
Library Institutions, in concurrence.

Petition of the Assessors of McCall's plantation praying
for a separate representation;

" " Blue Hill for the same;
were severally read and referred to the Committee on
apportionment, in concurrence.

Petition of Samuel Burbank and thirty six others
praying for the location of the public
lands, and for the sale of the timber
on the same;

" " Ebenezer Foster and others for the same;
were severally read and referred to the Committee on
State Lands, in concurrence.

Petition of the Directors of the Exchange Bank,
for an extension of the time for settling
their affairs;

Read and referred to the Committee on Banks and
Banking, in concurrence.

Petition of the Assessors of Wilton;

" " " Selectmen of Gray;

" " " " " Mount Desert;
severally praying for a revision of their State valuations;
were

1832 were severally read and referred to the Committee on 135
State valuation, in concurrence.

Petition of Lewis C. Swett and fourteen others,
of the town of Livermore, for the repeal
of the License Law:

Read and referred to the Committee which have that
subject under consideration, in concurrence.

Petition of the Proprietors of Inebriest Room praying that
the Legislature would make certain regulations
for said Room;

" " John T. Taylor and others for a Town
at Six Miles Falls:

were severally read and referred to the Committee on
Interior Affairs, in concurrence.

Petition of Asa Smith and thirty one others of
Machias and plantation No. 23 for the
incorporation of the town of Palmer;

Remonstrance of the Inhabitants of Machias against
the same:—

were severally read and referred to the Committee
on Incorporation of Towns, in concurrence.

Petition of William Liddow and others that certain
lands may be set off from Whitefield
and annexed to Jefferson:

" " Inhabitants of the town of Newry for
alteration of town lines;

" " Lewis Palmer and thirty six others to
be

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be set off from Pittston and annexed to Presden,

Petition of James Brown and ten others for an annexation of a part of Newry to latter A. No. 2.

Remonstrance of the town of Fairfield against the petition of Eliphazet Allen and others;

" " Inhabitants of Monroe against the petition of John D. Crowell and others;

were severally read and referred to the Committee on Division of Towns, in concurrence.

Petition of Spencer L. Bond for a Pension for injury received in the Croostock expedition. Read and referred to the Committee on Military Pensions. Sent down for concurrence.

Order from the House: That the Committee on Claims be authorized to take from the files of the Secretary of State's Office the original papers in the case of Benjamin Brown and John Needham, asking for remuneration for injury done to horses while in the service of the State;

" from the same: That the Committee on Banks and Banking take into consideration so much of the Bank Commissioners' Report as relates to the alteration of Law on that subject, and report by Bill or otherwise;

Order

1812 Order from the House, in relation to limiting the 137
time within which suits shall be brought
against Deputy Sheriffs and receipted in
certain cases;
were severally read and passed in concurrence.

Petition of the President, Directors and Company of
the Peoples' Bank, for further time to close
the concerns of said corporation;
Read and referred to the Committee on Banks and
Banking. Sent down for concurrence.

Petition of Lotin Thwing, and one hundred and fifteen
Others, for a horse or steam Ferry from
Worcester to Bath;
Read and referred to the Committee on Roads and
Bridges. Sent down for concurrence.

The Committee on Indian Affairs,
Reported leave to withdraw on the Petition of Governor
Francis and others.
Read and accepted: Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Columbus Crockett,
was read a second time and on Motion
of Mr. Eastman indefinitely postponed:
Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Eastman, from the Committee on the Judiciary,
Reported leave to withdraw on the Petition of Alexander
Morrow and Lucius Bradbury:
Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.
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Mr. Bodwell from the Committee on
Incorporation of Towns; Reported leave to withdraw
on the Petition of Jesse Gilman and others.
Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

The Committee on Interior Waters:
Reported leave to withdraw on the Petition of William
Hogan and others.
Read & accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

The Committee on the Judiciary:
Reported legislation inexpedient on the subject
of an Order in relation to amending the fourteenth
chapter of the Revised Statutes.
Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Report of the Committee on State Lands on the
petition of Nicholas Thomas, came up
from the House, recommended, and the
Senate recommended the same, in concurrence.

The Committee on State Lands:
Reported leave to withdraw on petition of Joshua
Sinclair.
Read and accepted in concurrence.

