

Monday, February 5, 1843.

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Met according to adjournment.

On motion of Mr. Abbot, of Belfast, the forty-ninth Rule was suspended for ten days.

Resolve, in favor of Charles W. Bucknam was received from the Senate, further amended, as on sheet marked B, and passed to be engrossed. The House adopted the amendment, and passed the resolve to be engrossed, in concurrence.

Petition of Stephen Barrows, and others to be incorporated into a body politic by the name of West Camden Social Library, was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, in concurrence.

Report, of the committee on the Judiciary, declaring legislation inexpedient on

Order, in relation to fees of Attorneys;

Order in relation to election of Sheriffs by the people, and

Order, in relation to election of Registers of Probate by the people, were severally

282 received from the Senate, and accepted, in concurrence.

Report, of the committee on the Judiciary, granting leave to withdraw, on petition of Stephen Chadwick, and others, was received from the Senate, and accepted, in concurrence.

Report, of the committee on Agriculture, granting leave to withdraw, on petition of Charles Kiliaud, and others, was received from the Senate, and accepted, in concurrence.

Report, of the committee on Claims, granting leave to withdraw, on petition of John Dunn, was received from the Senate, and accepted, in concurrence.

Mr. Abbot, of Belfast, was directed to accompany James White, Treasurer of State elect, to the Council Chamber, in order that he might be duly qualified.

Resolve, repealing in part a resolve authorizing a loan in behalf of the State, approved March 11, 1841, was read a second time, and passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

Bill, an act to incorporate the town of Hanover, was taken up, and, as amended, passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

Mr. Otis of St. George, by leave laid on the table a

Resolve, directing the collection of William Emerson's notes;

Resolve, repealing a resolve, approved March 20, 1841, entitled a resolve to promote mutual literary and scientific exchanges with foreign countries; and a

Bill, an act repealing so much of section seven of chapter four of the Revised Statutes, as requires the Governor to transmit, to other States, a copy of the bound public documents.

Bill, an act, to set off part of the town of Hope, in the County of Waldo, and annex the same to the town of Appleton;

Bill, an act to incorporate the Bartlett Cemetery; were severally passed to be enacted. Sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Thurston, of Charleston, Ordered, That the committee, on the Judiciary, be directed to inquire into the

expediency of so altering the revised statutes, as to place the practice of law and medicine, on an equal basis, as far as it relates to the admission of applicants to either practice. Sent up for concurrence.

The motion, yesterday made, by Mr. Otis of St. George, to reconsider the vote passing the order relative to information concerning changes in the lines of counties and towns, was taken up. The vote was then reconsidered, and the order again passed.

Report, of the joint select committee, on so much of the Governor's Message, as relates to changing the time of meeting of the Legislature, was taken up, and Mr. Otis, of St. George, extended his motion to non-concur, so as to propose to nonconcur and accept the report.

Pending this motion the House Adjourned.

William T. Johnson, Clerk.

Tuesday, February, 7. 1843.

Met according to adjournment.

Report, of the joint select committee, on so much of the Governor's Message, as relates to changing the time of meeting of the Legislature, was laid on the table.

Bill, an act, repealing so much of section seven of chapter four of the revised statutes, as requires the Governor to transmit to other States a copy of the bound public documents, was read twice, and tomorrow assigned for a third reading.

Resolve, repealing a resolve, approved March 20, 1841, entitled a resolve to promote mutual literary and scientific exchanges with foreign countries, was read once, and tomorrow assigned for a second reading.

Resolve, directing the collection of William Emerson's note, was read once, and tomorrow assigned for a second reading.

Bill, an act, in addition to chapter 112 of the revised statutes was received from the Senate, amended, and passed to be engrossed. It was read twice, and

time now assigned for a third reading. 287

Order, relative to the contingent fund of the Governor and Council, was received from the Senate, amended, and passed. The House adopted the amendment, and passed the order, in concurrence.

Order, relative to assessors taking inventories, and taxing personal property, was received from the Senate, and passed, in concurrence.

Mr. Abbot, of Belfast, announced that he had attended James White, to the Council Chamber, where he had been duly qualified, as Treasurer of State.

Report, of the committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, declaring legislation inexpedient, on order, in relation to granting aid, to the Maine Wesleyan Seminary, was received from the Senate, and accepted, in concurrence.

Bill, an act, to provide, in part, for the expenditures of government, was read a third time, and laid on the table.

