

Monday, February, 3, 1834.

Petition of Selectmen of Hartland, that a part of St. Albans may be annexed to said Hartland,

Remonstrance of sundry inhabitants of St. Albans against same,

Petition of Joseph Moore and others to be set off from Hartland and annexed to St. Albans; severally read and referred to the Committee on Division of Towns, in concurrence.

Petition of Geo. W. Stanley and others for a law imposing a tax on Stud Horses, read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration in concurrence.

Petition of sundry inhabitants of Kennebec County for a Survey of Lumber, came up from the House referred to Messrs. Mildrum, Small of Monmouth, Sabine, Allen of Lubec, and Merrill of Belgrade, with such as the Senate may join; read and referred, and Messrs. Bradbury and Nelson are joined in concurrence.

Petition of J. A. Paine and others for an amendment of the laws relative to the inspection of Fish; read and referred to the Committee on Interior Fisheries, in concurrence.

Petition of Selectmen of Dennyville for money paid into County and State Treasuries, to be refunded; read and referred to the Committee on Claims in concurrence.

Petition of sundry inhabitants of Porter that they may be authorized to appropriate the proceeds of their Ministerial Fund to the use of primary schools; read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary in

Remonstrance of inhabitants of East Pittston against the petition of Moses Ball and others for a Bridge across the Eastern River near Clancy's Ferry, read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, in concurrence.

Petition of Calvin D. Wheeler for a pension, read and referred to the Committee on Military Pensions, in concurrence.

Order from the House appointing Messrs Allen of Lubec, Jewett of Portland, Small of Monmouth, Arnold of Palermo and Muse of Warren, a Committee with such as the Senate may join, to take into consideration the expediency of altering the laws in regard to the appointment of Inspectors of Fish, with leave to report by bill or otherwise; read and passed, and Messrs Chandler and Pease are joined in concurrence.

Order from the House of Representatives instructing the Committee on the Judiciary to consider the expediency of repealing an act to encourage the destruction of Caribos, Bears, Wolves, Loupceruies and Wildcats; read and passed, in concurrence.

Resolue in favor of Sewall Prescott,

Bill to annex a part of the Williams College Grant to the town of Moulton,

Bill to incorporate the Manufacturers Savings Bank, severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed. Sent down for concurrence.

Resolue in favor of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians, laid on the table by Mr. Bradbury, read once and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Petition of James Sitterb and others for a Bank at Henebunk, read and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Sent down for concurrence. Concluded.

Petition of Charles Mitten and John C. Glidden, for reimbursement for money expended in making the Canada Road, read and referred to the Committee on Claims. Sent down for concurrence. Concluded.

Resolue directing the Land Agent to collect certain demands due the State, came up from the House referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, read and referred in concurrence.

Mr. Cogswell from the Committee on Banks and Banking, reported leave to withdraw on petition of William D. Williamson and others; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Petition of inhabitants of Cherryfield,

" " " Harrington

" " " Dennyville

" " " Cutler

" of David Merrit and others

" of Jonathan Marston and others, praying for the passage of a law prohibiting the sale of ardent spirits and the granting of licenses to Inholders and others, severally read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence.

Concluded.

Petition of the Portland Light Infantry Company to be incorporated into an Independent Corpz, read and referred to the Committee on the Militia.

Sent down for concurrence. Concluded.

Mr. Gorton, from the Committee on the Judiciary to which was referred the petition of Benjamin Weston Jr and others for a law inflicting further penalties on such persons as take and convert logs and other timber to their own use without the owners consent, reported that further legislation on that subject is inexpedient; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred

The same gentleman, from the Committee on Claims to which was referred the petition of Levi Goodrich and others, and Charles Baker and others, made a report asking to be discharged from any further consideration of the subject, and that the same be referred to the Committee on State Roads, severally read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Concurred.

The same gentleman from the same Committee reported leave to withdraw on petition of John B. Smith, read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr. Cogswell from the Committee on Banks & Banking reported leave to withdraw on petition of the Bath Bank, read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr. Cobb from the Committee on Incorporation of Towns, to which was referred the petition of Daniel Towns, made a report, asking to be discharged from further consideration of the subject, read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Bill to annex Chandler's Gore to the town of Livermore, reported by Mr. Pease from the Committee on Division of Towns, to which was referred petition

of inhabitants of Chandler's Gore, was read once, and on motion of Mr Tobin, referred to the next Legislature.
Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr Halsey from the Committee on State Lands to which was recommitted the petition of certain Indians of the Penobscot Tribe, reported a statement of facts, which report was read, and on motion of Mr Smith laid upon the table.

