

Monday, February 10th 1834.

Petition of John Bent, publisher of the "Northern Light" for compensation for publishing the laws of 1833, was read and referred to the Committee on Accounts in concurrence.

Petition of William Mittet and sundry inhabitants of Township No 1 in the County of Hancock to be organized into a Plantation, was read and referred to the Committee on Incorporation of Towns in concurrence.

Petition of inhabitants of the town of Berlin for aid in making County Roads, was read and referred to the Committee on Claims, in concurrence.

Petition of A. G. Partridge and others to be incorporated into a Company to be called "Fogus Fishing Company" was read and referred to the Committee on Interior Fisheries, in concurrence.

Petition of Jacob Butterfield & others inhabitants of 'Vassalboro',

of Jacob Hale and others inhabitants of Ripley
 of George Langley & others " " Moscow
 of Joel Wellington " " Albion
 of Peter Tolson " " Harmony
 of Levi Johnson " " Canaan
 of Daniel Moor " " Beaten of Waterville
 for a Dam across the Kennebec River at Augusta,

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

The Committee on Division of Towns, reported leave to withdraw on petition of Samuel Hutchins and others, & On petition of Jere. Paul; severally read and accepted

The Committee on Turnpikes Bridges & Canals reported leave to withdraw on petition of Philo Lewis and others, read and accepted, in concurrence.

The Committee on the Judiciary, reported reference to the next Legislature on petition of Samuel Moulton, read and accepted in concurrence.

Bill additional for increasing the Salary of the Judge of Probate for the County of Penobscot, came up from the House recommitting. The Senate reconsider their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed, and recommit the same in concurrence.

Bill from the House, to incorporate the Cherryfield Boom Corporation, read and recommitting in concurrence.

Petition of J. W. McMahon for a Boom in Penobscot River, was read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr. Halsey from the Committee on State Lands to which was referred a Resolue directing the Land Agent to collect certain demands due the State, reported that further legislation on that subject is inexpedient. Read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Memorial and Remonstrance of John Bennoch and others, against the Penobscot Mill Dam Company, was read and ordered to lie upon the table.

Resolue to aid the town of Carthage, reported by Mr. Brodbury from the Committee on State Roads, on

the petition of the inhabitants of the town of Carthage,
Resolved in favor of the town of Pittsfield.

Bill to incorporate the Chesuncook Company
reported by Mr. Prescott from the Committee on Turn-
pikes, Bridges and Canals on petition of Stephen Cum-
mings and others, severally read once, and tomorrow at
ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of the Moose
head Dam Company, reported by Mr. Prescott from the
same Committee, on petition of Samuel ^{A.} Bradley and
others, was read once and Wednesday next at ten o'clock
assigned for a second reading.

Bill to annex part of the town of Fairfield to the
town of Norridgewock,

Bill to annex Township No. 19 to the town of Columbia
severally read a second time and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred,

Bill for the benefit of the town of Bluehill.

Bill to annex a part of the town of York to South
Berkshire, severally read a second time and passed to be en-
grossed, in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Rogers, Ordered, that the Com-
mittee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the
expediency of revising and altering the law regulating
the selection, empannelling, and service of Jurors, with
leave to report by Bill or otherwise.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

On motion of Mr. Pierce, Ordered, that the Com-
mittee that have under consideration, so much of the
Governor's message as relates to the Deaf and Dumb, be
instructed to inquire whether any further and what
appropriations in behalf of the Deaf and Dumb in this

State are required. Sent down for concurrence.

Concurred.

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A message was received from the House informing the Senate that the House had added Messrs Moore of Dover, Dumont of Hullsville, Prince of Sumner, Morrill of Westbrook, Pike of Athens and Allen of Lubec on the Joint Select Committee that have under consideration the subject relating to the inspection of Stone Limes and Lime Casks, and instructing said Committee to report a statement of facts, and the Senate concurred.

Also informing the Senate that the House have on their part elected Ezekiel Foster, Major General of the Seventh Division of the Militia of this State in lieu of Maj. Gen. Samuel Moore, resigned, and requesting the concurrence of the Senate.

Whereupon the Senate assigned tomorrow at ten o'clock for the purpose of electing a Major General for said Division

The Committee on Engrossed Bills reported as correctly engrossed,

Bill to incorporate the Penobscot Bridge,

" to annex a part of the William's College Grant to Houlton,

Bill to incorporate the Portland & Cape Elizabeth Coal Company,

Bill to incorporate the Portland Mining & Railway Company,

Bill to incorporate the Manufacturers Savings Bank and the same were severally passed to be enacted

The same Committee reported as correctly engrossed,

Resolue providing for the purchase & distribution

of Greenleaf's Report.

Resolves in favor of Samuel Holden, and the
same were severally

finally passed.

Adjourned.

Attest, William Trafton, Secretary.



Order from the House, directing the Secretary of State to transmit forthwith, to the Town Clerks of the several towns in the County of York, attested copies of a Resoln relating to the building of a Gaol in the County of York, was read and passed, in concurrence.

