

the proceeds of thirty thousand dollars of which bonds shall be used for the purpose of constructing a water works system in said town, the proceeds of thirty-five thousand dollars of which bonds shall be used for the purpose of refunding outstanding indebtedness due and owing upon its electric light plant and for the enlargement of its electric light plant and the furnishing of additional electric current, and the proceeds of fifty thousand dollars of which bonds shall be used for the payment of one-third of the cost of the construction of street paving upon certain of the streets of said town, and providing for the construction of this Act.

I have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report, were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. S. W. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 640):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of Alachua County, Florida, to issue interest-

bearing coupon warrants for the Bell Special Tax School District No. 85 of Alachua County, Florida, for the purpose of borrowing money for the purpose of acquiring, building, enlarging, equipping and otherwise improving the school buildings and grounds within the said special tax school district.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 656) :

An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Key West to sell the City Park in Tract Ten (10) according to Whitehead's May Island of Key West, and directing the disposition of the funds realized from said sale.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 652) :

An Act authorizing and empowering the Bond Trustees of Special Road and Bridge District Number Seven, of Putnam County, Florida, to issue bonds of Putnam County, Florida, for the construction and repair of public hard-surfaced roads in said county and to create a sinking fund for the retirement of such bonds and to disburse and control the proceeds arising from the sale of said bonds and to call an election in said county to determine whether said bonds shall be issued, and to provide a tax levy to pay interest and create a sinking fund in the event such bonds are issued.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 76) :

An Act authorizing the State Board of Education to lease for a nominal consideration to the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Dade, State of Florida, either School Section Sixteen (16), in Township Fifty-two (52) south, range Forty-one (41) east, or School Section Sixteen (16), in Township Fifty-three (53) South, Range Forty-one (41) East, in Dade County, Florida, for the use of the Dade County Agricultural High School for agricultural and experimental farm purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 630) :

An Act to constitute, organize and establish a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Brooks-

vile in the County of Hernando, and the State of Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and to repeal Chapter 6042, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1909, and all other laws or parts of laws in any way in conflict with this Act so far as they affect the same, but no farther.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills, contained in the above report, were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Etheredge offered the following resolution:
Senate Resolution No. 14:

Whereas, The Senate Chamber has been used in the past between the sessions of the Legislature for various purposes other than the use of the Senate; and

Whereas, Such use entails the purchase of many things each Legislative year; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Secretary of State shall not allow the Senate Chamber to be used by any Cabinet Department as a room for work or by any organization or meeting. And that its use during the interval of sessions be confined to the members of the Senate and their officers; and that the Secretary of State shall, together with the Secretary of the Senate, inventory the furniture of the Senate Chamber, each preserving the inventory list for the inspection of the Senate of 1927.

Mr. Etheredge moved to adopt the resolution.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Etheredge offered the following resolution:
Senate Resolution No. 15:

Resolved, The members of the Florida State Senate, being appreciative of the excellent services rendered by the representatives of the press, do hereby express and extend our thanks and sincere appreciation for the courtesies extended us, and the fairness and efficient manner in which the proceedings of this Senate was presented to the public.

Mr. Etheredge moved to adopt the resolution.
Which was agreed to.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. McDaniels—

Senate Bill No. 725:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to K. S. Story, of Calhoun County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

And the bill was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference.

By Mr. McDaniels—

Senate Bill No. 726:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to James E. Watson, of Calhoun County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

And the bill was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading without reference.

By Mr. Putnam—

Senate Bill No. 727:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide an open and closed season for the hunting, chasing, molesting or killing of wild game birds, fowls or animals in Brevard and Volusia counties, Florida, regulating the killing of wild game birds, fowls or animals in Brevard and Volusia counties, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act, and a rule of evidence for prosecutions thereunder.

Which was read the first time by its title.

And the bill was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading without reference.

By Mr. Smith—

Senate Bill No 728:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make an appropriation for the putting and keeping in order of the grounds adjacent and belonging to the site of the Olustee Monument and for the proper care and protection of the monument, and to provide for the payment of such appropriation.

Mr. Smith moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 728 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 728, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Smith moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 728 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 728, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Calkins, Clark, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Phillips, Russell, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—23.

Nays—Messrs. Coe, Rowe—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

By Mr. Watson—

Senate Bill No. 729:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2, of Article 6, of An Act entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Lantana, in the County of Palm Beach and State of Florida; and to organize and establish a new government for the same; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances", passed at the 1925 session of the Legislature of the State of Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 729 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 729, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 729 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 729, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

By Mr. Watson—

Senate Bill No. 730:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend certain sections of an Act of the 1925 Legislature entitled "An Act establishing the City of Coral Gables, to provide for its government and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers."

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 730 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 730, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 730 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 730, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith,

Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Hale moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return to the Senate House Bill No. 1309 for the purpose of amendment.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the request was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 713:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County to levy not more than two (2) mills on the dollar on all taxable property in said County during the years 1925 and 1926 for the purpose of advertising the resources of Hernando County, Florida.