Mr Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes Bridges and Canals, reported leave to withdraw on petition of David L Hobbs and others: read & accepted.
Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

The same gentleman from the same Committee, to which was referred the petition of William Bradbury and others, reported Bill to incorporate the Henshawing Canal Corporation, which was read and on motion of Mr Farnsworth, laid upon the table, and ordered that three hundred copies be printed for the use of the Legislature.

The same gentleman from the Joint Select Committee to which was referred an Act to establish the compensation of Clerks of County, and giving further remedies on Clerks Bonds, reported that the same ought not to pass; read and accepted.
Sent down for concurrence.

The Secretary of State laid upon the table the official statements received at the Secretary's office, of the expenditures made by the Kennebec, East Somerset & West Somerset Agricultural Societies, and the Cumberland Agricultural and Horticultural Society, read and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.
Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

A message from the House informing the Senate that the House had reconsidered their vote whereby they assigned this day for the second reading of a Bill to incorporate the East Machias and Machias Port Bridge Company, and also their vote giving said Bill a first reading and return said Bill and accompanying papers to the Senate in concurrence. Which Bill and accompanying papers, on motion of Mr. Brigham, was recommitted.

Sent down for concurrence.

The Joint Select Committee to which was referred Bill prescribing the mode of making and repairing highways, reported that further Legislation on that subject is inexpedient, which report came up from the House, read and on motion of Mr. Smith committed to a Joint Special Committee consisting on the part of the Senate of Messrs. Smith and Chandler, with such as the House may join.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred and Messrs. Morrill of Belgrade Moore of Dover, Otis, Hutchins, Perkins, Spaulding, Thayer and Pierce of Portland are joined.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as correctly engrossed.

Resolved providing for the purchase & distribution of Greenleafs Reports, which Resolved on motion of Mr. Groton was laid upon the table.

Resolved respecting the building of a Jail in the County of York, was read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Brunswick Company, reported by this Committee on Manufactures, to which was referred the petition of Isaac Lincoln and others.

Bill to incorporate the Marjorill Peap Stone Company, reported by Mr. Smith from the same Committee

to which was referred the petition of John Alexander and others,

Bill to authorize certain persons to build a Bridge across Menduskey Stream in the town of Bangor reported by Mr Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, to which was referred the petition of S. Hudson and others,)

Bill to increase the Capital Stock of the Union Bank, reported by the Committee on Banks and Banking to which was referred the petition of the Directors of the Union Bank in Brunswick,)

Bill to repeal "an Act respecting the anchoring of Vessels on the Fishing grounds near the Manas and Menhagan Island" referred from the last to the present Legislature.

Resolved in favor of William K. and Oliver Moses, reported by Mr. Greton from the Committee on Claims,

Resolved for the erection of a Gunhouse in Belfast, reported by the Committee on the Militia to which was referred an order relative to the same,)

Resolved in favor of Samuel Holden, reported by Mr. Halsey from the Committee on State Lands, to which was referred the petition of Samuel Holden;) severally read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to incorporate the Portland and Cape Elizabeth Coal Company, reported in the House by the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, to which was referred the petition of Abner Bagley and others,

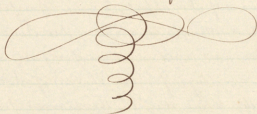
Bill to incorporate the Penobscot Bridge, reported by Mr Farnsworth, from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, to which was referred the petition of Frederic A. Tuttle and others, severally read once and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Resolve in favor of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians,
laid on the table by Mr. Bradbury, read once and tomorrow
at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

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Adjourned.

Attest, (William) Trafton, Secretary.

A decorative flourish consisting of a large, stylized loop at the top, followed by a series of smaller, swirling loops that trail downwards and to the left.

Tuesday, February 4, 1834.

Order from the House instructing the Committee on the Judiciary to inquire into the expediency of altering or amending the law securing to mechanics and others, payment for their labor and materials expended in erecting and repairing houses &c. to report by Bill or otherwise; read and passed in concurrence.

Order from the House appointing Messrs Pitts-bury, Kimball of Gilead, Hill of Waterborough, Russ^d Whitney, Chase of Frankfort, Crane Worcester, Keene and Soule, a Committee with such as the Senate may join, to take into consideration the expediency of passing a law that the meetings for the choice of Town officers shall be held on the same day in the several towns and plantations within this State; with leave to report by Bill or otherwise, read and passed, and Messrs Farnham and Howard are joined in concurrence.

