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Mondays March 7. 1831

Met according to adjournment

Petition of Samuel A. Bradley and others was read and committed to the committee on State Lands sent up for concurrence.

Resolve laying a tax on the several Counties in this State was read a first and second time and Thursday next at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Resolve making further appropriation for erecting the Public Buildings - was taken up and Thursday next at eleven o'clock assigned for the consideration of the same.

Resolve in favor of Ezekiel Stearns was read a second time and passed to be engrossed - sent up for concurrence.

Bill altering the Division line between the Counties of Hancock and Washington was read a third time and passed to be engrossed - sent up for concurrence.

Resolve for the admission of O. K. Barnett as an attorney in the Court of Common Pleas was read and indefinitely postponed - sent up for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of the Augusta Hotel - was read a third time and passed to be engrossed sent up for concurrence.

Resolve for the admission of Seth Paine to practice law - was read and indefinitely postponed - sent up for concurrence.

Bill - authorizing the Selectmen of the town of Bangor to appoint a corps of Fire Engineers was read a third time and passed to be engrossed - sent up for concurrence

Resolve requiring Banks to make return of their Capital Stock was read a second time & passed to be engrossed sent up for concurrence

Bill additional relating to appeals was read a third time & passed to be engrossed - sent up for concurrence

Bill for the prosecution & punishment of accessories in felonies was read a third time & passed to be engrossed - sent up for concurrence

Petition of Timothy Gilson & others Inhabitants of Brownfield for a new County came from the Senate referred to the Committee on Incorporation of Towns for concurrence & the House concurred

Resolve in aid of Anson Academy was read a 2^d time & passed to be engrossed in concurrence with the Senate

Resolve Appointing Representatives &c came from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended on sheet annexed marked D for concurrence & the House recede from their vote of the 2^d instant so far as to adopt the amendment proposed by the Senate - and pass the same to be engrossed as thus amended in concurrence

Resolve in favor of William King was read a 2^d time & passed to be engrossed - sent up for concurrence

Resolve making provision for managing & settling the wild lands in this State was read a 2^d time & passed to be engrossed, sent up for concurrence

Report of the Committee on the Resolve in favor of Charles Miller & John C. Glidden also on Petition of Samuel Leach was taken up ordered to lie on the table & 200 copies thereof ordered to be printed for the use of the Legislature

Report of the Committee to whom was referred the Petition of William Rice & others - asking leave to be discharged from the consideration of the same &c was read & accepted & the Petition referred to the Committee on Turnpikes Bridges and Canals - Sent up for concurrence

Bill - additional respecting salaries of Judges & Registers of Probate was taken up & discussed & before any question was taken thereon the House adjourned.

And the House adjourned

Attest

Thornton McGraw Clerk.

Tuesday March 8. 1831.

Met according to adjournment

The House reconsidered their vote of yesterday whereby they indefinitely postponed the Resolve for the admission of C. W. Sumell as an attorney in the Court of Common Pleas. and the Resolve was read a second time and passed to be engrossed as taken into a new draft in concurrence with the Senate.

The House reconsidered their vote whereby they indefinitely postponed the Resolve admitting Seth Paine to practice law. and the Resolve was read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence with the Senate.

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of the Detroit west Branch River. came from the Senate they having reconsidered their vote passing the Bill to be engrossed and referred the same to the joint standing committee on State Lands for concurrence. and the House reconsidered their vote of Feb'y 23. passing the Bill to be engrossed and concur with the Senate in their reference of the same

Bill - additional respecting the Salaries of Judges and Registry of Probate was read and indefinitely postponed - sent up for concurrence -

The Committee on Engrossed Bills report as duly engrossed -
Resolve in favor of William King -

— in favor of Ezekiel Hearn -

— in aid of Anson Academy -

— apportioning the Representatives among the several

several Counties, Towns and Plantations and Claps at
at the second apportionment which were severally
finally passed - sent up for concurrence.

The same Committee also report as duly engrossed -
Bill additional directing the method of laying out
and making provision for the repair and am-
endment of Highways and providing for the ap-
pointment of County Commissioners -
—— to incorporate the town of Madawaska and
for other purposes -
—— to regulate the alewife Fishery in Franklin.
—— additional concerning the assessment and col-
lection of taxes
—— to incorporate the town of Bradford - which
were severally passed to be enacted. sent up for con-
currence.