Bill entitled
An Act to incorporate the town of Townsend,
was, on motion of Mr. Eastman, taken up; and,
on motion of Mr. Fairfield, referred to the next
Legislature.
Sent down for concurrence.

The Committee

Reported Order of notice, to the present Legislature, on
petition of Josiah Hoggins and others:

Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Concurred

Resolve in favor of Albert Hanson (was Reported
and Read by the Committee on Military Pensions.)
Read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for
a second reading.

Resolve in favor of certain Soldiers in the town of
Parkman, (Reported by the Committee on Claims.)
Read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for
a second reading.

Bill entitled

An Act granting to proprietors of certain lands,
subjected to the State for non payment of
taxes, further time to redeem the same (Reported
by the Committee on State Lands and Colonization of William W. Thompson.)

Read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned
for a second reading.

Resolve additional for the promulgation of the Laws
of the State, (Reported by the Committee on the
Judiciary.)

Read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned
for a second reading.

A written message was received from
the Governor, by the Secretary of State transmitting
a Report and Resolutions of the Legislature of Georgia
in relation to the proceedings of the extra Session
of the twenty seventh Congress: Also Resolutions
of

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of the General Assembly of Alabama in relation to
the proceeds of the public lands; - which were read
and referred to the Committee, to which was referred so
much of the Governor's message as relates to the distribution
of the public lands; - and three hundred copies ordered to be
printed for the use of the Senate. -

Sent down for concurrence. —

Adjourned!

Attest: Levi Haskell, Secretary.

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Mr. Kavanagh from the Joint Select Committee on the North Eastern Boundary made a Report, accompanied by Resolutions, in relation to that subject; and the same were read, (and the rule having been suspended,) they were finally passed.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Cumberland, five hundred copies were ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate; sent down for concurrence.

Petition of James Smith and eleven others; and
" " John Dean and others for a repeal
of the License Law;

" " W. B. Morse, and ninety others of
Brunswick for amendment of the License Law;
were severally read and referred to the Committee
on License Law, in concurrence.

Petition of Inhabitants of Kennelbush that
real estate of Rail Roads may be
taxed in the towns where such roads
are located.

Read and referred to the Committee on Rail Roads
and Canals, in concurrence.

Petition of John Chandler in aid of the petition
of John A. Hoyt, to be annexed to
Kelgrade;

Read and referred to the Committee on Division of
Towns, in concurrence.

Petition

Petition of Benjamin Wyman and thirty three others for incorporation by the name of Washington Park Association;
Read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary in concurrence.

Petition of the Inhabitants of Whiting for an abatement of State tax and revision of State valuation;
Read and referred to Committee on State Valuation, in concurrence.

Petition of Joseph Sealy that the Selectmen of Perry be authorized to lay out a road across an Indian lot belonging to the State;
Read and referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges, in concurrence.

Petition of the Receivers of the Globe Bank, for extension of time to close the concerns of said Bank;
Read and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking, in concurrence.

Petition of Astorad Felt and others to be exonerated from the expense incurred by the reception of a daughter of said Felt at the Insane Hospital;
Read and referred to the Committee on Hospital for the Insane, in concurrence.

Petition

1842 Petition of the Selectmen of Garland for further 1843.
allowance for expended in defence of
the North Eastern Frontier.

Read and referred to the Committee on Claims, in
concurrence.

The following
Orders from the House; directing the Committee
on the Judiciary to inquire into the
expediency of amending the laws in
relation to proving claims against
insolvent estates;
Also of increasing the number of the
Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court;
Also of amending the Revised Statutes
relating to the issuing of executions on
recognizances for debt, entered into prior
to the passage of these Statutes;
were severally read and passed in concurrence.

Mr. Eastman from the Joint
Select Committee on the Treasurer's Report, to
which was referred the Communication and
accompanying Bond of James White, Treasurer
elect, Reported; That said Bond was good and
sufficient.

Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Petition of John H. Pillsbury and others for injury
by detention of lumber at the Occochee
Room;

Read and referred to the Committee on State Lands.
Sent down for concurrence.

Petition

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Petition of Thomas N. Bridgman and others for
leave to build a bridge across
Androscoggin River;

Read and referred to the Committee on Roads and
Bridges. Sent down for concurrence.