Order from the House instructing the Committee on Banks and Banking to inquire whether any Banks in this State have forfeited their Charter by demanding and receiving in loans of money, a percentage over & above that prescribed and regulated by the existing laws and also whether any Banking Corporation has openly or covertly set at defiance either the letter or spirit of the laws regulating the same; and that the Committee have power to send for persons and papers; read and passed in concurrence.

Order from the House appointing Messrs Hubbard of St. Berwick, McGrate and Bronson a Committee with such as the Senate may join, to inquire into the expediency of amending an act entitled "an act for the limitation of Actions real and personal, and of writs of error." approved March 19. 1821.

(Also an Act approved March 31. 1831, entitled an additional act regulating elections, with leave to report by Bill or otherwise; read and passed, and Messrs Schandler and Torje are joined in concurrence.

On motion of Mr Pierce, the Senate reconsider their vote whereby they accepted the report of the Committee on Banks and Banking, giving leave to withdraw on petition of William D. Williamson and others and refer the same to the next Legislature.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Petition of Stephen Emerson for compensation for making road over land of Massachusetts; read & referred to the Committee on State Roads.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr Tobin gave notice that he should tomorrow at ten o'clock move the reconsideration of the vote whereby the Senate refused a passage to a Bill to establish the compensation of Clerks of Courts and giving further remedies on Clerks bonds.

Bill additional to establish the Damariscotta Canal came up from the House. The Senate recede from their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed as amended and pass the same to be engrossed without amendment in concurrence with the House.

Bill to authorize certain persons to build a Bridge across Hendusheag Stream in the town of Bangor in the County of Penobscot, came up from the House passed to be engrossed as taken in a new draft.

The Senate recede from their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed, adopt the new draft, and pass the same to be engrossed in concurrence with the House.

Bill to set off Cornelius Thompson from Dorsetshire and to annex him to Lisbon, reported by Mr Pease from the Committee on Division of Towns, to which was referred the petition of Cornelius Thompson.

Bill to annex Joseph Stockpole and others to Albion reported by the same gentleman from the same Committee to which was referred the petition of Joseph Stockpole & others,

Bill to incorporate the town of Springfield, reported by Mr Cobb from the Committee on Incorporation of Towns, to which was referred the petition of Charles Lowell and others,

Resolution in favor of the Passamaquoddy Indians reported by Mr Hildes from the Committee on State Lands, to which was referred the petition of John Francis and others of the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Indians.

Bill additional respecting the Winthrop Bank, reported by Mr Cogswell from the Committee on Banks and Banking, to which was referred the petition of Winthrop Bank, severally read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to incorporate the Portland Mining and Railway Company, reported in the House by the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, to which was referred the petition of William Cammatt and others, was read once and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Resolution in favor of Samuel Holden was read a second time, and on motion of Mr Groton was laid upon the table.

Petition of Peter M. Smith and others to be incorporated into a Company by the name of the "Belfast Fishing Company"; read and referred to the Committee on Interior Fisheries. Sent down for concurrence.

Petition of John Spring and others respecting the sale of ardent spirits, read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, in concurrence.

Petition of Isaac Hucker and others,

of John G. Hall and others for a Bridge at Augusta.

Remonstrance of David Page and others, inhabitants of Fairfield, against the same, severally read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration, in concurrence.

Petition of James Lighton and others to be set off from Pittsfield to Hartland,

Remonstrance of Pittsfield Voters against the same.

Petition of the Town of Fryeburg for a division of said town,

Remonstrance of Benjamin Wyman Voters

of inhabitants of Fryeburg against a division of said town, severally read and referred to the Committee on the Division of Towns, in concurrence.

Petition of inhabitants of township No. 2 to be incorporated into a town by the name of Greenbush,

Remonstrance of James Scott and others against the Remonstrance of Moses Scott and others; severally read and referred to the Committee on Incorporation of Towns in concurrence.

Remonstrance of John Chism and others against petition of Moses Hall and others, read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals in concurrence.

Statement of facts relative to the pecuniary affairs of Parsonsfield Seminary was read and referred to the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions

Petition of the Dover and Effingham Stage Company to be incorporated; read and referred to the Committee on Manufactures in concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Bowman's Point Horse Ferry Company was read a second time, and the question of passing said Bill to be engrossed, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the affirmative *ye 103, to wit.*

Yeas, Messrs Allen, Bradbury, Brown, Cobb, Cogswell, Chandler, Frye, Howard, Melsey, Knowlton, Labaree, Manning, Pease, Tobin, Williamson ————— 15.