Resolve - for the assistance of the Deaf and Dumb was
read a first time and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned
for a second reading.

Ordered that Messrs Swcat of Prospect, Shaw of
Standish and Holden of Brunswick be a Committee
to enquire into the expediency of passing a law
exempting wood from attachment designs for the
use of families who may have conveyed the same to
their Houses - to report by Bill or otherwise.

Ordered that the Committee on valuation be instructed
to deduct the poll and so much of the estate of Abraham
Hilton from the Valuation Roll of Alton and annex the
same to Jefferson, as was set off to said town of Jeff-
erson by an Act passed Feby. 23. 1828. sent up for con-
currence.

Ordered that the Committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of defining by law the fees for which Sheriffs may demand or receive at the rate of twelve per cent. of their Deputy's - sent up for concurrence.

Report of the Committee on the Judiciary to whom was referred an order relative to repealing the second section of an Act passed March 3. 1826. entitled an "Act additional to an act for the settlement of certain equitable claims arising in real actions" - that said section ought not to be repealed - came from the Senate accepted for concurrence - and the House concurred.

Report of the same Committee to whom was referred an order providing that neat Cattle may go at large that legislation on the subject is inexpedient came from the Senate accepted for concurrence - and the House concurred.

Report of the same Committee to whom was referred an order relating to the relief of the poor residing without the limits of any town or plantation and also an order relative to providing by law that organized plantations shall be required to support such persons as may become paupers within the limits of said plantations - that legislation on the subject is not now expedient -

Report on petition of George Vincent and others granting leave to withdraw came from the Senate accepted for concurrence and the House concurred.

A communication from Daniel Rose Land Agent transmitting in obedience to an order of the Legislature

of February 26th. a plan with a copy of the Report of Mr. Copin &c. also an account of said Rose's exploring in 1829 &c. came from the Senate for concurrence upon and with the accompanying plan and documents to the Committee on State Land, and the House concurred.

Bill to assess a tax on Reed Houses, was read first and second time and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Bill revoking the charter of the Winnabunk Bank was read a first and second time and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Bill incorporating the Town of Blanchard — additional to regulate the Inspection of Beef and Pork were severally read first and second time and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Petition of Edward Porter for extension of time for putting a Steam Boat on Sebago and Long Pond was read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals in concurrence with the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Boutelle of Waterville. Ordered that the Committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing by law that no Judge of Probate or Judge of any other Court, which by law is authorized and required to cause notices to be published in public Newspapers shall directly or indirectly have any pecuniary interest in any Newspaper in his County. And Ordered further that no Judge of any such Court shall give any preference in his said order to any Newspaper — but shall order such notices to be published in such Newspaper as the Executive, Administrator, Commissioner or Party interested respectively shall

requir'd unless it shall appear that such request is unreasonable or for a fraudulent purpose - sent up for concurrence.

Bill to regulate Banks and Banking came again from the Senate - they adhering to their vote passing the Bill to be engrossed as amended on sheet annexed marked D and proposing a conference and appointing as conferees on their part Messrs. Kingsbury, Ingalls and Dole and the House adhere to their vote of March 4th - accept the proposed conference and appoint as conferees on their part, Messrs. Clifford of Newfield, Deane of Ellsworth and Knowlton of Montville.

Remonstrance of E. H. Gardiner and others against the Petition of Seth Paine &c and others for leave to construct a Boom across Kennebec River - was read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges, and canals in concurrence with the Senate.

Resolve in favor of Bartholomew D. Bois was read a second time and passed to be engrossed in concurrence with the Senate - and the question upon so passing the same was taken by yeas and nays as follows - Yeas 73. Nays 38. (See Yeas & nays see page 468)

Mr. McIntire of York was excused from serving on the committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and canals - and Mr. Lord of Lebanon was appointed in his stead.

And the House adjourned

Attest

Thornton McGaw, Clerk.

Wednesday March 9. 1831.

Met according to adjournment

Bill. to incorporate the Proprietors of Carloses Island Bridge at Eastport was read and recommended to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals - with instructions to report the facts in the case - sent up for concurrence.