Order from the House; that the Committee on
Literature and Literary Institutions be
directed to inquire into the expediency of
granting aid to the Maine Wesleyan
Seminary;

Read and passed in concurrence.

The Committee on the Division
and alteration of Counties, Reported, Order of
Notice to the present Legislature on the petition
of Rebecca Hould;

Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve in relation to trespasses committed upon
the public lands (reported in the House);
was read once; and, on motion of Mr. Stetson
laid on the table.

Resolve in favor of Oliver Frost (reported from
the Committee on State Lands);
was read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock
assigned for a second reading.

Mr. Atz. from the Committee on
Interior Waters, Reported leave to withdraw on the
petition of Ira Wadleigh and another.
Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Bill entitled

An Act granting proprietors of certain lands forfeited to the State, for non-payment of taxes, further time to redeem the same, (reported from the Committee on State Lands,) was taken up, and Monday next at ten o'clock, assigned for the further consideration of the same.

Mr. Elliot, from the Committee on Roads and Bridges, Reported legislation, inexpedient upon a Report of the last Legislature relative to altering the tolls on Duck-trap Bridge; Read and accepted: Sent down for concurrence.

The same Committee asked to be discharged from the further consideration of the petition of John A. Gilman and others, and of Joseph Chase and others; and recommending the reference of the same to the Committee on State Roads; Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Eastman, with leave of the Senate, laid on the table a

Resolve in favor Sanford Kingsbury; which was read once, and this day at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Mr. Eastman, from the Committee on the Judiciary reported a

Resolve in favor of George Hounsfield; which was read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Resolve

Resolve additional for the promulgation of the Laws of the State, was read a second time and passed to be engrossed sent down for concurrence.

A Communication was received from the Honorable Reuel Williams and the Honorable George Evans, Senators in Congress from this State, enclosing a correspondence, with the Department of State; which was read and referred to the Committee on the North Eastern Boundaries. Sent down for concurrence.

Bill entitled
An Act providing for the appointment of certain Officers of the Indian Tribes, (reported from the Committee on Indian affairs) was read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Mr. Smith from the Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred the petition of Lucius Allen, Reported: That the Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the same, and recommending the reference thereof to the Committee on Interior Waters. Read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Albert Hanson, was taken up, and on motion of Mr. Eastman, indefinitely postponed. Sent down for concurrence.

The Committee

The Committee on Roads and 117.

Judge, Reported Order of Notice to the present Legislature on the petition of Inhabitants of Hagerburg, asking toll on certain Bridges: Read and accepted in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Leavitt, the rule was suspended, and the Senate then reconsidered the vote accepting the Report of the Committee on State Lands on the petition of John Sudley and others:

And said Report was recommitted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of certain soldiers of the town of Parkman, was read a second time, and indefinitely postponed. Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Sanford Kingsbury, was read a second time and passed to be engrossed. Sent down for concurrence.

Adjourned.

Attest: Sere Haskell, Secretary.

Saturday January 29th 1842.

Remonstrance of William H. Morse, and fifty two others;

" " Alva Fauce and others;

" " Joseph L. Kelley and others;
against the repeal of the law
relating to Hawkers and
Pedlars;

were severally read and referred to the
Committee on the Judiciary, in concurrence.

Petition of William H. Drew and others for an
appropriation in aid of
Agriculture;

" " Luther Carey and others for a bounty
on Mulberry trees;

severally read, referred to the Committee on
Agriculture in concurrence.

Petition of Selectmen of St. Albans;

" " " " Scarborough;

" " B. F. Staples and others inhabitants
of Swan Island, severally praying for
a reduction of State valuation
and an abatement of State tax;

severally read and referred to the Committee on
State valuation, in concurrence.

Petition of James Hersey, Jr and others for an
alteration of the Militia Law;

Read and referred to the Committee on the Militia,
in concurrence.

Petition

Petition of Charles A. Hayden for compensation 149.
for services during the Antislavery
War;

Read and referred to the Committee on Claims, in
concurrence.

Petition of Waldo County Washington Temper-
ance Society for repeal of the
License Law;

Read and referred to the Committee on the License
Law, in concurrence.

Petition of Joseph Carter to build a bridge
across tide waters in the town of
Bluehill;

Read and referred to the Committee on Roads and
Bridges, in concurrence.