Nays, Messrs Emmons, Farnham, Farnsworth, Groton, Pierce, Porter, Prescott, Rogers, Smith ————— 9.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to authorize certain persons to build a Bridge over the Hennessey Stream in the town of Bangor,

Bill to incorporate the Hayswell Soap Stone Company,

Bill to incorporate the Penobscot Bridge,

Resolved in favor of Penobscot Indians; severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Brunswick Company,

Bill to increase the Capital Stock of the Union Bank,

Bill to incorporate the Portland and Cape Elizabeth Coal Company,

Bill to repeal an act respecting the anchoring of Vessels on the fishing grounds near the Mananans and Monhegan Islands,

Resolved for the erection of a gunhouse in Belfast
Severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed

The Committee on engrossed Bills reported as
correctly engrossed.

Bill to incorporate the Trustees of ^{Belgrade} Titcomb Head
embay.

Bill to prevent and punish injuries to Booms
and Rafts,

Bill to annex Crotch Island to the town of Cushing.

Bill extending the Charter of the Maine Charitable
Mechanic Association, and the same were severally passed
to be _____ enacted _____

Adjourned

Attest, William Drafton, Secretary.

Wednesday, February, 5, 1834.

Petition of the Selectmen of Carthage, Milton and Weld for aid from the State to repair a road; read and referred to the Committee on State Roads, in concurrence.

Remonstrance of John Moulton and others against converting the Ministerial Fund in the town of Porter into a school fund, read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration in concurrence.

Petition of John Sanctelle Junr and sundry inhabitants of Sidney,

" of Richard Mills and sundry inhabitants of Belgrade,

" of Thomas Burgess and sundry inhabitants of Fairfield,

" of Elisha Coeledge and sundry inhabitants of Teton,

" of Joshua Fogg and sundry inhabitants of Cornville,

" of John Swart and sundry inhabitants of Clinton for a Dam across the Kennebec River at Augusta.

Remonstrance of James Ford and others against the same; severally read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration, in concurrence.

Resolved in favor of Sewall Prescott, came up from the House referred to the Committee on Claims.

The Senate recede from their vote passing said Resolue to be engrossed, and refer the same in concurrence.

Bill additional establishing salaries for Judges and Registrars of Probate came up, the House having refused said Bill a passage. The Senate, on motion of Mr. Brooks, order that the same lay upon the table.

Bill to legalize the study of Anatomy in certain cases and to protect the Sepulchres of the dead, (reported by Mr Prescott from the Joint Select Committee to which was referred the Bill, proposed by a Committee of the last Legislature, "to legalize the study of Anatomy in certain cases, & to protect the Sepulchres of the dead,") was read once, and on motion of Mr Groton was laid upon the table and ordered that four hundred copies of said report and Bill be printed for the use of the Legislature.

Resolved to amend the Constitution relative to the time of the annual session of the Legislature, and the time of holding the annual State elections, was taken up and read a second time, and the question of passing the same to be engrossed, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the affirmative as follows, to wit.
Yeas. Messrs Allen, Bradbury, Bridgman, Brown, Cobb, Cogswell, Emerson, Farnham, Farnsworth, Frye, Groton, Howard, Kelsey, Knicker, Sabree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Porter, Prescott, Rogers, Smith, Tobin & Williamson 24,
and none in the negative.

Sent down for concurrence.

The Communication from the Governor informing both branches of the Legislature of the resignation of Major-General Samuel Moore, and that a vacancy now exists in the office of Major General of the Seventh Division of the Militia of this State, read and sent down.

Mr Cogswell has leave of absence, fourteen days, from and after tomorrow.