Petition, of the Piscataquis Mutual Fire Insurance Company, for amendment of its charter, was received from the Senate,

288 and referred to the committee on the Judiciary, in concurrence.

Petition, of inhabitants of township No. 6, range 2, North of the Bingham Purchase, that they may be incorporated into a town by the name of Easton, was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on Division of Towns, in concurrence.

Mr. Chapman, of Nobleborough, presented an order in relation to the militia, and moved to refer the same to a joint select committee.

On motion, of Mr. Otis, of St. George, it was laid on the table.

Bill, an act, to repeal an act, entitled "an act authorizing the erection of a bridge over New Meadow's River", was read a third time, and passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Goff, of Bangor.

Ordered, That the Secretary of State be requested to transmit to this House any communication, or report, made to the Secretary of State, by the Clerk of the Annisquam Boom Corporation.

Remonstrance of N. C. Magoun, and others, against repeal of the License Law, was pre-

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sented and referred to the committee on the Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition of Thomas W. Dutton, for relief, on account of military persecutions, was presented and referred to the committee on the militia. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of Henry Richardson and A. W. Kennedy, to be released from the payment of the interest on the amount of the stumpage claimed by the Land Agent, was presented, and referred to the committee on State Lands. Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve, in favor of the town of Greenbush, was taken up, and passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve, in favor of the town of Passadumkeag, was taken up, and passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Jordan, of Passadumkeag,

Ordered. That the committee, on Incorporation of towns, inquire into the expediency of repealing the act of incorporation of the town of Passadumkeag. Sent up for concurrence.

A communication was received from

290 the Secretary of State, transmitting the account of the Clerk of the Penobscot Boom. The communication and accompanying document were laid on the table, and 200 copies ordered to be printed.

Report of joint select committee on so much of the Governor's Message, as relates to changing the time of meeting of the legislature, and on petition of James Knox and others, was taken up and, the question on the motion of Mr. Otis, of St. George, to nonconcur and accept the report, was taken by yeas and nays, and decided in the negative, yeas forty, nays sixty three.

Those who voted in the affirmative are:
Lincoln.

William Carlisle,
Beeler Pales,
Randel Jones,
Thomas Mars,
Freeman R. Morse,
Ebenezer Otis,
Hesekiah Purinton,

Hancock.

Thomas Brunker,
Byron H. Darling,
Calvin Peck,
Amos B. Sampson,
Asa Turner.

Washington.

David Davis.

Warren Gilman,
James W. Syman,
Putnam Rolf,
Ebenezer Watson.

Kennebec.

Philip C. Holmes,
George W. Perkins, Jr.,
Henry Perkins,
Luther Severance.

Somerset.

David Richardson.

Windsor.

Joseph Baker, Jr.,
Cyrus Good,
Aristram F. Jordan,
William F. Leavitt,
William Paine,
Isaac Sanborn,
Theophilus Stanley,
Eda Wadleigh.

Waldo.

Jesse Page.

Franklin.

Adam Clark,
John Sewett,
Charles Morse.

Piscataquis.

Samuel Coburn,
Thomas B. Spaulding,
Leonard Heddard.

Woolstock.

Dennis Fairbanks.

Leonard Pierce,

John Rollins.

Those who voted in the negative are:

York.

Charles G. Bellamy,

Ezra Bragdon,

Abel M. Bryant,

Nathaniel Orner,

Humphrey Tall,

Ledeiah Goodwin,

James McSillan Jr.,

Samuel Merrill,

Samuel Mildrum,

Arthur Milliken,

John Mudgett,

Theodore Wilson,

Frederic A. Woods.

Cumberland.

Henry C. Babb,

Simon Bailey,

Joshua Chubbourn,

David Dunn,

Daniel C. Emery,

Henry B. Hoart,

Alpheus S. Holden,

Benjamin R. Meder,

Daniel Merrill,

Daniel C. Poole,

Alfred Soule,

Lincoln.

Isaac Ames,

Philip M. Garcelon,

Phillips C. Hoarding.
 Aaron Hinkley,
 Gideon Perkins,
 Thomas White.

Bancroft.

John Bridges,
 Henry Partridge.

Kennebec.

Isaac Fairfield,
 William C. Grant,
 Charles A. Ruff,
 George Williamson.

Oxford.

William B. May,
 Amos Drinell.
 William Ruff,
 Samuel Gibson,
 John Higgins,
 John S. Perry,
 Elijah Powers,
 Noah Prince,
 John Walker, Jr.

