Met according to adjournment at eleven o’clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Mr. Garballey of Arlington in the Chair (having been appointed by the Speaker, under authority conferred by Rule 5, to perform the duties of the Chair).

At the request of the Chair (Mr. Garballey), the members and employees joined with him in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Message from the Governor — Bill Returned with Recommendation of Amendments.

Message from His Excellency the Governor returning with recommendations of amendments to sections 13 to 17, inclusive, and also to sections 22 and 29 of the engrossed Bill financing a program for improvements to the Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund and providing relief to employers and workers in the Commonwealth [see House, No. 90, amended] (for message, see House, No. 3703) was filed in the office of the Clerk on Thursday, April 1.

The message was read; and said sections (printed as House, No. 3702) were referred, on motion of Ms. Garlick of Needham, to the committee on Bills in the Third Reading.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions (filed with the Clerk) were referred, under Rule 85, to the committee on Rules:

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Hogan of Stow) recognizing Joseph J. Durant on his forty-two years of service to the town of Hudson; and

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Hogan of Stow) recognizing John M. Parent on his twenty-one years of service to the town of Hudson; and

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Domb of Amherst and other members of the House) congratulating the University of Massachusetts Amherst men’s hockey team for winning the 2021 National Championship.

Mr. Galvin of Canton, for the committee on Rules, reported, in each instance, that the resolutions ought to be adopted. Under suspension of the rules, in each instance, on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Engrossed Bill.

The engrossed Bill validating the results of the annual town meeting and the annual town election held in the town of Hubbardston (see Senate Bill printed in Senate, No. 24) (which originated in the Senate), having been certified by the Clerk
to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, was passed to be enacted (more than two-thirds of the members having agreed to pass the same); and it was signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Order.

On motion of Mr. Mariano of Quincy,—

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Thursday next at eleven o’clock A.M.

At six minutes after eleven o’clock A.M., on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus (Mr. Garballey of Arlington being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Thursday at eleven o’clock A.M., in an Informal Session.