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The PRESIDENT pro tem: Is the Senate ready for the question?

Thereupon, Senate Amendment "A" was Adopted and the Bill, as Amended, Passed to be Engrossed in non-concurrence.

Sent down for concurrence.

Reconsidered Matter

The PRESIDENT pro tem: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Aroostook, Senator Peabody.

Mr. PEABODY: Mr. President, is the Senate in possession of L. D. 989?

The PRESIDENT pro tem: The Chair would answer in the affirmative, it having been held at the request of the Senator.

Mr. PEABODY: Mr. President, having voted on the prevailing side, I move the Senate reconsider its action whereby this bill was indefinitely postponed.

The PRESIDENT pro tem: The Senator from Aroostook, Senator Peabody, moves that the Senate reconsider its action whereby the Senate indefinitely postponed, Bill, "An Act to Provide a Portion of all Public Places and Transportation Vehicles to be Set Aside for Nonsmokers." (S. P. 322) (L. D. 989)

The Chair recognizes the Senator from Androscoggin, Senator Olfene.

Mr. OLFENE: Mr. President and Member of the Senate: I rise to oppose that motion. I think this bill was well discussed and well debated, twice it has been through this Senate and I would say, without going into any lengthy debate at this time, that this bill is a bill, as I explained before, that I think is an extremely difficult bill to put under a controlled manner. Therefore, I urge you to not support the motion as presented by the Senator from Aroostook, Senator Peabody.

The PRESIDENT pro tem: The Chair recognizes the Senator from Kennebec, Senator Joly.

Mr. JOLY: Mr. President, I would ask for a roll call.

The PRESIDENT: A roll call has been requested. Under the Constitution, in order for the Chair to order a roll call, it requires the affirmative vote of at least

one-fifth of those Senators present and voting. Will all those Senators in favor of ordering a roll call please rise and remain standing until counted.

Obviously more than one-fifth having arisen a roll call is ordered. The pending motion before the Senate is the motion of the Senator from Aroostook, Senator Peabody, that the Senate reconsider its action whereby it indefinitely postponed Bill, "An Act to Provide a Portion of all Public Places and Transportation Vehicles to be Set Aside for Nonsmokers." All those in favor of reconsideration will vote "Yes"; those opposed "No".

The Secretary will call the roll.

ROLL CALL

YEAS: Senators Berry, Cianchette, Conley, Cox, Cummings, Fortier, Greeley, Joly, Katz, Minkowsky, Morrell, Peabody, Roberts, Schulten, Sewall, Shute, Speers, Tanous.

NAYS: Senators Aldrich, Anderson, Brennan, Clifford, Cyr, Danton, Graffam, Huber, Kelley, Marcotte, Olfene, Wyman, MacLeod.

ABSENT: Senators Hichens, Richardson.

A roll call was had. 18 Senators having voted in the affirmative, and 13 Senators having voted in the negative, with two Senators being absent, the motion prevailed.

Thereupon, the Bill was Passed to be Enacted in non-concurrence.

Sent down for concurrence.

Reconsidered Matter

On motion by Mr Sewall of Penobscot, the Senate voted to reconsider its prior action whereby Bill, "An Act to Provide Moneys for Planning Residential Accommodations for the Retarded in Maine", (S. P. 625) (L. D. 1948), was Indefinitely Postponed.

On further motion by the same Senator, tabled and Tomorrow Assigned, pending Passage to be Engrossed.

Mr. Tanous of Penobscot was granted unanimous consent to address the Senate:

Mr. TANOUS: Mr. President and Members of the Senate: I am indeed pleased to read in the morn-