

Haven, and Islesboro' from the collection district of Penobscot to that of Belfast in the State of Maine;

H. R. 791. An act declaring Fort Covington, in the State of New York, to be a port of delivery, and for other purposes;

H. R. 804. An act concerning the selection of jurors in certain courts of the United States;

H. R. 805. An act to authorize the judge of the courts of the United States of the fifth circuit, to hold the circuit court for the district of Kentucky;

S. 405. An act to grant the Atlantic and Gulf Railroad Company the right of way through the public lands of the United States; and found the same truly enrolled; when

The Speaker signed the said bills and resolutions.

Mr. Jacob Thompson, the rules having been suspended for the purpose, offered the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That there be paid out of the contingent fund of the House, to each of the laborers and the lamplighter employed in the capitol grounds, and the keeper of the front gate of the same, the same amount of extra compensation that is usually paid to the messengers in the House, respectively.

Mr. Wentworth moved to amend the resolution by adding thereto the following:

*"Resolved*, That there be paid to the folders, persons employed in the folding room, the police of the capitol, with its messenger and laborer, and all other persons of the same class who received extra compensation at the last session of Congress, the same amount of extra compensation that they then received."

Which amendment was agreed to; and

The resolution as amended was then agreed to.

Mr. Wentworth moved that the vote by which the said resolution was passed be reconsidered, and also moved that the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table; which latter motion was agreed to.

Mr. John B. Thompson, from the Committee on printing, reported the following joint resolution (No. 64:)

*Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That there be paid to William Hickey, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, two hundred and fifty dollars, as compensation for services rendered by him in examining and computing the proposals for doing the printing of Congress.

Which was read a first and second time; when

Mr. Conger moved that the said joint resolution be laid upon the table; which motion was agreed to.

Mr. Charles Brown moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of enabling him to offer the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the Clerk of the House pay to Charles J. Ingersoll the usual pay and mileage of a member for the time he was contesting the seat of Charles Naylor, in the 25th Congress.

And the question being put, Shall the rules be suspended?

It was decided in the negative—two-thirds not voting therefor.