The Senate reconsider the vote passing to be enacted, and also the vote passing to be engrossed "An Act to repeal an act respecting the packing and inspecting pickled and smoked fish", and propose to amend the same and pass said Bill to be reengrossed as amended.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Furnsworth, from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, reported leave to withdraw in petition of the Proprietors of Lisbon Bridge;

Also on petition of Francis Swan and others, severally read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. *Concurred*

Bill to incorporate the Head School Fund reported by Mr. Pierce from the Committee on Literature & Literary Institutions to which was referred the petition of Bartlett Lancaster,

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of Winslow Bridge reported by Mr. Furnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals to which was referred the petition of S. Eaton and others,

Bill to incorporate the Trustees of Sanford Academy reported in the House by the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions to which was referred the petition of N. C. Paine, were severally read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to incorporate the Stagecoach Company, reported Mr. Hickey from the Committee on State Lands to which was referred the Petition of James T. Hobart & others,

Bill additional to increase the Salary of the Judge of Probate for the County of Penobscot, reported by Mr. Rogers from the Joint Select Committee to which was referred the petition of William D. Williamson,

Bill additional to increase the Salary of the Register of Probate in the County of Somerset, reported by Mr. Furnsworth from the Joint Select Committee to which was referred the petition of Cullen Saintelle,

Resolve in favor of Willard Snell, reported by Mr. Grosvenor from the Committee on Claims, to which was referred the claim of Willard Snell, severally read once and

tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

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Bill additional respecting the Winthrop Bank,
to incorporate the town of Springfield,
to set off Cornelius Thompson from Barreloin
and to annex him to Lisbon,

Resolue in favor of Samuel Holden,
in favor of the Passamaquoddy Indians, some
severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Portland mining & Railway
Company was read a second time and passed to be en-
grossed in concurrence.

Resolue to establish a Board of Internal Improvements
reported by Mr. Farnham from the Joint Select Commit-
tee to which was referred so much of the Governor's Mes-
sage as relates to the subject of Internal Improvements, was
read once, and on motion of Mr. Smith laid upon the
table, and ordered that three hundred copies be printed
for the use of the Legislature.

A message from the House informing the Senate
that the House had reconsidered the vote whereby they ac-
cepted the report of the Committee on Division of Towns
in concurrence, in referring to the next Legislature the
petition of inhabitants of Chandler's Gore, and requesting
the return of the papers to the House.

Whereupon the Senate reconsider the vote accepting
said report, and the papers were accordingly returned
by the Secretary, in concurrence.

Bill to annex Joseph Stackpole and others to
Albion, was read a second time and recommitted
with instructions to report order of notice to the next
Legislature.

Adjourned

Attest, William Trafton, Secretary.

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Resolved in favor of George Brooks, reported in the House by the Committee on Military Pensions, on the petition of George Brooks,

Bill to increase the Capital Stock of the President Directors, and Company of the York Bank, reported in the House by the Committee on Banks and Banking on the petition of the President, Directors and Company of the York Bank,

Bill additional to an act for the prevention of damage by fire, and the safe keeping of Gunpowder; severally read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to incorporate the Associates of the Maine Wesleyan Journal, reported by Mr. Pierce from the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, on the petition of James B. Cushman and others,

Resolved authorizing an abatement on certain claims against Israel Curtis and others, reported by Mr. Helsey from the Committee on State Lands, on the petition of Israel Curtis and others, severally read once and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill relative to the Inspection of Stone Lime & Lime Casks, came up from the House recommitted with instructions to inquire into the expediency of providing for the appointment of an Inspector General throughout the State.

The Senate reconsider their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed, and recommit the same in concurrence.

The Senate reconsider their vote accepting the report of the Committee on Incorporation of Towns, ordering notice on petition of Samuel Andrews and others, returnable the third Wednesday of February instant and order that the same be recommitted, of which the House

was informed by Messrs and their concurrence requested.
Concurred.

The report of the Committee on Incorporation of Towns to which was referred the petition of Nathan Stanley and others, came up, the House having reconsidered their vote accepting said report, and ordered that the same be recommitteed. The Senate reconsidered their vote accepting said report, and recommitteed the same in concurrence.

Report of the Warden of the Maine State Prisons read and referred to the Committee on the State Prison in concurrence.

Mr. Bradbury from the Committee on State Roads to which was referred an order instructing them to inquire into the expediency of making an appropriation for the repair of the Canada road, reported that about eighteen miles of said road from the forks of the Kennebec River to the north line of the Bingham Kennebec Purchase, is now in a very bad condition, and almost impassable for carriages and that an appropriation for the repair of said road north of said Bingham Purchase is unnecessary and inexpedient. Read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of Winslow Bridge
to establish the Reed School Fund,
additional to increase the Salary of Judge of Probate for the County of Penobscot,

Bill to incorporate the Sluiceway Company,
additional to increase the Salary of the Register of Probate in the County of Somerset,