Order from the House, appointing Messrs Misdram, Moore of Dover, Judkins, Robinson of Bethel, and Bradbury of Saco a Committee, with such as the Senate may join, to inquire into the expediency of repealing so much of an Act, entitled an Act to establish a medical school in this State, passed June 27th 1820, as gives said School One Thousand Dollars annually, during the pleasure of the Legislature; with leave to report by Bill or otherwise. Read and passed, and Messrs Knorrton, Tobin, and Groton are joined in concurrence.

Order from the House appointing Messrs Jewett, Hastings, Tuttle, Jarvis, Vose of Augusta, Chase of Frankfort, Hyde, Hannanond, Bolster and Smart of the House with such as the Senate may join, a Committee to inquire into the expediency of ascertaining the number of blind persons within this State, of thirty years of age and under, and also to consider the expediency of making an appropriation for their education, with leave to report by bill or otherwise. Read and passed, and Messrs Cushman and Manning are joined in concurrence.

Order from the House appointing the Delegation of the County of Penobscot, on the part of the House, a Committee, with such as the Senate may join, to inquire into the expediency of altering the sitting of the Court of Probate in the County of Penobscot. Read and passed, and Messrs Rogers, and Halsey are joined in concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Belfast Fishing Company, reported in the House by the Committee on Interior Fisheries, on the petition of Peter H. Smith, was read once, and on motion of Mr. Manning laid on the table, and ordered that three hundred copies be printed for the use of the Legislature.

The Committee on Division of Towns, reported leave to withdraw on petition of the inhabitants of Pleasant Island; read and accepted in concurrence.

The Committee on the Judiciary reported leave to withdraw on petition of John Hanly; read & accepted in concurrence.

The same Committee to which was referred an Order respecting a Board of Jurisprudence, reported that legislation on the subject is inexpedient. Read and accepted in concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Carrington Canal and Railway Company, reported in the House by the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges, and Canals, on petition of Samuel Thatcher and others, was read once, and on motion of Mr. Bradbury, laid on the table, and ordered that two hundred and fifty copies be printed for the use of the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Grelon, Ordered, that a message be sent to the House of Representatives, proposing a Convention of the two Branches of the Legislature in the Representatives Hall, on Wednesday, the twelfth instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing by joint ballot, a Treasurer of State for the coming political year; which message was delivered by the Secretary.

A message was received from the House, concurring in the foregoing proposition. 203

Petition of Thomas C. Jones for allowance for services against the State, was read and referred to the Committee on Claims.

Sent down for concurrence. *Concurred*

Petition of John Dickinson and others for leave to construct a Canal between tide waters in East Marching River, and Hadley's Lake, was read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals.

Sent down concurrence. *Concurred*

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

Petition of Jonathan Fiske and others to be incorporated into a Cotton Manufacturing Company in Kennebunk, was read and referred to the Committee on Manufactures in concurrence.

Remonstrance of sundry inhabitants of Whitefield against the petition of Moses Ball and others for leave to build a Bridge across Eastern River, was read & referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, in concurrence.

Remonstrance of Samuel Appleton and others against the petition of Greenleaf White and others for a Dam across the Kennebec River at Augusta; read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration in concurrence.

Resolved to aid the town of Carthage, was read a second time and on motion of Mr. Bradbury was re-committed. Sent down for concurrence.

Resolved for the benefit of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary was read a second time and on motion of Mr. Sabree, ordered to lie upon the table.

Resolved in favor of Stephen Emerson,
providing for the purchase of the two first volumes of the Laws of Maine, severally read a second time, and ordered to lay upon the table.

The Senate reconsider their vote of the 30th January, accepting the report on the petition of Henry Snow and others, and ordered that the same be recommitted in concurrence.

A message was received that the House had reconsidered their vote accepting the report, ordering notice to the next Legislature, on petition of Crook Craig Jr. and others, and requesting the concurrence of the Senate and the return of the papers to the House. The Senate concurred, and the papers were accordingly returned by the Secretary.

Resolved respecting the Treasury, reported in the House by the Committee on Finance to which was referred an order of the House relative to a system for the management of the financial concerns, was read once, and

Resolved in favor of the town of Pittsfield, was read a second time, and severally passed to be engrossed in concurrence.

On motion of Mr. Smith, ordered, that the Committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing by law that Hay, compressed for shipping, shall be inspected.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred,

Petition of Samuel Weston and others for a Dam across the Kennebec River at Augusta was read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Chesuncook Company was read a second time and amended.

Mr. Bradbury moved further to amend by striking out, in the fifth section, the words, "Ten cents for every thousand feet of logs and lumber" and insert in lieu thereof, "Two cents for every Log, Mast, Spar or other timber".

Mr. Farnsworth moved to amend the proposed amendment by inserting, "Three", instead of "Two", and the question of thus amending being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the affirmative as follows,

Yeas. Messrs. Allen, Brown, Cobb, Emmons, Farnham, Farnsworth, Foye, Knierimton, Sabree, Manning, Pease, Prescott, Rogers, Smith and Williamson ———— 15.