Somerset.

James Bailey,
 Wadsworth Bolton,
 Joshua Fogg,
 Nathaniel W. Goulds,
 Sturges Ayer.

Penobscot.

John Lord,
 Benjamin B. Thomas,
 Elisha M. Thurston.

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Achemiah Abbot,
John Clements,
James Crockett, Jr.,
Henry Davidson,
Asa C. Emery,
Nathan Knight
Joseph Murry,
Nathan Worthing.

Franklin.

Abner C. Holman.

Piscataquis.

Abner Brown.

Resolve, equalizing the valuation of
Boothbay and Townsend;

Resolve, in favor of Charles W. Peck-
ham;

Resolve, fixing a valuation to the
town of Masardis, and correcting the val-
uation of the county of Aroostook; were
severally finally passed. Sent up for
concurrence.

Adjourned.

William T. Johnson, Clerk.

Wednesday, February 8, 1843. 295

Met according to adjournment.

Report, of the committee on Roads and Bridges, declaring that bill, an act for the relief of the inhabitants of Cape Elizabeth, ought not to pass, was received from the Senate, and accepted, in concurrence.

Mr. Fols, of Thomaston, from the committee on State Lands, reported leave to withdraw, on petition of Mr. Hadleigh, for extension of time for payment of certain notes. The report was accepted. Sent up for concurrence.

Report, of the committee on Roads and Bridges, granting leave to withdraw, on petition of R. H. Gardiner, and others, was taken up, and recommitted. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of James Robinson, for a military pension, was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on military pensions, in concurrence.

Petition, of Sedge of Probate, of Halds County, that his salary be made equal to that of other Sedges, in the State, in proportion to the duties he has to perform,

296 was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee having under consideration the petition of John Dunning, in concurrence.

Mr. Tates, of Thomaston, from the committee on State Lands, reported a resolve in favor of Charles Gordon, and Ezra Deane. The Resolve was read once, and to-morrow assigned for a second reading.

Mr. Abbot, of Belfast, from the committee on Finance, reported a bill, entitled an act to authorize the Treasurer of State, to receive the claims of this State for expenditures in relation to the North Eastern Boundary, and other claims, on the United States. The bill was read twice, and to-morrow assigned for a third reading.

Bill, an act, in relation to the tax assessed on the members of the Brunswick Village Corporation;

Bill, an act explanatory of the 24th, 57th, and 58th. sections of the 14th. chapter of the revised Statutes;

Bill, an act to repeal an act, entitled an act, to repeal an act, entitled an act to incorporate the Kennebec Dam Company, also an act additional to an act, to incor-

Bill, an act to authorize the town of Milford to build a part of a certain road in the town of Greenbush, and for other purposes, were severally received from the Senate, passed to be engrossed. They were read twice, and tomorrow assigned for a third reading.

Bill, an act, to provide in part for the expenditures of government, was taken up, and passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

Bill, an act, in addition to chapter 112, of the Revised Statutes, was amended and passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

Resolve, providing for the distribution of documents, in relation to the sixth census of the United States, was received from the Senate, passed to be engrossed. It was read once, and tomorrow assigned for a second reading.

Remonstrance of William Robinson and others;

Remonstrance of town of Litchfield, both against the petition of G. C. Waterman,

298 for annexation of part of Litchfield to Bond-
doin; were severally presented and refer-
red to the committee on Division and Alter-
ation of Counties. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of W^m F. M. Read, and others,
on the subject of fugitive slaves and sla-
very;

Petition, of Josiah Koro, and others, on
the subject of fugitive slaves, and against
the annexation of Texas to the United States;
were severally presented and referred to
the committee that have under consider-
ation the petition of John C. Godfrey. Sent
up for concurrence.

Petition, of Arthur S. Grant, for mili-
tary pension, was presented and referred
to the committee on military pensions.
Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of Inhabitants of Harpswell,
for the passage of a law regulating the
lobster fisheries, was presented and re-
ferred to the committee on Interior Fisheries.
Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of town of Monmouth, for sep-
arate representation, was presented and re-
ferred to the committee on the Judiciary.
Sent up for concurrence.

Memorial, of Cyrus Sampson, and others, relative to building a bridge across Hinchrop Pond, was presented and referred to the committee on Roads and Bridges. Sent up for concurrence.