Senate Bill No 712:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of Counties having a population of 5,321 inhabitants and over, and less than 5,625 inhabitants according to the last Federal census.

Senate Bill No. 711:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 713, 712 and 711, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills:

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 709:

A bill to be entitled An Act extending the riparian rights of land owners abutting on Inland Lake, in Counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than sixty-three thousand (63,000) and not more than sixty-four thousand (64,000) inhabitants, according to the State census of 1925, constituting a part of legally established drainage districts and drainage districts to be established hereafter:

Also—

Senate Bill No. 510:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant certain lands, submerged and partly submerged, in Biscayne Bay, east of the City of Miami, Florida, to the City of Miami, in Dade County, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 709 and 510, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with an amendment—

Senate Bill No. 80:

A bill to be entitled An Act to confirm and validate all sales and conveyances, and contracts for the sale, of lands, made by the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of Florida by authority and under the provisions of Sections 1061 and 1062 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida.

Which amendment is as follows:

Add to Section 1, the following:

“Nor shall it affect conveyances or contracts with reference to any lands the title to which is now the basis of any controversy before the Department of the Interior, of the United States, or the United States Land office.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 80, together with the amendment of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in

the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Watson moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 80, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being Engrossed.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 324:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1032, Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, defining the fiscal year of the State.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 98:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize a single proceeding for removing clouds and quieting titles to land, where two or more persons have a common interest in having the same questions adjudicated, although their interests may relate to separate portions of the land.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 318:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the issuance of time warrants of special road and bridge districts of the State of Florida for the purpose of completing the construction of unfinished roads and bridges in such special road and bridge districts and providing for the payment of principal and interest of such warrants.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 309:

A bill to be entitled An Act governing disqualification and substitution of judges in validation proceedings and providing a limitation of the time in which proceedings may be attacked on the ground of disqualification of judges.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 324, 98, 318, and 309, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1924.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed by the Constitutional two-thirds majority of all the members elected to the House of Representatives, of the Florida Legislature, session of 1925:

Senate Bill No. 419:

A bill to be entitled An Act making an appropriation to pay the E. O. Painter Printing Company for extra copies of the Revised General Statutes of Florida of 1920, printed under contract of said company with the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions on November, 1919.

Also, by the same vote—

Senate Bill No. 602:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Ivey Rowe, of Lee, Madison County, Florida.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 419 and 602, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with amendments—

Senate Bill No. 152:

A bill to be entitled An Act to add certain territory to the Everglades Drainage District and to levy a tax upon all property embraced in such added territory, and to provide for the assessment and collection of such tax.

Which amendments are as follows:

Mr. Davis, of Leon, offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 152:

Strike out all after the title of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Whereas, the State of Florida owns approximately nine hundred twenty-five thousand (925,000) acres of land within said Everglades Drainage District on which the Legislature has imposed drainage taxes, and the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund having in charge the said State lands having heretofore been compelled to sell portions of said State lands from time to time in order to pay said drainage taxes, and it being the judgment of this Legislature that the providing of a fund for paying a part of the drainage taxes on the said State lands in the Everglades would be advisable in order to conserve the assets of the said State in said district and to permit the enhancement in value of the same through perfecting the

drainage thereof and for other good and proper reasons, therefore:

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:
 Section 1. That all lands embraced within the following metes and bounds be and the same are hereby designated as the one mill zone:

Beginning at a point near Coconut Grove, in Dade County, Florida, where the section line between Sections Twenty-one (21) and Twenty-two (22) in Township Fifty-four (54) South, Range forty-one (41) East, or this line produced, intersects the shore line of the Atlantic Ocean, the said point being on the eastern boundary of Everglades Drainage District as existing at present, constituted and formed by Chapter 7862, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919.

Thence in a northerly direction along the shores of the Atlantic Ocean, including all lands to the waters of the Atlantic Ocean to St. Lucie Inlet in Palm Beach County, Florida.

Thence westerly across said inlet and continuing westerly through St. Lucie River and the south fork of the same to a point where the said river intersects with the north boundary of Section Eight in Township Thirty-eight (38) South, Range Forty-one (41) East.

Thence west along the north boundary of Sections Eight (8) and Seven (7), said township and range, to the northwest corner of said Section Seven (7) in Township Thirty-eight (38) South, Range Forty-one (41) East;

Thence west along the north boundary of Section Twelve (12), Eleven (11), Ten (10), Nine (9), Eight (8) and Seven (7) in Township Thirty-eight (38) South, Range Forty (40) East, to the Northwest corner of said Section Seven (7), same being to the East boundary of said Everglades Drainage District as existing, and as constituted by Chapter 7862, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919.