Petition - of Samuel Hale and others to be incorporated into a Company for the Manufacture of Cotton Goods - was read and referred to the Committee on Manufacturing - sent up for concurrence.

Petition - of Messrs Appleton and others for a Bank at Waterville was read and referred to the Committee on Banks and Banking - sent up for concurrence.

Report on Petition of Mary L. Davis granting leave to withdraw came from the Senate accepted for concurrence and the House concurred.

Bill for the preservation of Fish in Anniset River and Bay and several Streams that empty into the same was read first and second time and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Report on Petition of John Pitts and others and accompanying papers sent from the last years files of the Senate was read and referred to the Committee on Literary institutions.

Report on Petition of Thomas Bartlett and others for a Division of the Town of Orono - referring the same to the

next Legislature was read and accepted in concurrence with the Senate.

Bill, concerning corporations came from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended by striking out at *Et* the word "and" and the House so far recede from their former vote as to adopt this amendment and pass the same to be engrossed as thus amended in concurrence with the Senate.

Bill to incorporate the York Manufacturing Company was read first time and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Bill to incorporate the Pleasant Point Manufacturing Company was read a first time and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Resolve respecting the dividing line between Holt's and Lyman came from the Senate passed to be engrossed as further amended on that annexed marked B. and the House non-concur the Senate in their proposed amendment and adhere to their vote of February 23^d whereby they passed the Resolve to be engrossed - sent up for concurrence.

Bill for the abolition of Imprisonment of honest Debtors for Debt was read first and second time and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Petition of Samuel Winter for restoration of duty paid by him as Sheriff of Lincoln County, was read and referred to Messrs Mayoun of Bath, M'Leate of Nobleboro' and Wellington of Albion.

Ordered that the Committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of instructing the Valuation

Committee to take into the estimate of taxable property funds employed in salt works, and of taxing shares in Salt Bridges in the towns or plantations where said Bridges lie and when the same have not been returned by the assessor sent up for concurrence.

Bill additional to the several acts now in force respecting workhouses and houses of correction and for the punishment of common drunkards was read a third time and passed to be engrossed as again taken into a new draft sent up for concurrence.

An Order came from the Senate that the Committee on the Judiciary be instructed to consider what number of copies of the sixth volume of Queensberry's Reports if any it is expedient to purchase for the use of the House read and passed in concurrence.

Report on Petition of John P. Woodbury and others granting an order of Notice came from the Senate accepted for concurrence.

Report on Petition of Inhabitants of Danvers and Lisbon and accompanying papers taken from the last years files of the Senate was read and referred to the Committee on Incorporation of Towns in concurrence.

Resolve in favor of Charles M. Henry came again from the Senate for concurrence, they adhering to their vote passing the same to be engrossed and the House adhering to their former vote indefinitely postponing the same sent up for concurrence.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills report as duly Engrossed.
Resolve in favor of Sam Hill which was finally passed sent up for concurrence.

The same Committee report as duty engrossed Bill defining the powers of the Judicial Court in granting review and for other purposes which was passed to be enacted. sent up for concurrence. also

Resolve requiring Banks to make return of their capital Stock which was finally passed. sent up for concurrence.

Petition of Joseph Locke for a remission of a part of the duty on his commission as Sheriff for the County of Somerset. was read and referred to Messrs Magoun of Bath, M^r Crate of Nobleborn and Wellington of Albion.

Bill for the preservation of Lewiston, North Turner and Stillwater Bridges. came from the Senate for concurrence passed to be engrossed as taken into a new draft and the House so far recede from their former vote as to adopt the new draft amended as on sheet annexed marked D. and then indefinitely postpone the same sent up for concurrence.

Petition of Abel Moor for change of name was read and referred to the Committee on change of names.

Petition of Benjamin Knight for one half of the penalty recovered by the State in certain Prosecutions for the sale of foreign Tickets was read and referred to the joint select Committee who have under consideration an order of Jan^y. 29. relative to the sale of Lottery Tickets in this State. sent up for concurrence.

Petition of Joseph Leland and others for a Bank in Saco. was read and referred to the Committee on Banks & Banking. sent up for concurrence.