Remonstrance, of inhabitants of Borden, against petition of Rufus Sylvester, and others, for annexation of part of Borden to Topsham, was presented and referred to the committee on Division of Towns. Sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Leavitt, of Levant;

Ordered, That the chairman, of the committee on military pensions, be authorized to take from the files in the Secretary's office, all the original papers, on a petition in favor of Arthur L. Grant for a military pension. Sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Paine, of Bangor.

Ordered, That the committee on State Roads be instructed to inquire whether the interest of the State requires the erection, of a bridge across the river St. Croix, in the town of Massacdis, and to report upon the expediency of authorizing and directing the Land Agent to cause such bridge to be erected during the ensuing season. Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve, repealing a resolve approved March 26, 1846, entitled a resolve to promote mutual literary and scientific exchanges, with foreign countries, was read a second time, and laid on the table.

Bill, an act repealing so much of section seven, of chapter four of the revised statutes, as requires the Governor to transmit to other States a copy of the bound public documents, was read a third time and passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve, directing the collection of William Emerson's note, was read a second time, and laid on the table.

Petition, of William Bird, and Andrew Palmer to be discharged, from their recognition for the appearance of James Christie, charged with the crime of larceny, &c. was presented and referred to the committee on the Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence.

Adjourned.

William T. Johnson, Clerk.

Thursday, February 9, 1823.

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Met according to adjournment.

Order, relative to changing laws, in regard to sale of timber and timber lands, was received from the Senate, and passed, in concurrence.

Petition, of Mr Peabody, and others, that a military pension be allowed to James Robinson, was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on military pensions, in concurrence.

Remonstrance, of James Dodge, and others, against reduction of tolls on Steamboat Bridge, was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on Roads and Bridges, in concurrence.

Report, of the committee on Division of Towns, reading notice to the present Legislature, on petition of Joshua Coggins and others, was received from the Senate, and accepted, in concurrence.

Mr. Fales, of Thomaston, from the committee on State Lands, reported a
Resolve, in favor of Daniel Gilbert;

Resolve, in favor of Leonard Jones;

Resolve, authorizing the Land Agent, to exchange certain lands belonging to the State of Maine, for lands belonging to the State of Massachusetts. The resolves were severally read once, and tomorrow assigned for a second reading.

Resolve, for furnishing cities, towns, and plantations, with suitable blank returns, was received from the Senate, passed to be engrossed. It was read once, and tomorrow assigned for a second reading.

On motion of Mr. Mildram, of Wells, ordered. That the committee, on the Judiciary, be directed to inquire into the expediency of paying county commissioners a fixed sum for their services, instead of the compensation they now receive. Sent up for concurrence.

Resolves, in favor of Amos Kendall, were received from the Senate, passed to be engrossed. They were read once, and Tuesday next assigned for a second reading.

Petition, of Sewall Prescott, and others, for the incorporation of the Hinkthrop Pond Bridge Company;

Petition of Seth Bradford and others;

Petition of C. D. Moody and others, in relation to the same subject, were severally presented and referred to the committee on Roads and Bridges. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of Inhabitants of Frankfort, for reduction of valuation, was presented, and referred to the committee on State valuation. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of Somerset Central Agricultural Society, was presented and referred to the committee on Agriculture. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of P. P. Furber, and others, for bounty on manufactured slate, was presented, and referred to the committee on Manufactures. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of Elisha Allen, and town of Pittsfield, that part of Clinton Gore may be annexed to Pittsfield, was presented and referred to the committee on Division and Situation of Counties. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of town of Detroit, that corner of towns, of Detroit and Plymouth, may be established, was presented and referred to the

304 committed on Incorporation of Towns. Sent up
for concurrence.

Memorial, of Reuel Williams, Nicholas Emery, and Wm P. Noble, commissioners under the resolve of March 3, 1832, relative to their doings, and for compensation for services; and to be reimbursed for expenditures incurred; was presented and referred to the committee on North Eastern Boundary. Sent up for concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Bliss, of St. George,

Ordered, That the Secretary of State be directed, to obtain from the Clerks of the various Courts in the several Counties in this State, the number of entries made upon the several dockets of said Courts, for the years 1836 to 1842, inclusive.

Bill, an act, to authorize the Treasurer of State, to receive the claims of this State for expenditures, in relation to the North Eastern Boundary, and other claims on the United States, was read a third time.

Mr. Pates, of Thomaston, moved to amend, as on sheet marked A. The bill was then laid on the table.