Nays. Messrs. Bradbury, Chandler, Groton, Howard, Kelsey, Pierce and Tobin ———— 7.

On motion of Mr. Brown the Senate reconsider their vote adopting said amendment, and amend by inserting "Two and a half cents for every log, mast, spar or other timber"; and the question of passing said Bill to be engrossed as thus amended, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the affirmative as follows, to wit.

Yeas. Messrs. Allen, Brown, Farnsworth, Foye, Knierimton, Sabree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Prescott, Rogers, Tobin and Williamson ———— 13.

Nays. Messrs. Bradbury, Chandler, Emmons, Farnham, Groton, Howard and Kelsey ———— 7.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported as correctly engrossed,

Resolved in favor of the Penobscot Indians,
 in favor of Willard Snell,
 for the benefit of the town of Newburgh,
 in favor of the Passamaquoddy Indians, and
 one other Resolved in favor of the Passamaquoddy Indians, and
 the same were severally
finally passed.

The same Committee reported as correctly expressed,

Bill to incorporate the Trustees of Sanford Academy,
 to authorize certain persons to build a Bridge,
 across Kenduskeag Stream in the town of Bangor,

Bill to repeal an additional act to provide for the
 packing and inspection of Pickled and Smoked Fish,

Bill to incorporate the Muguawook and Schoodic
 Canal Company,

Bill to incorporate the Harpswell Soap Stone
 Company,

Bill to incorporate the President, Directors Company
 of the Bank of Bangor

Bill to incorporate the town of Springfield, and
 the same were severally passed to be
enacted.

On motion of Mr. Knowlton, ordered that when
 the Senate adjourn, they adjourn to nine o'clock tomorrow
 morning, and accordingly the Senate

Adjourned.

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Petition of C. S. Morrill and others, to be incorporated into a Company by the name of the "Belfast River Dock Company," was read and referred to the Committee on Agriculture in concurrence.

Petition of the Selectmen of Gilead to raise the toll on Mill River Bridge in said town, was read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, in concurrence.

Petition of Gideon Barton and others,
" of Jesse Savage and others for a Dam
across the Kennebec River at Augusta,

Remonstrance of the town of Winslow,
" of the town of Georgetown against
the same, severally read and referred to the Committee
that have that subject under consideration, in concurrence.

The report of the Committee on the Judiciary to which was referred an order respecting private attachments, came up from the House, committed to a Joint Select Committee, consisting, on the part of the House, of Messrs Carpenter, Kimball of Portland, Leavenworth, Moreester, Hastings, Dumont, Prince of Turner Moore of Abbot, and Sylvester of Hope, with such as the Senate may join. The Senate commit the same and Messrs Chandler, Brown and Tobin are joined in concurrence.

Report on petition of Crook Craig In and others came up from the House and the Senate recommit the same in concurrence.

The Senate reconsider their vote of yesterday ordering three hundred copies of Bill to incorporate the "Belfast Fishing Company" to be printed.

Said Bill was read a second time and passed to be engrossed. Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Bill to incorporate the Frontier Bank, reported by Mr Rogers from the Committee on Banks & Banking on petition of Samuel Wheeler and others was read twice and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Pease from the Committee on Division of reported leave to withdraw on petition of John W. Hookin and others, and reference to next Legislature on petition of Henry Dodge and others; and notice to next Legislature on petition of Moses C. Wescott and others; severally read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Agreeably to assignment, the Senate proceeded to the choice of Major General for the Seventh Division of the Militia of this State; and Messrs Frye, Bridgman and Chandler, were appointed a Committee to receive, sort, and count the votes, who, having attended the duties assigned them, reported that the whole number of votes

	19
Necessary to constitute an election	10
Ezekiel Foster has	13
Matthew Hastings	6

and there were two blanks.

Ezekiel Foster was declared elected, in concurrence with the House, of which the House were informed by message.

Bill to authorize the Penobscot Mill Dam Company to erect side Booms.

Bill in addition to an act to incorporate the

Penobscot Mill Dam Company, were severally committed. 209
to a Joint Select Committee, consisting on the part
of the Senate of Messrs Bradbury, Farnham, and Halsey
with such as the Senate may join.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred & Messrs
Bridgman, Marshall, Alden, Tuttle, and Merrill of Wat-
terville are joined.

The Senate reconsider their vote of the 10th inst.
referring the petition of P. W. McMahon to the Committee
on Turnpikes, Bridges, and Canals and refer the same
to the Joint Select Committee to which was committed
the Bill to authorize the Penobscot Mill Dam Com-
pany to erect side Booms.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the town of Greenbush, re-
ported by Mr Cobb from the Committee on Incorpora-
tion of Towns, on petition of inhabitants of Township No. 2, old
Indian Purchase, on the east side of Penobscot River, was
read once, and ordered to lie on the table.