And the House adjourned.

Attest Thornton M^r Shaw Clerk.

Thursday March 10. 1831.

Met according to adjournment

Ordered that Messrs Cole of Paris, Rowe of Belfast and Tibbels of Lisbow be a Committee to inquire into the expediency of abolishing all special pleading in trials at law with leave to report by bill or otherwise.

Bill. to incorporate the Proprietors of the Auston Steam Grist mill. also

Bill. additional relating to Engineemen were severally read first and second time and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Resolves for obtaining the arguments and maps in relation to the North Eastern Boundary laid on the table by Mr Deane of Ellsworth was read a first and second time and passed to be engrossed sent up for concurrence.

Report of Committee on Literary institutions to whom was referred the order of January 20th relation to altering the act providing for the education of Youth passed March 15. 1821 - that any alteration of said Act is at present inexpedient came from the Senate accepted for concurrence and the House concurred.

Bill. regulating the salary of the Register of Probate in and for the County of Waldo was taken up and refused a passage. sent up for concurrence.

Bill. to incorporate the York Manufacturing Company also

Bill. to incorporate the Pleasant Point Manufacturing Company were severally read a second time (and tomorrow

at eleven o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Report of Committee on the Judiciary on Petition of Aaron Cobart referring the same to the next Legislature was read and accepted - sent up for concurrence.

Report on Petition of David Hayes and others -
 — on Petition of Joseph Masterman - granting leave to withdraw - were severally read and accepted in concurrence with the Senate.

Bill - for the encouragement of Agriculture was read a first time and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Remonstrance of Thomas Vose and 32 others against the Petition of Joshua Briggs and others for an exclusive right of Ferriage at Robbinston - also -

Remonstrance of John Brown and fifty one others on the same subject - were severally read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals - sent up for concurrence.

Remonstrance of John P. Smith and others against the Petition of Barnabas Brackett and others was read and referred to the Committee on Turnpikes, Bridges and Canals - sent up for concurrence.

Remonstrance of a Committee of the Town of Walsingham against petition of Selectmen of Lisbon for a new County in Lincoln was read and referred to the Committee on Incorporation of Towns.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills report as duly engrossed - Bill to incorporate the proprietors of the Augusta Hotel -

Bill concerning Corporations -

— altering the division line between the Counties of Hancock and Washington - which were severally passed to be enacted - sent up for concurrence.

The same Committee report as duly engrossed -

Resolve for the admission of Oliver H. Barrett to practice law in the Court of Common Pleas -

— for the admission of Seth Paine to practice Law -

— in favor of Bartholomew B. Bos - which were severally finally passed.

Petition of David Frask praying for Legislative aid - was read and referred to Messrs Farnsworth of Dennyville, Hammon of Pittston and Hilton of Wisconsin.

Report of Select Committee of the House on an order of Feby 19th in relation to the Public Buildings was read and ordered to lie on the table and 300 Copies thereof and of the propositions therein referred to, marked A. B. C. D. E. and F. be printed for the use of the Legislature.

A Message was received from the Senate by Mr. Littlefield their Secretary informing the House that they have reconsidered their vote passing to be engrossed the Resolve requiring Banks to make returns of their capital Stock - and amended the same by striking out from A. to B and inserting in lieu thereof the following words "the number owned by each individual not specifying their names but the town or plantation in which they live in this State; the number owned by charitable, religious or literary institutions; the number owned by widows or orphans and the number owned by individuals residing out of the State as they existed on the first day of May last" and requesting the concurrence of the House - and the House reconsidered their votes passing this resolve - adopt the amendment pro-

proposed by the Senate and ~~that~~ the same to be engrossed
as they amended in concurrence with the Senate.

Bill additional limiting the tenure of certain Civil
Officers laid on the table by Mr Bontela of Waleville
was read and indefinitely postponed and the question
upon so postponing the same was taken by Yeas and
nays as following Yeas 80 Nays 57.

(For yeas & nays see page 476)

And the House adjourned

Attest

Thornton M. Gano Clerk

Friday March 11. 1831.

Met according to adjournment.

The House reconsider their vote of the 8th. instant whereby they passed to be enacted Bill to regulate the Alewife Fishery in Franklin and order the same to be engrossed.