Resolve in favor of Willard Trull, severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the President, Directors and Company of the Bank of Bangor came up from the House amended. The Senate recede from their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed, adopt the amendment proposed by the House and pass the same to be engrossed as amended in concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Trustees of Sanford Academy,

Resolved for the benefit of the town of Newburgh, severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Resolved in favor of Stephen Emerson, reported by Mr. Broadbent from the Committee on State Records, on the petition of Stephen Emerson,

Bill to organize, govern and discipline the militia of this State was taken up, severally read and Tuesday next at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Resolved providing for the purchase of the two first Volumes of the Laws of Maine, reported by Mr. Gorton from the Committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred so much of the Governor's Message as relates to a new edition of the two first Volumes of the Laws of Maine, was read once and Wednesday next at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to incorporate the East Machias and Machias Port Bridge Company, reported by Mr. Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, to which said Bill and accompanying papers on the petition of J. A. Lowell and others had been recommended, was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Pease from the Committee on Division of Towns reported leave to withdraw on petition of the inhabitants

of the town of Fryeburgh; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as correctly engrossed,

Bill to incorporate the Brunswick Company, and the same was passed to be

enacted

Petition of Moses E. Prescott and others to be set off from New Vineyard and annexed to New Portland, was read and referred to the Committee on Division of Towns.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to annex a part of the town of Hallowell to Gardiner came up from the House with two amendments.

The Senate reconsider their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed; and the question of adopting the amendment proposed by the House, marked D, as follows, to wit,

"And further, provided, That the inhabitants, aforesaid, which by the act are set off and annexed to Gardiner, shall be holden to pay to the town of Hallowell, within two years, their just proportion of all debts, not exceeding Five Thousand Dollars, now due from said Hallowell to any person or persons whomsoever; and said proportion shall be ascertained by a reference to the last apportionment of State, County, and Town taxes made upon the polls and estates, taxable at that time in said town; being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative as follows, to wit.

Yeas, Messrs. Chandler, Cummings, Farnham, Groton Prescott, Rogers and Tobin _____ 7.

Nays, Messrs. Allen, Bradbury, Bridgman, Brown, Farnsworth, Frye, Howard, Kelsey, Pennoctton, Sabree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Porter, Smith & Williamson 16.

The Senate adopt the first amendment, marked A, and pass the same to be engrossed as thus amended.

A Communication from the Secretary of State submitting a list of the towns and plantations from which no returns were received within the time specified in an act passed March 4, 1833, came up from the House referred to the Committee on the Judiciary; read and referred in concurrence.

Petition of Sarson Chase Jr. and others to build a Bridge across the Androscoggin River between Turner and Leeds,

of James Starr and others for a Bridge over the Androscoggin River at Jay,

of Archibald D. Alwood and others for a pier and Warehouse Company,

Remonstrance of Silas Lewis and others against the building of a bridge over Eastern River were severally read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges & Canals in concurrence.

Petition of William Cole and others for the abolition of the office of General Inspector of Stone Lime and Lime Cask, was read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration, in concurrence.

Petition of John Blunt and others to be incorporated into a Benevolent Society, was read and referred to the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions in concurrence.

Petition of William Coolidge and others to be incorporated into a Mining Company, was read and referred to the Committee on Manufactures in concurrence.

Petition of sundry inhabitants of Newhaven for a law that Magdalen Herrings may be branded as such,

Petition of James Staple and others for an extension of time to take fish in the waters of Pinebroot River severally read and referred to the Committee on Interior Fisheries, in concurrence.

Bill for establishing County Work Houses, reported in the House by the Joint Select Committee on the Pauper System, came up from the House, referred to the Committee on the Judiciary,

Petition of the Selectmen of Phillips to be constituted a Board of Trustees for the School Fund of said town, severally read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary in concurrence.

Petition of Solomon Raymond for pecuniary aid, was read and referred to the Committee on Claims, in concurrence.

Petition of Samuel Crockett to be set off from the town of Frankfort and annexed to Prospect,


Remonstrance of Joseph McIntire and others,
" of the town of York against the petition of Jeremiah Paul, severally read and referred to the Committee on Division of Towns in concurrence.

Adjourned.

Attest,

William Trafton,

Secretary.