Thence in a southerly direction following and conforming to the eastern boundary and limits of Everglades Drainage District to the point of beginning first above described, including and inclosing all that land lying between the present eastern boundary of Everglades Drainage District and the waters of the Atlantic Ocean

Sec. 2. That a tax of One (1) mill on the dollar be and the same is hereby levied annually against all property, real, personal and mixed, within the above described terri-

tory beginning with and including the year 1925. That such tax is also hereby levied on all lands owned by the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund within such territory. Provided, however, that the Everglades Drainage District acreage tax shall not apply to the lands hereby annexed to the said district. Provided, however, that no bonds of the Everglades Drainage District, whether said bonds have been issued prior to the passage of this Act or which may be hereafter issued, shall be a lien upon the lands described in Section 1 hereof.

Sec. 3. There is also hereby levied annually against all property, real, personal or mixed, within the State of Florida, save and excepting that within Everglades Drainage District on which a tax of one (1) mill on the dollar already enumerated has been levied, a tax of one-eighth ($\frac{1}{8}$) mill on the dollar beginning with and including the year 1925. The proceeds from the tax levied by this section shall be turned over to the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida to be used by them in paying, in so far as the same will suffice, Everglades Drainage District taxes on the State owned lands within the said Everglades Drainage District.

Sec. 4. The basis of valuation for the assessment as herein provided shall be the same as the valuation of said property for State and County taxes, and the lands held by the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund for the State in said district are hereby assessed at an amount equal to other lands in the same vicinity, which amount the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund are required to ascertain and certify the same to the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District, who, in turn, shall certify the same to the tax assessors of the counties in which the lands lie. Such lists shall be certified to the tax assessors at the same time, as near as may be, that land lists are now certified under the provisions of Section 1167 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida.

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of the tax assessor of the several counties embraced in whole or in part within said district to receive such certified lists of State lands which they shall enter upon the tax roll of their respective counties, placing a value thereon equal to the value placed upon other lands in the same vicinity.

Sec. 6. It shall be the duty of the county tax collectors to collect the said taxes at the time of collecting State and County taxes, and they shall account for and remit and pay over such taxes in the same manner and time as is required by law for the accounting and paying over of State and County taxes. In all other respects the law governing the assessment, collection and sale of land and personal property for non-payment of State and County taxes shall be and is hereby made applicable to taxes levied by this Act.

Sec. 7. The proceeds arising from the one (1) mill tax levied by this Act upon the property within the area annexed to said Everglades Drainage District shall be placed to the credit of the tax fund of the Everglades Drainage District and shall, by the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District, be used in carrying on the work of drainage and paying any of the obligations of Everglades Drainage District.

Sec. 8. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its becoming a Law.

Also—

In title strike out the words: "to add certain territory to."

And insert in lieu thereof the following: "to designate a one-mill zone near"

In title strike out the words: "and to provide for the assessment and collection of such tax" after the words "added territory".

And insert in lieu thereof the following: "to levy a tax upon all property within this State for paying drainage taxes on State lands in said District and to provide for the assessment and collection of such taxes."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS.

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 152, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the Senate do not concur to House Amendment No. 1 contained in the above message. Which was agreed to.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the Senate do not concur to House Amendment No. 2, contain in the above message. Which was agreed to.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the Senate do not concur to House Amendment No. 3, contained in the above message. Which was agreed to.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the House of Representatives be respectfully requested to recede from the amendments contained in the above message and to which the Senate refuses to concur.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 234:

A bill to be entitled An Act empowering cities, towns and counties in the State of Florida to provide, maintain and conduct supervised recreation systems; to acquire, establish, conduct and maintain playgrounds, recreation centers and other recreational facilities and activities and to vote bonds and an annual tax therefor; defining the powers of such municipalities and counties, their governing bodies, school board and park boards in connection with all such matters, and providing for the creation of playgrounds and recreation boards or commissions. the election and the terms of the members thereof.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 234, contained in the foregoing message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Concurrent Resolution No. 25:

Whereas, Unintentional misuse of the United States Flag frequently occurs in decorations; and

Whereas, It is desirable that proper respect for the Flag be shown by all; therefore,

Be it Resolved, by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

Section 1. That it is the sense of the Legislature of the State of Florida that no public building, the property of the State of Florida, or any subdivision thereof, shall be decorated by United States Flags that have been festooned or flown in any manner not in accordance with the Flag Resolution adopted by the National Flag Conference, held in Washington, D. C., in the year 1924, but that all United States Flags used on said public buildings shall be flown or hung in accordance with the aforesaid rules and regulations.

Sec. 2. That this resolution does not refer to bunting or streamers.

Sec. 3. That it is the purpose of this resolution to bring to the attention of the public the fact that the proper respect for the flag of the country includes avoiding its mis-

use in decorating schemes and to recommend to the public that the proper regulations be followed in such decorations.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNIS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Coe moved that the rules be waived and that House Concurrent Resolution No. 25 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 25, with title above stated, was read the second time in full.