In Convention

Agreeably to assignment, the two Houses of the
Legislature met in Convention in the Representatives
Hall for the purpose of choosing a Treasurer of State.

Messrs Gorton, and Smith of the Senate & Messrs
Moore of Dover, Robinson of Mullownell and Arnold
of Palermo, were appointed a Committee to receive,
sort, and count the votes, who, having attended the duties
assigned them, reported that the whole number of votes
given is

Necessary for a choice	93
Mark Harris has	155
Jesse Aiken	24
Nathan Clifford	1
Nathaniel G. Jewett	1
A. B. Thompson	1
Mr Frost of Standish	1
Mr Allen of Lubec	1

and one Blank vote.

Mark Harris was declared duly elected Treasurer of State for the current political year; and the Convention separated.

In Senate

Bill to incorporate the Schoiz Thruway Company, 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.

The Senate reconsider their vote of the tenth inst. passing to be engrossed Bill to annex part of the town of Fairfield to the town of Norridgewock, amend the same, and pass said Bill to be engrossed as thus amended. Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of the Moosehead Lake Company, was read a second time & passed to be engrossed as amended.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges, and Canals, to which was committed

a Bill to incorporate the Enchanted Stream Canal Com- 211
pany, reported an amendment to said Bill which was
read and recommitted with instructions to report a
new draft. Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Rogers from the Committee on the Judiciary,
reported leave to withdraw on petition of Henry
Jones; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Bill to incorporate the County of Cuseo, 1843
taken up, Mr. Pierce moved to commit said Bill
to a Joint Select Committee, and the question of com-
mitting the same, being ordered to be taken by yeas
and nays, was decided in the affirmative as follows, to wit
Yeas, Messrs. Allen, Bridgman, Brown, Cobb, Farn-
worth, Frye, Howard, Kelsey, Labaree, Manning, Pierce,
Prescott, Rogers, Smith, Tobin & Williamson 16
Nays, Messrs. Bradbury, Chandler, Emmons, Farnham,
Groton, Knowlton and Pease. 7

And the same was committed to Messrs. Pierce,
Groton, Rogers, Emmons and Tobin, with such as the
House may join. Sent down for concurrence.

Concurred, and Messrs. Sanall of Monmouth, Brack-
ett of Acton, Pierce of Portland, Merrow of Bowdoinham,
Brown of Weld, Lathrop of Searsport, Hobart of Ed-
munds, Moore of Gouldsboro', and Solbier of Kingfield
are joined.

Petition of Thomas Dinsmore Jr. and others,
" of Ebenezer Hutchinson and others,
" of Thomas Noveck and others for a Dam
across the Kennebec River at Augusta.

Remonstrance of Arthur Berry and others,
" of Ebenezer Bacon and others,
" of Isaac Farrar and others,
" of Franklin Smith & others,

Remonstrance of Committee of Ticonic Boat Company,
 of Peter Grant Vothers
 of Joseph Lock and others against said
 Dam; severally read and referred to the Committee
 that have that subject under consideration, in concu-
 rence.

Mr. Cobb from the Committee on Incorporation
 of Towns, reported leave to withdraw on petition of
 Reuben Cragg and others, and on petition of
 Inhabitants of No. 1 in the County of Hancock; several
 by read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Sullivan Granite Com-
 pany, as reported by Mr. Furnessworth, in a new draft;

Bill to incorporate the Trustees of Lewiston Falls
 Academy, reported by Mr. Pierce from the Committee
 on Literature and Literary Institutions, on petition of
 E. Little and others,

Bill to incorporate the town of Chester, reported
 by Mr. Cobb from the Committee on Incorporation of Towns
 on petition of inhabitants of River Township No. one, in
 the eighth Range, west of Penobscot River,

Bill additional to an act to encourage the de-
 struction of Bears, Wolves, Wildcats and Lough Cerviers, re-
 ported by Mr. Groton from the Committee on the Judiciary
 to which was referred an order relative to that subject,

Bill to incorporate the Lebanon Stage Company,
 reported by Mr. Smith from the Committee on Manufac-
 tures, on the petition of Oliver Stackpole and others,

Bill to incorporate the Mouson Manufacturing
 Company, reported by the same gentleman, from the same
 Committee, on petition of Jonathan Fiske and others, were
 severally read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned
 for a second reading.

Bill additional relative to the inspection of Fish reported by Mr Chandler from the Joint Select Committee to which was referred an order relative to the inspection of Fish,

Bill to incorporate the Wiscasset Whale Fishing Company, reported by Mr Smith from the Committee on Manufactures, on petition of Jotham Parsons & others,

Bill to incorporate the Cumberland Steam Navigation Company, reported in the House by the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, on petition of J. C. Churchill and others,

Bill giving a lien to Ship Carpenters and others on Vessels, reported in the House by the Committee on the Judiciary, to which was referred an order relative to that subject, severally read once, and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to annex part of the town of Hallowell, to the town of Gardiner, came up. The House insisting on their former vote, whereby they passed said Bill to be engrossed as amended, and proposing a Conference, and appointing Messrs Vose of Augusta, Jarvis of Ellsworth, and Pierce of Portland, Conferees on the part of the House. The Senate insist on their former vote, and concur the House in their proposition for a Conference, and appoint as Conferees on their part Messrs Pierce, Knowlton and Emerson.