Petition of the Town of New Gloucester for separate
representation;

Read and referred to the Committee on Apportionment,
in concurrence.

Resolved in favor of Joseph Salmo and Sebatias
Neptune, and

to pay certain Indians, reported by Mr.
Farnsworth, from the Committee on Indian
affairs, were severally read over, and
Monday next assigned for a second
reading.

A Message was received from the
Governor by the Secretary of State, transmitting the annual
Report of the Inspector of the State Prison;
which

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which was referred to the Committee on State Prisons, and three hundred copies ordered to be printed for the use of the Senate:

Sent down for concurrence.

The following Orders from the House were severally read and passed in concurrence to wit:

Directing the Committee on State valuation to inquire into the expediency of a reduction of the State valuation and a corresponding abatement of State tax of the towns of Middleboro' and Frankfort.

That the Committee on Interior Fisheries inquire into the expediency of amending the fourteenth section, of the sixty first Chapter of the Revised Statutes, so as to extend the time prohibiting the taking of salmon, shad and Alewives in Machias River.

That the Committee on the Judiciary inquire into the expediency of providing that attachments of personal property may be made in different counties on Justice writs; also empowering Justices of the Peace to direct executions to officers of adjoining Counties, in certain cases;

That said Committee inquire into the expediency of amending the Revised Statutes so far as relates to the collection of taxes on real estate.

Instructing said Committee to inquire into the expediency of further legislation touching the powers and duties of Plantations;

Instructing

1842 Instructing the same Committee to inquire into 151.
the expediency of modifying existing
laws in relation to gifts and donations
made by donors, in their last sickness,
where the donation exceeds one
hundred dollar in amount.

Order from the House appointing
Messrs. Smart of Troy,
Asgood " Portland,
Greene " Saco,
Morse " Bath,
Reed " Wadsworth,
Gilchrist " Thomaston,
Bunker " Trenton,
Muzzy " Bangor,
Bradbury " Calais, and
Lyman " Lubec,

with such as the Senate may join, a Committee
to collect and embody Statistical information
in regard to the amount of business, and the
exposed situation, of the Maritime Frontier; and
providing that said Committee shall henceforth
constitute one of the Joint Standing Committees
of the Legislature, and be denominated the
Maritime Frontier Committee:

Read and passed in concurrence; and

Messrs. Bridgman

Leavitt

Simes,

Atis and

Goodwin, were joined

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Resolve in favor of George Hounsfield was read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Ezekiah Lombard, (reported in the House from the Committee on State Lands,) was read once, and Monday next at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Resolve in favor of Oliver Post, was taken up; and, on Motion of Mr. Bridgman, Tuesday next at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill entitled

An Act providing for the appointment of certain Officers of the Indian Tribes, was taken up; and, on Motion of Mr. Humphrey, Tuesday next at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Report of the Committee on Division of Land, on petition of Philomen Starlow and others, came up from the House nonconcurring and recommitted; and the Senate receded from its former vote and recommitted the same, in concurrence.

Report

1842 Report of the Committee on Interior Waters, 153.
on petition of Loab Harriman
and others:

" of the Committee on Banks and
Banking, on the petition of the President,
Directors and Company of the Bangor
Commercial Bank;

" of the Committee on Military Pensions
on the petition of Daniel Brown,
Leveraley came up from the House nonconcurring
and recommitted: And the Senate receded
from its former votes and recommitted the
same, in concurrence.

The Committee on Division of
Towns, Reported Order of notice to the present
Legislature on petition of Fergus McLain
and others:

Read and accepted in concurrence.

The Report of the Committee on
Claims, recommending the reference of the
accounts of the late Acting Quarter Master
General to a Joint select Committee, came
from the House accepted, and

Messrs Dunn, of Poland,
Nason, " Lyman,
Thinkley, " Tephany,
Partridge, " Orland,
Lyman, " Libee,
Hersey, " Micford, and
Thompson, " Hartford,

joined in concurrence.

The Committee

The Committee on Engraved Bibles
Reported as correctly engraved.

Resolve in favor of Henry P. Stevens and others.

" repealing a Resolve for the publication
and distribution of abstracts of the
returns of common schools; and
the same were finally passed

Adjourned.

Wm. Vere Haskell, Secretary.