Bill additional to regulate the Inspection of Beef and Pork was read and recommitted to the Committee on the Judiciary, who reported the same - sent up for concurrence.

Bill revoking the charter of Remondunk Bank was read a third time and passed to be engrossed - sent up for concurrence.

Resolve for the assistance of the Deaf and Dumb was read a second time and passed to be engrossed as taken into a new draft - sent up for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the town of Blanchard was read and passed to be engrossed in concurrence with the Senate.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills report as duly engrossed. Resolve requiring Banks to make of their Capital Stock which was finally passed - also -

Bill additional Act relating to appeals - which was passed to be enacted - sent up for concurrence.

Bill to assess a tax on Stud Horses was taken up and ordered to lie on the table.

Resolve for dividing the State into Districts for the choice of Senators was read first time (and Tuesday)

next at ten o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Petition of the Officers of the State Prison for a Resolve providing for quarterly payment of their salaries was read and referred to the Committee on the State Prison - sent up for concurrence.

Ordered that a Message be sent to the Governor requesting him to send to this House the Bill entitled an Act to incorporate the Reed Ferry Company, provided the same has not been approved by him.

Bill authorizing the County Commissioners for the County of York to lay out a highway over tide waters of the Kennebec River was read first and second time and Tuesday next at eleven o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Resolve respecting the dividing line between Hollis and Lyme came again from the Senate for concurrence, they adhering to their vote passing the same to be engrossed - and the House none the less the Senate; adhere to their vote of March 9th. and propose a conference and appoint as conferees on their part Messrs Bourne of Kennebec, Fogg of Scarborough and Knowlton of Montville - sent up for concurrence.

Bill to regulate Banks and Banking was taken up and the House having received the report of the Conferees on their part - so far recede from their former votes as to concur with the Senate in their following amendments - to wit - in Section 11. lines 6 and 10 - in Section 20 line 49 - in Section 22 line 25 - in Section 25 line 10 - and further amend the Bill as follows, to wit, strike out all of the 3^d Section after the words "to wit" in the 24th line and insert as follows - "one half shall within six months and the other half

within twelve months after receiving said charter" - in the 22 Section the House reconsider their vote amending the same - and amend the Section after the word belief in the 19th line by inserting the following words - "and the Cashier of every Bank shall also make return under oath whenever required by the Legislature, of the names of Stockholders and the amount of Stock owned by each" the House also reconsider their vote whereby they adopted the amendment of the Senate in the 29th Section - and nonconcur the Senate in the amendment of this section - and amend the same by striking out the whole section as it originally stood and insert in place thereof a section contained on sheet hereto annexed marked W. and adhere to their former votes in regard to all the other proposed amendments of the Senate - sent up for concurrence -

Resolve. making further appropriation for erecting the Public Buildings - was taken up and discussed and before any question was taken thereon, the House adjourned until half past two o'clock this afternoon.

Afternoon Met according to adjournment.

The House reconsider their vote passing to be engrossed the Bill to establish the Reed Ferry Company and refer the same to Messrs Parks of Bangor, Jacques of Bowdoinham and Mitchell of Temple.

Bill to establish the Winnebago Boom Corporation was read first and second time and tomorrow at ten o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Bill authorizing the Selectmen of the town of Bangor to appoint a Corps of Fire Engineers - came from the Senate passed to be engrossed as amended on sheet

annexed marked B. and the House so far recede from their former votes as to adopt the amendment proposed by the Senate and pass the same to be engrossed as thus amended in concurrence.

Bill additional to an Act exempting certain goods and chattels from attachment, Execution and distress was read first time and tomorrow at eleven o'clock assigned for a second reading.

Report of Committee on the Judiciary to whom was referred an order in relation to repealing or modifying an act to restrain the taking of assay that it is inexpedient to legislate on the subject came from the Senate accepted for concurrence and the House concurred.

The Committee on Engrossed Bills report as duly engrossed Bill to regulate the Alwive Fishery in Franklin which was passed to be enacted - sent up for concurrence.