On motion of Mr Emerson, ordered that three hundred copies of the Bill entitled "An Act in addition to an act regulating Judicial process & proceedings" together with the Governor's objections to the same, be printed.

Memorial and Remonstrance of John Bennock and others, against the Penobscot Mill Dam Company, was read and referred to the Committee that

have that subject under consideration.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Pierce from the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, to which was referred an order relative to a County School Committee, reported that legislation on that subject is inexpedient; read & accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr. Farnham, from the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, to which was referred an order, instructing said Committee to inquire into the expediency of amending an Act additional to promote the education of youth, passed March 4, 1833, made a report asking to be discharged from the further consideration of the subject, and that the same be referred to the Committee on the alteration of laws regulating the education of youth; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Adjourned.

Attest, William Trafton, Secretary.

Petition of Samuel Lord, to be set off from Falmouth, and annexed to Westbrook, was read, and referred to the Committee on Division of Towns, in concurrence.

Petition of James Moore and others for a new County to be composed of part of Hancock and Washington Counties, was read and referred to the Committee on Division and Alteration of Counties in concurrence.

Petition of F. A. Lewis and others, to be incorporated by the name of the "Belfast Marine Railway Company"; was read and referred to the Committee on Manufactures, in concurrence.

Petition of Robert Sage and others, proprietors of Foyeburg Bridge, for leave to sell said Bridge, was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, in concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Bowman's Point Horse Ferry Company, came up from the House indefinitely postponed. The Senate nonconcur the House in the indefinite postponement of said Bill, and insist on their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed.

Laid down for concurrence.

Order from the House instructing the Committee on Interior Fisheries to inquire into the expediency of altering or abolishing an Act to regulate the taking of fish called Salmon, Shad and Alewives in the Sebasticook River, in the town of Clinton, read and passed in concurrence.

Resolved establishing a Board of Internal Improvements 217
ments was taken up. Mr. Bradbury proposed to amend, by striking out the words "Nor shall any person be a Commissioner who is engaged, directly or indirectly in speculating in said lands, or timber"; and the question of adopting said amendment, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative, as follows, to wit.
Yeas, Messrs. Bradbury, Knowlton, Pease, Pierce and Williamson, _____ 5.

Nays, Messrs. Allen, Bridgman, Brown, Chandler, Cobb, Emmons, Farnham, Farnsworth, Frye, Groton, Howard, Kelsey, Labaree, Manning, Prescott, Rogers, Smith and Tobin _____ 18.

Mr. Knowlton proposed to amend, by striking out the word "Five", and insert in lieu thereof the word "Three", and the question of thus amending, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative, as follows, to wit.

Yeas, Messrs. Allen, Bradbury, Knowlton, Prescott, and Tobin _____ 5.

Nays, Messrs. Bridgman, Brown, Cobb, Chandler, Emmons, Farnham, Farnsworth, Frye, Groton, Howard, Kelsey, Labaree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Porter, Rogers, Smith, and Williamson _____ 19.

Mr. Bradbury moved to amend, by striking out the word "Five", and insert in lieu thereof "Four", and the question of so amending, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative, as follows, to wit.

Yeas, Messrs. Allen, Bradbury, Brown, Chandler, Emmons, Farnham, Frye, Labaree, Pease, Prescott and Tobin _____ 11.

Nays, Messrs. Bridgman, Cobb, Farnsworth, Groton, Howard, Kelsey, Knowlton, Manning, Pierce, Porter, Rogers, Smith, and Williamson _____ 13.

Said Resolue was read a second time, and the question of passing said Resolue to be engrossed, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the affirmative, as follows, to wit:

Yeas. Messrs Allen, Bridgman, Brown, Cobb, Farnham, Farnsworth, Frye, Groton, Howard, Kelsey, Labaree, Manning, Pierce, Porter, Rogers, Smith and Williamson ————— 17.

Nays. Messrs Bradbury, Chandler, Emmons, Knowlton, Pease, Prescott and Tobin ————— 7.

Sent down for concurrence.

Adjourned

Attest, William Trafton, Secretary,

Order from the House of Representatives requesting the Committee on the Judiciary to inquire into the expediency of so altering the laws relating to trespass, that they shall have the same bearing against trespass committed on lands belonging to individuals, as they do now against trespass committed on lands belonging to the State; read and passed in concurrence.

Petition of John Fisk and others, that the office of General Inspector of Lime and Lime Casks, may be abolished; read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration, in concurrence.

Petition of Benjamin Higgs for Commissioners to be appointed to examine into the affairs of the Bath Bank; read and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking in concurrence.