Mr. Coe moved to adopt the resolution.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 723:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, approve, validate and confirm all of the proceedings taken for the creation, establishment and organization of Hyde Park Drainage District in Sarasota County, formerly a part of Manatee County, Florida, to ratify, approve, validate and confirm all of the acts and proceedings taken by, for, and on behalf of, said district, since the creation thereof and all of the acts, proceedings and decrees of the Circuit Court having jurisdiction over said district the Board of Supervisors and all other officers and agents of said Hyde Park Drain-

age District, acting for and on behalf of said district in carrying out the affairs of said district; and to ratify, approve, validate and confirm any and all tax levies and assessments of said drainage district, and to ratify, approve, validate and confirm the title in said Hyde Park Drainage District to all rights of way now occupied by the ditches and other works of said drainage district and all rights of way and other property granted it by decree and order of the Circuit Court having jurisdiction over said district at the time said district was created.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 724:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 19 of An Act entitled An Act to enable counties having a population of one hundred thirty thousand (130,000) inhabitants or more and County Commissioners District in such counties having a population of ten thousand (10,000) or more inhabitants, all according to the next preceding State census, to establish and maintain public hospitals, levy a tax and issue bonds therefor, for construction and maintenance of such hospital, elect hospital trustees, maintain a Training School for Nurses and provide suitable means for the care of such hospitals and distabled persons.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 723 and 724, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 719:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, validate and confirm all proceedings had or done in the calling and holding an election in the City of Graceville, Florida, on May 12, 1925, for the purpose of determining whether said city should issue \$42,000.00 six per cent bonds payable 30 years from date, and legalizing, validating and confirming the said issue of bonds, and authorizing and empowering said city to issue said bonds for the purpose of constructing a sanitary sewerage system in said city.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 720:

A bill to be entitled An Act enlarging the power of the Board of Supervisors of the Little River Valley Drainage District and authorizing said Board of Supervisors to borrow money for the early completion of the work or to enter into a contract for said work prior to the approval by the court of the assessments to be made against said land by the commissioner to be appointed by the court.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 719 and 720, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills:

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 714:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide the manner and authority by which hard-surfaced public roads and bridges shall be constructed in Sumter County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 715:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the nomination in primaries by the voters of the County at large of all candidates for County Commissioners and Board of Public Instruction in Sumter County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 716:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm all State and County assessments of lands for taxes for the year 1924 in the Counties of Clay and Baker of the State of Florida; to validate and confirm all uncanceled and unredeemed tax sale certificates for the years 1922 and 1923 upon which no deed has been made issued in pursuance of sales for taxes heretofore made by any State Tax Collector or State Collector of Revenue embracing lands in said counties of Clay and Baker for the years 1922 and 1923 and to validate and confirm all proceedings, assessments and sales upon which such certificates are based; to cure all defects, omissions, errors and irregularities in such assessments, proceedings and sales and in the said assessment of 1924; to provide for the redemption sale and assignment of such certificates as are held by the State; and to declare the invalidity of any portion of this Act shall not affect the validity of the remainder.

And House Bills Nos. 714, 715 and 716, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 676:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Daytona Beach in the County of Volusia and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known, described and designated as the City of Daytona Beach and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its officers, jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 676, contained in the foregoing message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 113:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the procedure in suits against infant and unknown parties.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 113, contained in the foregoing message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has indefinitely postponed —

Senate Bill No. 632:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the taking of fish in any of the fresh water lakes, ponds, streams and rivers of the Fifth Senatorial District; to establish a closed season; to provide for fishing licenses and guide licenses, and the issuance of the same; and to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions of this Act

Also—

Senate Bill No. 349:

A bill to be entitled An Act to allow set-off between landlord and tenant in certain cases.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has failed to pass—

Senate Bill No. 406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize cities and towns to sell, lease, or otherwise dispose of, any public utility

plant, system or works owned or operated by any such city or town.

Very respectfully,
 B. A. MEGINNISS,
 Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
 Tallahassee, Fla, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has refused to recede from its amendments Nos. 2, 3 and 5 to—

Senate Bill No. 219:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 8494, Acts of 1921, relative to compensation of State Attorneys.

Which amendments are:

Amendment No. 2. Strike out all after Section No. 1 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section No. 2. Provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed to increase the emoluments of the State's attorneys in those circuits wherein there is a county having a Court of Record established by special constitutional provision having original jurisdiction of all criminal cases not capital.

Sec. No. 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

Sec. No. 4. This Act shall become effective immediately upon its becoming a law.

Amendment No. 3. Add after the word people in Section 1, line 7, the following: "Or in judicial circuits having three counties therein with a total population of not less than sixty-seven thousand people."

Amendment No. 5. After the words "In said Judicial Circuit," add the following: "Or in Judicial Circuits of seven counties or more."

And respectfully asks the Senate to appoint a committee

to confer with a like committee on the part of the House to adjust the differences.