The House resumed the consideration of the Resolve making further appropriation for erecting the Public Buildings and it was moved to postpone the further consideration thereof until Tuesday next - and the question thereon was decided as follows Yeas 60. Nays 85 - certain amendments were then proposed and discussed before any further question was taken upon the Resolve the House adjourned. (See yeas & nays see page 472)

Attest

Thornton McGraw

Clerk

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Saturday March 12 1831.

Met according to adjournment.

Report of Committee on the Judiciary on an Order relative to providing by law that all actions of Trespass &c shall survive in favor of and against Administrators and Executors that legislation on the subject is inexpedient - came from the Senate accepted for concurrence and the House concurred.

Report of the same Committee on order relative to changing the existing law in relation to the compensation of the Clerks of Courts in the several Counties &c. that legislation on that subject is inexpedient, came from the Senate accepted for concurrence and the House concurred.

Report of the same Committee granting leave to withdraw on Petition of Daniel Smith and Sally Smith came from the Senate accepted for concurrence and the House concurred.

Bill additional to provide for the Education of youth was read first and second time and Monday next at ten o'clock was assigned for a third reading.

Resolve giving to Bremen, Friendship, and Cushing each a separate representation, laid on the table by Mr. Baxter of Bristol was read and indefinitely postponed - and the question upon so postponing the same was taken by yeas and nays as follows Yeas 63. Nays 46.

(For yeas & nays see page 475)

Petition of George W. Randall and others to be incorporated into a company called the Parsonsfield Mining Company

was read and referred to the Committee on Manufacturing in concurrence with the Senate.

Petition of Abraham Morrill and others to annex a part of the Town of Plymouth to the Town of Chatham and County of Penobscot was read and referred to the Committee on Incorporation of Towns sent up for concurrence.

Bill to incorporate the Proprietors of Carleton Island Bridge was read first and second time and Monday next at eleven o'clock assigned for a third reading.

Bill to divide the town of Berwick and to incorporate the easterly part thereof into a town by the name of North Berwick was read first and second time and Tuesday next at eleven o'clock for a third reading.

Bill to establish the Nerebees Boom Corporation was taken up and ordered to lie on the table.

The House resumed the consideration of the Resolves making further appropriation for erecting the Public Buildings and concurred with the Senate in striking out the 2^d resolve - none near as to the residue of the amendments proposed by the Senate - and further amended the Resolves as following - to wit: Strike out all after the word "Resolved" in the first Resolve to the 12th line and insert in place thereof the words contained on sheet annexed marked D in the third Resolve line 3 fill the blank with the words "thirty thousand four hundred and thirty four hundred and thirty four dollars and twenty nine cents" in the last Resolve in the third line after the word same strike out the words "at least forty days in all the newspapers in Portland" and insert in place thereof the words "in two of the principal newspapers in Portland" and the

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whole Resolve having had two several readings, papers
to be engrossed as they amended - sent up for concurrence -

Message from the Governor
To the Senate and House of Representatives

It affords me pleasure to be able to communicate to the Legislature the information that I am advised by his Excellency the Governor of Massachusetts, that the sum of Four Hundred and nineteen Thousand, Seven hundred and Forty eight dollars and twenty six cents has been received by him from the General Government towards the claims of Massachusetts for Military Services during the late War. I am assured by the Governor of Massachusetts that the items which have been postponed together with all the unliquidated portions of the account will be subject to the faithful attention and management of the able Representative of that State, to whose conduct this subject has been specially assigned. His Excellency informs me that he has proposed to the Legislature of that Commonwealth now in session an order for the payment to the State of Maine the share to which we are entitled by virtue of the provision in the Act of Separation. It will be necessary that the Legislature of this State should pass a corresponding Resolve authorizing the receipt of the same into the Treasury of the State.

Council Chamber

March 12. 1831

Sam E. Smith

Read and referred to the Committee who have under consideration so much of the Governor's Message as relates to the Massachusetts claims in concurrence with the Senate.

Report on Petition of Edwin Smith and others

granting leave to withdraw came from the Senate for concurrence, they having reconsidered their vote accepting the same and recommitted it to the Committee on State Land - and the House concurred the Senate in their recommitment of the Report and accept the same sent up for concurrence.

Ordered - that when this House adjourn it adjourn until Monday morning next at ten o'clock.

And the House adjourned

Attest

Thornton McGraw Clerk