Petition of William Woodman for a Boom at Passumpsung.

of Israel Herrin and others for a Charter to build a Bridge across Sebasticook River in Clinton.

of C. C. Wilcox and others, that the laws now in force for the protection of property in logs, snags &c. may be so amended as to make the taking of such articles, felony; severally read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges, and Canals, in concurrence.

Report of Committee on Division of Towns in referring petition of inhabitants of Chandler's Gore to next Legislature, came up from the House, recommended. The Senate reconsider their vote accepting said report, and recommend the same in concurrence.

The Committee on Interior Fisheries, reported leave to withdraw on petition of James Staple and others, read and accepted in concurrence.

The same Committee reported order of notice to the next Legislature on petition of John Baker and others read and accepted, in concurrence.

The Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges, and Canals reported order of notice on petition of Joshua Herrick and others; read and accepted in concurrence.

The Senate reconsider their votes passing to be enacted and engrossed.

Bill to incorporate the Magalloway & Schoodic Canal Company, amend the same, and order said Bill to be reengrossed as amended, of which the House were informed by message, and their concurrence requested. Concurred.

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

Bill to incorporate the Cherryfield Boom Corporation, reported in a new draft, in the House by the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, to which said Bill was recommitted,

Bill to exempt certain implements of husbandry from attachment and execution, and from distress for taxes, reported by the Committee to which was referred an order relative to that subject, severally read once, and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Mr. Pierce from the Committee on Literature and Literary Institutions, to which was referred the subject of the appointment of a Superintendent of Public Schools and also an order relating to the appointment of a Board of Literature, reported that legislation on those subjects is inexpedient; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, reported order of notice, on petition of the Directors of Sugar Island Boom Corporation, read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

The Committee on Manufactures, reported leave to withdraw on petition of Sims, Keene and others, read and accepted in concurrence.

Mr. Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, reported leave to withdraw on petition of Cornelius Turner and others, read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill fixing the time for taking the valuation for the purpose of the assessment of taxes, reported in the House by the Committee to which was referred an order relative to that subject, was read and ordered to lie on the table.

Bill relating to Bears &c was read a second time and ordered to lie on the table.

Bill to establish an Institution for the purpose of promoting the objects of instruction and science, and the better qualifying of school teachers, who shall be engaged in primary schools, reported by Mr. Pierce from the Joint Select Committee, to which was referred so much of the Governor's message as relates to

primary schools, and an Institution for the better qualification of Instructors, was read once, and on motion of Mr Groton laid on the table and ordered that four hundred copies of said Report and Bill be printed for the use of the Legislature.

Bill to incorporate the town of Chester was taken up, and on motion of Mr Cobb laid on the table.

Bill relative to Broad rimmed Wheels, reported in the House by the Joint Select Committee to which were referred sundry petitions in relation to that subject, was read once, and recommitted in concurrence.

Bill additional, relative to the inspection of Fish was read a second time and ordered to lay on the table.

Petition of Ebenezer Shaw and others, inhabitants of China, for a Dam at Augusta, was read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration, in concurrence.

Remonstrance of the inhabitants of the town of Durham, against being set off from the County of Cumberland, and annexed to a new County, was read and referred to the Joint Select Committee that have that subject under consideration.

Resolves providing for amendments to the Constitution of the State, reported in a new draft by Mr Broadbury from the Joint Select Committee to which was recommitted said Resolves, were read and passed to be engrossed as taken in the new draft.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to organize, govern, and discipline the Militia of this State, was taken up, and sundry amendments adopted; Mr Knowlton moved to further amend by striking out the words "Ten cents a mile for travel" in the 41st Section, 5th and 6th lines, and insert in lieu thereof "Eight Cents a mile for travel"; and the question of adopting said amendment, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative as follows, to wit;

Yeas, Messrs Allen, Farnham, and Knowlton, 3.
Nays, Messrs Bridgman, Brown, Cobb, Chandler, Farnsworth, Frye, Groton, Kelsey, Labaree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Porter, Prescott, Smith, Tobin and Williamson _____ 17.

The same gentleman proposed to amend by striking out "Fifty cents" in the Eighth line of the Twenty Eighth Section, and insert in lieu thereof, "One Dollar and Fifty Cents", and the question of adopting said amendment, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative as follows, to wit;

Yeas, Messrs Farnham and Knowlton 2.
Nays, Messrs Allen, Broadbury, Bridgman, Brown, Cobb, Chandler, Farnsworth, Frye, Groton, Kelsey, Labaree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Porter, Prescott, Rogers, Smith, Tobin and Williamson _____ 20.

Mr Prescott moved to amend by striking out all that part of Section Twenty One from the Ninth line, to the proviso in the sixty second line, and the question of adopting said amendment, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative, as follows, to wit;

Yeas, Messrs Farnham, Knowlton Prescott and Williamson _____ 4.
Nays, Messrs Allen, Bridgman, Brown, Chandler, Farnsworth, Frye, Groton, Kelsey, Labaree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Porter, Rogers, Smith

and Tobin, _____ 16
and said Bill passed to be engrossed as amended.
Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Wiscasset Whale Fishing Company,

Bill to incorporate the Lebanon Stage Company,

Bill to incorporate the Monseem Manufacturing Company, severally read a second time & passed to be engrossed. Sent down for concurrence.