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The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as correctly engrossed,

Bill to incorporate the Cumberland Marine Railway Company,

Bill to incorporate the Georges Insurance Company,

Bill to increase the Capital Stock of the Calais Bank and the number of its Directors,

Bill to repeal an act respecting the anchoring of Vessels near the Mananans and Monhegan Islands,

Bill to increase the Capital Stock of the Union Bank,

Bill additional to establish the Damariscotta Canal,

Bill to authorize certain persons to build a bridge across Kenduskeag Stream in the town of Bangor in the County of Penobscot,

Bill to incorporate the town of Cambridge,

Bill to incorporate the City of Bangor,

Bill to incorporate the town of Bernard, and the same were severally passed to be

Enacted

The same Committee reported as correctly engrossed,

Resolue for the relief of Timothy Hull Jr.

Resolue providing for the printing and distribution of blank returns of votes,

Resolue for the erection of a Gunhouse in the town of Belfast,

Resolue respecting the building of a Jail in the County of York, and the same were severally

finally passed

Bill to annex a part of the town of York to South
Berwick came up from the House recommitted.

The Senate reconsider their vote, passing said Bill to
be engrossed and recommit the same in concurrence.

On motion of Mr Farnsworth. Ordered, that the Com-
mittee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the
expediency of altering the law in the collection of Taxes
on Nonresident Land, with leave to report by bill or other-
wise. Sent down for concurrence. *Concurred*

Mr Kelsey from the Committee on State Lands to
which was referred the "Resoln in favor of the Penobscot
Tribe of Indians", reported that further legislation on that
subject is inexpedient; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. *Concurred*

The same gentleman from the same Committee
to which was referred the petitions of Sarah Fisher and
others, of Josiah Hobbs and others, of Sarah Bailey &
of Benjamin Creasey, made a report asking to be disch-
arged from the further consideration of said petitions, and
recommend the reference of the same to the Joint Select
Committee on granting land to Revolutionary Soldiers and
their Widows; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. *Concurred*

The same gentleman from the same Committee
reported leave to withdraw on petition of Washington Houl-
dred, read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Mr Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes
Bridges and Canals, reported order of notice on petition of
Jarson Chase Jr. and others; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. *Concurred*

Petition of John M. Frye and William R. Frye 189
for the incorporation of a Manufacturing Company, read and
referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Pease from the Committee on the Division of
Towns, reported leave to withdraw on petition of Elijah
Hunter and others, read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill additional to an act for the prevention of
damage by fire and the safe keeping of gunpowder, was
read a second time and amended, and passed to be en-
grossed as amended.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to increase the Capital Stock of the York Bank
was read a second time and passed to be engrossed in con-
currence.

Bill to incorporate the Associates of the Maine
Westyan Journal,

Resolved authorizing an abatement on certain
claims against Israel Curtis and others, severally read
a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to annex part of the town of Fairfield to
the town of Norridgewock, reported by Mr. Pease from
the Committee on Division of Towns on petition of Ansel
Yoby and others,

Bill for the benefit of the town of Bluehill, reported
in the House by the Committee on the Incorporation of
Towns, on the petition of inhabitants of Bluehill,

Bill to annex township No. 19 to the town of Cushman,
reported by Mr. Pease from the Committee on Division
of Towns, on petition of the inhabitants of No. 19,

Bill in addition to an Act regulating Judicial Process, reported by Mr. Emmons from the Committee on the Judiciary, to which said Bill was committed,

Resolved in favor of Zadec Bishop and others, reported by Mr. Kelsey from the Committee on State Lands, on the petition of George Lathrop and others, severally read once and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill in addition to "an Act to exempt from taxation Manufacturing Companies of Cotton, Wool, Iron and Steel for limited times, reported by Mr. Smith from the Committee on Manufactures, on the petition of the Directors of the Portland Manufacturing Company, was read once and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Petition of Calvin Selden and others,
 " of L. W. Lithgow and others,
 " of sundry inhabitants of Pittsfield,
 " " of Fairfield
 " " of New Portland,
 " " of Palmyra,
 " " of Bloomfield for
 a Dam across the Kennebec River at Augusta,
 Remonstrance of Selectmen of Bath,
 " of the town of Woolwich against
 the same, were severally read & referred to the Committee
 that have that subject under consideration in concurrence.

Petition of Samuel Wheeler and others for reduction of the Capital Stock of the Frontier Bank, was read and referred to the Committee on Banks & Banking in concurrence.

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Memorance of sundry inhabitants of York
to be set off to South Berwick, read and referred to the
Committee on the Division of Towns in concurrence.

Petition of Joseph Hendrick, a Coroner, to be reim-
bursed for taking inquisitions upon several dead bodies
in the County of Penobscot; read and referred to the Com-
mittee on Claims in concurrence.