And the Speaker of the House of Representatives appointed Messrs. Trueman, Parrish and Johns, on the part of the House to serve with a like committee on the part of the Senate.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 219, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Coe moved that the Senate do insist upon its position upon the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 219; and that the House of Representatives be respectfully requested to appoint a committee of conference upon said amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 133:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing compensation of County Judges when acting as Coroners.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 584:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section One Thousand Six Hundred and Sixty (1660) of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the assessment, equalization and collection of special road and bridge district taxes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 71:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 567 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, the same relating to the biennial elections of Special Tax School Districts.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 133, 584 and 71, contained in the foregoing message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 542:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish the corporate limits and boundary lines of the Town of Flagler Beach, a municipal corporation created under the general laws of the State of Florida, situated in Flagler County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 591:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make an appropriation for the installation of a radio broadcasting station at the University of Florida in Gainesville, and to provide for

connecting with the same by remote control the State Col-
 itol and the Florida State College for Women at Talla-
 hassee.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate
 thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 542 and 591, contained in the
 foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on En-
 rolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representa-
 tives was received:

House of Representatives.
 Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform
 the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
 House Bill No. 56:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 and 12
 of Chapter 9120 of the Laws of Florida, approved May 30,
 1923, entitled "An Act imposing license taxes upon gaso-
 line or other like products of petroleum; providing for re-
 ports of sale of such commodities to the Comptroller of
 the State of Florida; providing for the disposition of the
 monies derived from such tax and fixing a penalty for the
 violation of the provisions of this Act and to repeal all
 laws in conflict with this Act."

Also—

Committee Substitute for—
 House Bill No. 59:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1006,
 1007, 1011, 1012, 1018, 1020 and 1023 of the Revised Gen-
 eral Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the regis-
 trations of motor vehicles; to provide for the appointment
 of License Inspectors; to define their duties and provide
 for their compensation.

Also—

House Bill No. 1337:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the creation of canal and lock districts in Lake County, Florida authorizing the County Commissioners to issue bonds for the construction of canals and locks in said district, providing for bond trustees to sell bonds, construct and build canals and locks, fix and collect tolls, conferring the power of eminent domain for the purposes of this Act, providing a tax for the retiring of bonds and maintenance of canals and lock districts, and for co-operation with the United States Government for the purpose of navigation and development of a continuous waterway connecting certain rivers and lakes in Lake County.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

E. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 56 and 59, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles, and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second reading without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1337, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to return to the Senate—

House Bill No. 1403:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of

Public Instruction of Jefferson County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars in principal amount of interest bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validating of said bonds and warrants.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Mr. Turnbull moved to waive the rules and take up House Bill No. 1403, as contained in the above message, for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 1403 passed the Senate be reconsidered.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Turnbull moved that House Bill No. 1403 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has acceded to the request of the Senate for the appointment of a con-

ference committee of three members on the part of the House to adjust the difference between the House and Senate on—

House Bill No. 721:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require any person, firm, or corporation engaged in the business of mining any mineral or subterranean product, to provide necessary places of deposit for the waste and debris of mine or mines operated by such person, firm or corporation, and to make it unlawful for any such person, firm or corporation to permit or allow the escape of waste and debris from any mine or mines operated by such person, firm or corporation into the streams and rivers of this State, and to provide the penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act.

And the Speaker has appointed as such committee: Messrs. Bell, Bullard and Young.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1260:

A bill to be entitled An Act giving to the City of Eustis, Lake County, Florida, all of submerged land within the corporate limits of the said city, and all rights and privileges pertaining to said submerged land.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1260, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and the House Bill No. 1260 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1260, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1260 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1260, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives.
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives had passed—

House Bill No. 1448:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate all acts and proceedings of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Titusville, Florida, and of the

or and Town Council of the Town of Bayview, Florida, in connection with the annexation of the Town of Bayview, Florida, by the City of Titusville, Florida, including the elections held in Titusville, Florida, and Bayview, Florida, on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1925, on the question of said annexation.

Also—

House Bill No. 1449:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for pensions for employees of the Jacksonville Free Public Library in the City of Jacksonville.

Also—

House Bill No. 1450:

A bill to be entitled An Act "To create and incorporate a Special Drainage Taxing District in Bay County, State of Florida, known as St. Andrews Bay Drainage District," to consist of that portion of Bay County, Florida, described as follows, to-wit:

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1448, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1448 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1448, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1448 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1448, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Lineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith,

Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson,
Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bills Nos. 1449 and 1450, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles and were placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 1445:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the use and handling of dynamite, T. N. T., amatol and other high explosives, and providing rules and penalties for the violation thereof in certain counties in the State of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1446:

A bill to be entitled An Act relative to the publication of the receipts and expenses of the Trustees of Special Road and Bridge District No. 7 of Putnam County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1447:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the construction, maintenance and operation of toll roads and bridges, and other appurtenances used in connection therewith, in the Counties of Dade, Broward, Palm Beach and Hendry, in the State of Florida; regulating the operation thereof

and prescribing tolls to be collected thereon; granting the right of eminent domain and prescribing certain penalties. And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1445, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1445 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1445, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1445 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1445, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gills, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1446, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1447, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1447 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1447, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1447 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1447, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Edge moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1364 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1364:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the pay of members, officers and attaches of the legislature of the State of Florida for Session of 1925 and providing for certain expense of the same.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate and read the third time in full as amended.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Knight, Malone, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives, under the rule.