Resolve, in favor of Charles Gordon, and Ezra Dean;

Resolves, providing for the distribution 305
of documents, in relation to the sixth cen-
sus of the United States; were severally read
a second time, and laid on the table.

Bill, an act, to authorize the town of
Milford to build a part of a certain
road, in the town of Greenbush, and for
other purposes;

Bill, an act, in relation to the tax as-
sessed on the members of the Brunswick
Village Corporation;

Bill, an act, explanatory of the 24th.,
57th., and 58th. sections of the Revised
Statutes, 14th. chapter.

Bill, an act, to repeal an act, enti-
tled, an act, to repeal an act, entitled,
an act, to incorporate the Kennebec Dam
Company; also, an act, additional to an
act, to incorporate the Kennebec Dam Com-
pany; were severally read a third
time, and passed to be engrossed, in
concurrence.

Adjourned.

William T. Johnson, Clerk.

Friday, February 10, 1843.

Met according to adjournment.

Order, relative to prisoners in Franklin County; and

Order, requesting Land Agent to report expense of repairing bridges; were severally received from the Senate, and passed, in concurrence.

Petition, of inhabitants residing in that part, of the Madawaska settlement, embraced within the limits of Penobscot and Piscataquis, to be annexed to Hancock County, was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on Division and Alteration of Counties, in concurrence.

Petition, of inhabitants of Madawaska settlement, to be incorporated into a town, was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee, on Incorporation of Towns, in concurrence.

Resolves, in favor of Charles Gordon and Ezra Deane, was taken up, and passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

Resolves, in favor of Daniel Gilbert, was read a second time, and passed to be en-

grossed.. Sent up for concurrence.

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Resolve, authorizing the Land Agent to exchange certain lands belonging to the State of Maine, for lands belonging to the State of Massachusetts, was read a second time, and laid on the table.

Resolve, for furnishing cities, towns and plantations with suitable blank returns, was read a second time and passed to be engrossed. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition of inhabitants of Winslow, for reduction of tolls on Sebasticook Bridges

Petition, of W^m Cram, and others, of Litchfield, in relation to the Winthrop Pond Bridge, were severally presented and referred to the committee on Roads and Bridges. Sent up for concurrence.

Remonstrance, of Levi P. Hilliard, and others, against repeal of the License Law, was presented and referred to the committee on the Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of W^m Cobb, and others, for passage of a law, explanatory of the Statute, concerning the poor &c. was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on the

Mr. Searill, of Levant, from the committee on Incorporation of Towns, reported leave to withdraw, on petition of Joshua Gaslin, and on remonstrance of Abraham Butterfield. The Report was accepted. Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve, in favor of Leonard Jones, was read a second time, and laid on the table.

Bill, an act, to authorize the Treasurer of State, to receive the claims of this State, for expenditures, in relation to the North Eastern Boundary, and other claims of the United States, was taken up; the yeas and nays ordered on the question of adopting the amendment proposed by Mr. Fales of Thomaston, and the whole subject then laid on the table.

Bill, an act, in addition to chapter one hundred and twelve of the revised statutes; and

Bill, an act, to repeal an act, entitled, "an act, to repeal an act, entitled an act to incorporate the Kennebec Saw Company," also, "an act additional to an act to incorporate the Kennebec Saw Company," were

seriously passed to be enacted. Sent up 309
for concurrence.

Adjourned.

William T. Johnson, Clerk.

Saturday, February 11, 1843.

Met according to adjournment.

The following Message, from the Governor, was received from the Senate.

To the Senate and

House of Representatives.

I, herewith, transmit a communication, from the Secretary of State, containing a statement of the expenditures of the contingent fund of the Governor and Council, for the years 1841 and 1842, agreeably to an order, of the Legislature of the previous year.

Council Chamber,

February 10, 1843.

} John Fairfield.

The message, and accompanying documents, were referred by the Senate, to a joint select committee, consisting of Messrs. Seavitt and Main, with such as the House might join. The House concurred and joined Messrs. Abbot, of Belfast, Chadwick, of Portland, Perry of Oxford, Mellickin, of Saco, and Herrick, of Seagovick.

Mr. Goff, of Auburn, by leave, laid on the table, a bill entitled an act relating to town lines. The rule being suspended, it was read once, and Monday next assigned for a second reading.

The following Message, from the Governor, was received from the Senate.

To the Senate and

House of Representatives.