Bill giving a lien to Ship Carpenters and others, on Vessels, was read a second time and passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported as correctly engrossed,

Resolved respecting the Treasury,

" in favor of the town of Pittsfield,

" authorizing an abatement on certain claims against Isaac Curtis and others, and the same were severally

finally passed _____

The same Committee reported as correctly engrossed,

Bill to increase the Capital Stock of the President, Directors and Company of the York Bank

Bill to incorporate the Associates of the Maine Wesleyan Journal,

Bill in addition to an Act, regulating Judicial Process,

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of Winslow Bridge.

Bill additional, regulating the tolls on Still Water Canal, and also extending the time for

completing the same.

Bill additional to an Act for the prevention of damage by fire, and the safe keeping of gunpowder.

Bill to annex a part of the town of York to the town of South Berwick,

Bill to incorporate the Lebois Thruway Company.

Bill to incorporate the Magalloway and Schoodic Canal Company, and the same were severally passed to be

enacted.

Adjourned.

Attest,

William Drafton,
Secretary.

Saturday, February, 15, 1834.

Order from the House, instructing the Committee on Interior Fisheries to inquire into the expediency of or repealing an act to regulate the Herring Fishery, approved March 19, 1827, read and passed in concurrence.

Petition of John A. Phelps and others to be set off from Berlin and annexed to Wold, was read and referred to the Committee on Division of Towns, in concurrence.

Petition of Benjamin Randall and others for the establishment of a Municipal Court in the town of Bath, was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, in concurrence.

Petition of Matt Clements, for damage by him sustained, in consequence of not receiving his pay when it became due, for making a part of the Canada road, was read and referred to the Committee on Claims in concurrence.

Petition of R. H. Gardiner and others praying for a modification of the act, incorporating the Savings Bank at Gardiner, was read, and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking, in concurrence.

Remonstrance of inhabitants of Woolwich against the division of Lincoln County, was read and referred to the Committee that have that subject under consideration, in concurrence.

Remonstrance of the town of Palmyra,
of George Lacey and others
against a Toll Bridge in Pittsfield, severally read

and referred to the Joint Select Committee that have that subject under consideration in concurrence.

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Bill to incorporate the Bowman's Point Horse Ferry Company, came up, the House insisting on their former vote, and propose a Conference & appoint as Conferees, on their part, Messrs Clapp of Portland Abbot of Ypsalborough and Morrill of Belgrade.

The Senate insist on their vote and concur the House in their proposition for a Conference, and appoint as Conferees on their part Messrs Breckbury, Rogers & Labaree.

Resolved in favor of Wilmet Wood,

to aid the town of Carthage, were severally by read a second time and indefinitely postponed.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurra.

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of the Moose head Dam Company, came up from the House recommitted. The Senate reconsider their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed, and recommit the same in concurrence.

Bill to exempt certain implements of husbandry from attachment and execution, and from distress for taxes, was read a second time and on motion of Mr Rogers the same was postponed until the twenty fifth day of February instant.

Mr Farnham from the Joint Select Committee to which was referred an order relation to holding town meetings on the same day for the choice of town officers, reported that legislation on that subject is inexpedient.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurra.

Mr Farnsworth from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals, reported leave to withdraw

on petition of N. D. Shaw and others,
 " of Nathaniel Sweet and others,
 " of Robert M. N. Smyth and others,
 and notice to the next Legislature on
 Petition of Israel Merrin and others,
 and reference to the next Legislature on
 Petition of Benjamin Nicholson and others; severally read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

The same Committee, on the part of the House, reported leave to withdraw on petition of Jonathan Corvitt and others, and on petition of Ira P. Woodbury and others severally read and accepted, in concurrence.

The Committee on Interior Fisheries, to which was referred the petition of A. C. Patridge and others, reported that legislation on that subject is inexpedient; read and accepted, in concurrence.

Mr. Pease from the Committee on Division of Towns, reported leave to withdraw on petition of Joseph Moore and others, and notice to next Legislature on
 Petition of Samuel Crockett, and

" of Henry M. Snow and others, severally read and accepted. Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr. Cobb from the Committee on Incorporation of Towns, reported that legislation is inexpedient on petition of Nathan Stanley and others, and notice to the next Legislature on petition of Samuel Andrews and others read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

Mr. Bradbury from the Joint Select Committee to which were committed the petition of the Penobscot Mill Dam Company, and the accompanying Bills

together with the petition of Samuel W. McMahon and others, and the Memorial and Demonstration of John Bennoch and others, reported that said Bills ought not to pass, and that said petitioners have leave to withdraw their petitions; read and on motion of Mr. Rogers, ordered to lie on the table.