Mr. Hale moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1309 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1309:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Hernando in the County of Citrus, State of Florida, and to establish, organize and create a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Hernando, in the County of Citrus and State of Florida; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its jurisdiction- powers and privileges, and for the administration of the government of said city, and the making of public improvements.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hale moved that the Senate do reconsider its action upon the passage of the bill.

The question was put upon the motion to reconsider and the Senate reconsidered its vote in passing the bill.

Mr. Hale moved that House Bill No. 1309 be put back upon its second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

So the bill was placed before the Senate on its second reading.

Mr. Hale offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1309:

In Section 2, after the word: "follows" strike out all the balance of said section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "All Sections 14, 23, 24, 25, 26 and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 36, Township 18 south, Range 19 east, and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 19, north half of Section 31, Township 18 south, Range 20 east."

Mr. Hale moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1309, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1309, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniel, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary,

Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1440:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Putnam County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provisions for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due therein; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Also—

House Bill No. 1441:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County to employ a purchasing agent, to purchase subject to the jurisdiction of said board, all materials, machinery, and supplies

of any character whatsoever, to be used by said county and to fix his salary.

Also—

House Bill No. 1444:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 6108 of Laws of Florida, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Titusville, in the County of Brevard, and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Titusville, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges", authorizing the City of Titusville, Florida, to levy a special tax on real and personal property as a fund to be used for publicity purposes.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1440, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1440 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1440, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1440 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1440, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1441, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1444, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1444 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1444, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1444 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1444, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Conc, Edge, Etheredge, Gilis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 1436:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Bay County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) wherewith the same shall be applied to the payment of the indebtedness of the fine and forfeiture fund of said County and to create a fund for the payment of the same and to provide for the sale and retirement of warrants, when issued as aforesaid.

Also—

House Bill No. 1437:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that candidates for members of the Board of County Commissioners and candidates for members of the County Board of Public Instruction in Counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than six thousand three hundred (6,300) and not more than seven thousand (7,000) according to the 1925 State Census, shall be nominated in primary elections by the vote of electors throughout the County.

Also—

House Bill No. 1438:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the taking of fish from the fresh waters of Hernando County, Florida; providing a license fee for non-residents thereof; providing for the violation thereof and providing for the enforcement thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1439):

A bill to be entitled An Act remitting under certain circumstances the penalties which have accrued or hereafter to accrue prior to January 1st, 1926, on the delinquent drainage taxes due to the South Hastings Drainage District in Putnam and Flagler Counties, Florida, levied for the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924, and providing that the Board of Supervisors of said South Hastings Drainage District shall be authorized to remit to any taxpayer under certain circumstances any penalty heretofore paid on the delinquent drainage taxes of said district levied for the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924, upon the application of taxpayers who have paid such penalties.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1436, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1437, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1437 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1437, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1437 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1437, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. Prsident, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1438, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1439, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1439 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1439, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1439 be read the third time in full and upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1439, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hinleley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1428:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners in Counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than one hundred thirty thousand (130,000) according to the 1925 State census of the State of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1429:

A bill to be entitled An Act to empower the City of Tampa to open, construct and extend public streets and alleys across property owned by railroad companies, or used for railroad purposes within the said city; to empower said city to condemn such property for such purpose and to define the relative rights of the city and of the railroad company in such property acquired under the power of eminent domain.

Also—

House Bill No. 1431:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the nomination in primaries by the voters of the County at large of all candidates for County Commissioners, and Board of Public Instruction in Sumter County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1432:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to settle the claim of Roy C. Hess, for the loss of an eye while working as an employee of said county on the St. Johns River bridge.

Also—

House Bill No. 1433:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Econfina Power Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Florida, to erect, construct, build, control and operate a dam, for the purpose of generating electricity and power, over and across Econfina River in Bay County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1435:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide the manner and authority by which hard-surfaced public roads and bridges shall be constructed in Sumter County, Florida. And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
 B. A. MEGINNISS,
 Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1428 and 1429, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles, and were placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1431, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1431 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1431, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Wicker moved to indefinitely postpone House Bill No. 1431.

Which was agreed to and the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1432, 1433 and 1435, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles, and were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1421:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting and conferring certain additional powers upon the City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, by authorizing the said City of Lakeland to acquire lands for the construction of and to construct municipal terminals and railways, and authorizing the said city to maintain, operate or lease the same when so constructed, and to enter into contracts providing for the construction, maintenance, operation or leasing of such

municipal terminals and railways, and providing for the submission of any proposed lease to the qualified electors of said city.