I, herewith, transmit a communication from the Secretary of State, of the United States, furnishing information requested by Resolve of the Legislature of the 24th. January, last.

Council Chamber,

February 10, 1843. 3 John Fairfield.

The communications, and accompanying documents, were referred to the committee on North Eastern Boundary, in concurrence.

Mr. Perry, of Oxford, by leave, laid on the table a bill, entitled an act relating to judicial proceedings. The rule being suspended, it was read twice, and Monday next assigned for a third reading.

Resolve, for disinterring the remains of Hon. Joshua Cushman and Charles Wadsworth, and depositing the same in the State tomb, was received from the Senate, passed to be engrossed. It was read once, and Monday next assigned for a second reading.

Petition, of G. G. Rawson, and others, for

312 repeal of licentious laws; was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on the Judiciary, in concurrence.

Petition, of John Webber, to be discharged from the payment of certain notes, was received from the Senate, and referred to the committee on State Lands, in concurrence.

Bill, an act, for the preservation of salmon, shad, and alewives in Penobscot river and bay, and their tributary streams, was received from the Senate, passed to be engrossed. It was read twice, and laid on the table, and 200 copies ordered to be printed, for the use of the House.

Bill, an act providing for the appointment of an additional Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, was received from the Senate passed to be engrossed. It was read twice, and Tuesday, the 21st. instant, assigned for a third reading.

On motion of Mr. Otis, of St. George.

Ordered, That the Secretary of State be directed to obtain from the Clerks of the Courts of the several counties, a certificate of the number of jury trials, in each county for each of the last five years; and also a certificate of the number of cases of law argued each year, in the Supreme Ju-

cial Court, for each of the last five years, ³¹³
and report the same to this House.

Mr. Joseph Henrichs 2^d, Representative
elect from Sedgwick, appeared, was qual-
ified, and took his seat.

Report, of the committee on Division
of Towns, recommending reference to the
committee on Incorporation of Towns, of the
petition of Aaron Coffin, and others, was
received from the Senate, and accepted,
in concurrence.

Report, of Committee on Division of Towns,
granting leave to withdraw, on petition of
Rufus Sylvester, and others, and

Report, of same committee, granting
leave to withdraw, on petition, of William
Giddens, and others, were severally re-
ceived from the Senate, and accepted,
in concurrence.

Report, of Committee on Roads and Bridges
ordering notice to the present Legislature, on
petitions of inhabitants, of Elliot, and town
of Elliot, was received from the Senate,
and accepted, in concurrence.

A communication was received from
Philip C. Johnson, Secretary of State, trans.

314 milting, in obedience to an order of the House, a statement in relation to alteration of county and town lines &c. The communication, and accompanying document, were laid on the table, and five hundred copies ordered to be printed for the use of the Legislature.

Memorial, of Selectmen and others, of Waterville, for a change in system of elections, so that a plurality of votes shall only be required to effect an election, and also, for a change of the season of the session of the Legislature, was presented, and referred to the committee having the subject of a change, in the time of meeting of the Legislature, under consideration. Sent up for concurrence.

Remonstrance of Reuben W. Stetson, and others, against repeal of the license laws, was presented and referred to the committee on the Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of A. W. Sargent, and others, for an alteration in the time of holding the session of the Legislature, was presented and referred to the committee having that subject under consideration. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of William Emery, and others, 315
for repeal of the license law, was presented
and referred to the committee on the Judi-
ciary. Sent up for concurrence.

Petition, of A. Hall, and others, for re-
peal of the pedler law, was presented and
referred to the committee on Pedler Laws.
Sent up for concurrence.

Mr. Gibson, of Denmark, from the com-
mitted on Agriculture, reported leave to
withdraw, on petition of Simeon Butler,
and others. The report was accepted.
Sent up for concurrence.

Resolve, in favor of the town of Passa-
dumkeag;

Resolve, authorizing the State Treas-
urer, to credit the County of Piscataquis with
a certain part of their county tax for the
year 1842, and other purposes, were sever-
ally finally passed. Sent up for con-
currence.

Bill, an act, to authorize the town of
Milford, to build a part of a certain road,
in the town of Greenbush, and for other pur-
poses;

Bill, an act in relation to the tax

316 assessed on the members of the Brunswick
Village Corporation;

Bill, an act explanatory of the 24th. 57th.
and 58th. sections of the 14th. chapter of the
revised statutes, now severally passed
to be enacted. Sent up for concurrence.

Adjourned.

William T. Johnson, Clerk.