Petition of sundry inhabitants of Lincolnville for the
preservation of Pickerel deposited in several ponds in the
said town; read and referred to the Committee on In-
terior Fisheries in concurrence.

Resolved in favor of George Brooks, was read a
second time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Henswilton was appointed on the Joint
Select Committee on the alteration of the law relating
to the inspection of Stone Limes and Lime Casks, in lieu
of Mr. Cogswell, who is absent.

The report of the Committee on State Lands
to which was recommended their report on the petition
of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians, (laid upon the table
last Monday) was taken up, and the question of accep-
ting said report, being ordered to be taken by yeas and
nays, was decided in the affirmative as follows, to wit.

<u>Yeas.</u> Messrs Allen, Bradbury, Brown, Farnsworth, Frye, Howard, Halsey, Henswilton, Labaree, Manning, Pace, Porter, Rogers, Smith, Tobin, & Williamson	<u>16.</u>
<u>Nays.</u> Messrs Cummings, Farnham, Groton, Pierce, and Prescott.	<u>5.</u>

The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported that
that they had examined a Bill to incorporate the Ma-
guavooch and Schoodic Canal Company, and recommend

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that the same be recommitted to the Committee on
Bills in second reading, for the purpose of amending
the same; read and accepted.

Adjourned.

Attest,
William Trafton,
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Order from the House, appointing the Delegation of the County of Waldo a Committee to inquire into the expediency of altering the time of holding the Supreme Judicial Court in said County, with leave to report by bill or otherwise; read and passed in concurrence.

Report on petition of Inhabitants of North Yarmouth, came up from the House recommitted; read and recommitted in concurrence.

Resolved to amend the Constitution relative to the time of the annual sessions of the Legislature, and the time of the annual State elections, came up from the House committed to a Joint Select Committee consisting, on the part of the House, of Messrs. Abbot of Walsingham, Pierce of Portland, and Jarvis of Ellsworth, with such as the Senate may join. The Senate reconsider their vote passing said Resolves to be engrossed, and ^{non}concur the House in committing the same to a Joint Select Committee and recommit said Resolves.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to authorize the Penobscot Mill Dam Company to erect side Booms, also

Bill in addition to an Act to incorporate the Penobscot Mill Dam Company, reported by Mr. Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, on petition of the Penobscot Mill Dam Corporation, were severally read once, and on motion of Mr. Pierce, laid upon the table, and ordered that four hundred copies of said Bills be printed for the use of the Legislature.

Mr. Pease from the Committee on Division of Towns reported order of notice on petition of Enoch Craig Junr and others; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr. Bredbury from the Committee on State Roads reported leave to withdraw on

Petition of inhabitants of the town of Bingham,
 of Charles Baker and others, severally read
 and accepted. Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

On motion of Mr. Tobie, Ordered, that the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions be directed to inquire into the expediency of so far amending an Act passed March 1th 1833, as to provide that the Selectmen of Towns, and Assessors of Plantations may make their returns to the Secretary of State from the returns of scholars made by the Agents of the respective school districts to the Assessors on the first day of May.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr. Manning from the Joint Select Committee to which was referred an order of the 10th January, to take into consideration the Constitutionality of further carrying into effect the provisions of the Act passed June 27th 1829, entitled "an Act to establish a Medical School in this State", reported that the appropriations made for carrying into effect the provisions of said act is Constitutional; read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Resolue in favor of Popsamaguddy Indians, read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

Bill in addition to an Act regulating Judicial Process,

Bill in addition to an Act to exempt from taxation Manufacturing Companies of Cotton, Wool, Iron and Steel for limited times, severally read a second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Concurred

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Resolved in favor of Zadock Bishop and others
was read a second time, amended, and passed to be
engrossed as amended.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred

Resolved for the benefit of the Maine Wesleyan Sem-
inary, reported by Mr. Pierce from the Committee on Lit-
erature and Literary Institutions, on the petition of the
Trustees of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary, was read once,
and Tuesday next at ten o'clock assigned for a second read-
ing.

On motion of Mr. Pierce, Ordered, that the Sen-
ate adjourn this day at eleven o'clock A.M. for the purpose
of witnessing the exhibition of some blind pupils, under the
instruction of Dr. Hoar of the Massachusetts Asylum for
the Blind; and accordingly the Senate

Adjourned.

Attest, William Trafton, Secretary.