Petition of Seward Merrill and others for the repeal of the license laws, was read and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Sent down for concurrence.

Mr. Groton from the Committee on Claims, to which were referred,

Petition of Selectmen of the town of Niles,
 of inhabitants of Appleton,
 Berlin.

Plantation of Waldo made a report, asking to be discharged from the further consideration thereof, and that the same be referred to the Committee on State Roads; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

The same gentleman from the same Committee to which were referred petition of Randall Fish, and petition of Joseph Heinrich, reported, that said petitions be referred to the Committee on Accounts; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

The same gentleman from the same Committee to which was referred the petition of Louis Gordon, made a report, asking leave to be discharged from the further consideration thereof, and that the same be referred to the Joint Select Committee for ascertaining the number of Blind persons in the State; read and accepted.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Clerical Library Society of Cumberland, York, and Oxford, was taken up, and the question of indefinitely postponing said Bill, in concurrence with the House, being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the negative, as follows, to wit;

Yeas, Messrs Bridgman, Knowlton, Rogers, Smith and Williamson 5.

Nays, Messrs Allen, Bradbury, Cobb, Chandler, Farnham, Farnsworth, Frye, Groton, Labaree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Porter, and Prescott 11.

The Senate reconsider their vote passing said Bill to be engrossed, amended the same, and the question of passing said Bill to be engrossed as amended being ordered to be taken by yeas and nays, was decided in the affirmative, as follows, to wit;

Yeas, Messrs Allen, Brown, Chandler, Farnham, Farnsworth, Groton, Labaree, Manning, Pease, Pierce, Porter and Prescott 12.

Nays, Messrs Bridgman, Knowlton, Rogers, Smith and Williamson 5.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to repeal an act to encourage the destruction of Crooks,

Bill to incorporate the Trustees of Lewiston Falls Academy,

Bill to incorporate the Sullivan Granite Company,

Resolve in favor of the town of Benningville,

to carry into effect the law of March 4, 1833 relative to the education of Youth, severally read a second time, and passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Cumberland Steam Navigation Company,

Bill for the benefit of aliens and others,

Bill to incorporate the Cherryfield Boom Com- 231
pany; severally read a second time and passed to be
engrossed, in concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the town of Sawmasset, re-
ported by Mr Cobb from the Committee on Incorpo-
ration of towns, on petition of Richard and Loring & others,

Bill to incorporate the Portland, Scarborough and
Phippsburgh Mining Company, reported in the House
by the Committee on Manufactures, on petition of William
Coolidge and others,

Bill additional respecting Salaries of Judges
and Registers of Probate, reported by Mr Brown from
the Joint Select Committee, on petition of Stephen Emery.

Resolve in favor of Nathaniel Stearns, reported
by Mr Gorton from the Committee on Claims, on petition
of said Stearns, severally read once, and Monday next
at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to incorporate the Enchanted Stream Canal
Company, reported in a new draft by Mr Farnsworth
from the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges, and Canals,
to which said Bill was recommitted, was read once
and Monday next at twelve o'clock assigned for a sec-
ond reading.

Bill regulating the taking of Fish in Royalls
River, in the town of North Yarmouth, reported in the
House, by the Committee on Interior Fisheries, on pe-
tition of Inhabitants of North Yarmouth.

Bill for incorporating certain persons for the pur-
pose of building a Bridge over Kennebec River in the
town of Norridgewock, reported by Mr Farnsworth from
the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges, and Canals, on pe-
tition of Mark S. Blunt and others, severally read once
and Tuesday next at eleven o'clock assigned for a sec-
ond reading.

On motion of Mr Cobb, Ordered, that the Secretary of State be directed to notify the Governor, that Ezechiel Foster has been elected, by the concurrent vote of both Branches of the Legislature. Major General of the Seventh Division of the Militia of this State.
Sent down for concurrence. Concurred.

The Senate reconsider their vote accepting the report of the Committee on Division of Towns, in ordering notice to the next Legislature, on petition of Moses E. Westcott and others, and recommit the same; of which the House was informed by message, and their concurrence requested. Concurred.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills, reported as correctly engrossed,

Resolved in favor of Zadock Bishop and others, & the same was

finally passed

The same Committee reported as correctly engrossed,

Bill for the benefit of the town of Bluehill,

„ to incorporate the Belfast Fishing Company,

„ to annex Township No. 19 to the town of Columbia,

„ to establish the Reed School Fund,

„ additional to increase the Salary of the Register of Probate in the County of Somerset, and the same were severally passed to be

enacted.

Mr Pierce from the Conferees on the part of the Senate, on the Bill to annex part of the town of Hallowell to the town of Gardiner, made a report that the Conferees on the part of the Senate having met the Conferees on the part of the House, and propose that the amendment added by the House to the Bill on Sheet marked D.

be further amended, by striking out the word "Five":
before the word "Thousand", and in lieu thereof insert the
word "Three", which report was read once and on motion
of Mr Pierce laid on the table.

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Adjourned.

Attest, William Traphen, Secretary.