Also—

House Bill No. 1422:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Lakeland, Florida, through its City Commission to grant franchises for general railroad purposes and providing for the submission of such franchises to the qualified electors of said city.

Also—

House Bill No. 1424:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Polk County, Florida, to call an election of the freeholders of Special Tax School District No. 22, of said county, otherwise qualified, to determine whether said district shall issue bonds in a sum to be determined by the said board and to be voted upon not to exceed \$80,000.00.

Also—

House Bill No. 1425:

A bill to be entitled An Act relative to the City of Palatka, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1426:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing terms of the Circuit Court of the Seventh Judicial Circuit in and for the County of Volusia and fixing the dates thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1427:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1421, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1421 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1421, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1421 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1421, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1422, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1422 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1422, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1422 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1422, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary,

Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as state.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1424, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1424 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1424, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1424 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1424, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bills Nos. 1425, 1426 and 1427, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles and were placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

Message of the bill the vote was: resident Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary,

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate,

Am directed by the House of Representatives to inform
Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1336:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of
Public Instruction of Hamilton County, Florida, to pro-
cure a loan of not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars
(\$25,000) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding
six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding
its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said
board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not
exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) in prin-
cipal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants
and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retire-
ment of said bonds or warrants and the interest to be
paid due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the
money derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and
to provide for the validation of said bonds and war-
rants."

Also—

House Bill No. 1372:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend and re-enact Chap-
ter 9118, Laws of 1921, entitled "An Act to create, estab-
lish and organize a municipality in the County of Pasco
and State of Florida, to be known and designated as
Zephyrhills; to define its territorial boundaries, jurisdic-
tion, powers and privileges and to abolish the present mun-
icipal government of the Town of Zephyrhills."

Also—

House Bill No. 1420:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of
Public Instruction of Marion County, Florida, to procure
a loan of not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000)
and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent
(6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstand-
ing floating indebtedness to authorize said board in order

to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) in principal amount of interest bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1336, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1372, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1372 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1372, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1372 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1372, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1420, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1420 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1420, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1420 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1420, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hinecy, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has declined to concur in the Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 378:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1160 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, and to amend Section 1164 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida as amended by Chapter 8413, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, as amended by Chapter 9119, Laws

of Florida, Acts of 1923, and to amend Section 1178 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida as amended by Chapter 8413, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, as amended by Chapter 9119, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, relating to the establishment of the Everglades Drainage District and creating the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District, and defining its duties and powers, etc.

Which amendment is as follows:

Under the section on page 21 of "Exemptions," and in line 4, strike out the figure "10" and insert in lieu thereof the following "6".

And respectfully requests the Senate to recede therefrom.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS.

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And the foregoing message was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the Senate do recede from its amendment to House Bill No. 378.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1253:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of W. C. Russell, Charles Bemenderfer and E. W. Vickers, members of the Board of Bond Trustees, St. Lucie County, \$550,000 public highway bonds.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 2153, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1253 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1253, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1253 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1253, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 1308:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of High Springs, Alachua County, Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of High Springs, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges.

Also—

House Bill No. 1430:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Tampa, Florida, and to prescribe the liability of said annexed territory for existing bonded indebtedness.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
 B. A. MEGINNISS,
 Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1308, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Colson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1308 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1308, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Colson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1308 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1308, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1430, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 125:

A bill to be entitled An Act imposing certain license and privileges taxes, providing for the payment thereof, and prescribing penalties for doing business without a license, or other failure to comply with the provisions thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1300:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Daytona, in Volusia County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of Daytona, in Volusia County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said city of Daytona and official acts thereunder and to adopt the same as the ordinances of the said City of Daytona; and to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 125, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second reading without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1300, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the Senate was received and read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill 1451:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize counties of not less than ten thousand and not more than ten thousand one hundred fifty population, according to the census taken by the State of Florida in the year 1925, to improve highways upon petition and to pay the cost thereof by special assessment in whole or in part and to issue bonds and levy taxes.

Also—

House Bill No. 1452:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of Counties having a population of more than one hundred thousand and not more than one hundred and twenty thousand inhabitants.

Also—

House Bill No. 1453:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 30 of Chapter 7659, Laws of Florida, approved May 30th, 1917, entitled "An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville, abolishing certain offices and boards, creat-

ing a City Commission, and prescribing its powers and duties; providing for and prescribing the powers and duties of the trustees of the Jacksonville Free Public Library; creating a Board of Charities and prescribing its powers and duties and its relation to the Board of County Commissioners; providing other officers and prescribing their powers and duties; and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said city," as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 9783 of the Laws of Florida passed by the Legislature of Florida at the General Session thereof in A. D. 1923, entitled "An Act supplemental to and amendatory of Chapter 7659 of the Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville; abolishing certain offices and board, creating a City Commission, and prescribing its powers and duties; providing for and prescribing the powers and duties of the trustees of the Jacksonville Free Public Library; creating a Board of Charities and prescribing its powers and duties, and its relation to the Board of County Commissioners; providing other officers and prescribing "their powers and duties and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said board. Approved May 30th, 1917."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
 B. A. MEGINNISS,
 Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1451, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1451 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1451, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1451 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1451, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale,

Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1452, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1452 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1452, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1452 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1452, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1453, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1458:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the use of stop nets and prescribing the size of seines, gill nets, etc., to be used in the waters of the counties of Lee and Collier, and providing penalty for the violation hereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1459:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the organization of Special Road and Bridge District Number 9, of Brevard County, Florida, into a special road and bridge district; to legalize and validate the issuance and sale of negotiable time warrants against said Special Road and Bridge District Number 9, of Brevard County, Florida, in the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars; to amend Section Three, Chapter 9387, Special Acts of the Legislature of Florida, 1923.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1458, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1458 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1458, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1458 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1458, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1459, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1459 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1459, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1459 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1459, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1454:

A bill to be entitled An Act to organize and establish a County Court in and for Orange County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof; to prescribe its jurisdiction and power, and prescribing the fees and salary of the judge of said court; the transfer of causes from other courts and matters pertaining thereto.

Also—

House Bill No. 1455:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend House Bill No. 958, Acts of 1925, relative to the incorporation of the Town of Charlotte Harbor, in Charlotte County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1456:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the sale of bonds by all official boards, of Lake County, for a sum less than ninety-five cents on the dollar of the principal amount of such bonds, and in addition thereto, all accrued interest thereon to date of delivery to purchaser, and providing for notice of such sale, and terms thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1457:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County to appropriate out of the general county funds of said county, monies for the purpose of law enforcement; and to provide for levying a tax for this purpose.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1454, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1454 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House bill No. 1454, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1454 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House bill No. 1454, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1455, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1455 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1455, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1455 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1455, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith.

Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1456, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1456 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1456, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1456 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1456, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1457, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1460:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant to the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida the title and ownership in and to that certain Grass Island and the Shallows surrounding same located in the south half of Section Twenty-seven, Township Twenty-five south, Range Twenty-nine east, Tallahassee meridian, and granting to them the right to sell the same.

Also—

House Bill No. 1461:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, validate and confirm all acts and deeds done by the Town of Indian Beach in Sarasota County, Florida, through its various municipal officers, and to ratify all tax assessments, rolls and elections of town officers, whether regular or special elections.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1460, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1460 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1460, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1460 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1460, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1461, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1461 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1461, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1461 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1461, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was.

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with an amendment —

Senate Bill No. 69:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require the teaching of the Constitution of the United States, including the study of and devotion to American institutions and ideals in all the public high schools, universities and colleges, of this State. Requiring that all applicants for teachers' certificate shall also pass a satisfactory examination thereon and show loyalty thereto, and providing a penalty for the wilful violation hereof.

Which amendment is as follows:

In Section 1, line 1, strike out: "1923", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "1925."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 69, together with the amendment of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Colson moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with an amendment—

Committee Substitute Bill for—
Senate Bill No. 173:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the commissions to be received by county assessors and collectors of taxes in counties having a total assessed valuation of real estate and personal property not exceeding five and one-half million dollars.

Which amendment is as follows:

Strike out the words "five and one-half million" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "five million".

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 173, together with the amendment of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Phillips moved that the Senate do concur to House amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 173, as amended by the House of Representatives, which amendment was concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

Mr. Hale moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1438 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1438:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the taking of fish

from the fresh waters of Hernando County, Florida; providing a license fee for non-residents thereof; providing for the violation thereof and providing for the enforcement thereof.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1438 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1438, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be further waived so that House Bill No. 1438 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1438, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Etheredge moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 710 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 710:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Sarasota, Florida, by resolution, to issue negotiable interest-bearing bonds, bearing not to exceed six per cent (6%) interest per annum, payable semi-annually, in such form, date of maturity and time and place or places of payments as the said Board of County Commissioners may adopt, up to \$500,000.00, the proceeds of which to be used for the construction of a court house for Sarasota County, Florida, and for furnishing fixtures for said building, and for paving and work incidental to the preparation of the grounds and streets around said building, and to create a sinking

and for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds, and to provide for the sale and retirement of same.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 710 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 710, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 710 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 710, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Hale moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 56 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 56:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1 and 12 of Chapter 9120 of the Laws of Florida, approved May 30, 1923, entitled "An Act imposing license taxes upon gasoline or other like products of petroleum; providing for reports of sale of such commodities to the Comptroller of the State of Florida; providing for the disposition of the monies derived from such tax and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act and to repeal all laws in conflict with this Act."

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 56 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 56, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 56 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 56, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Clakins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Smith, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Wicker—23.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Hodges, Overstreet, Swearingen, Watson—5.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1428 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1428:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of Counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than one hundred thirty thousand (130,000) according to the 1925 State census of the State of Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1428 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1428, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1428 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1428, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1457 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1457:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, to appropriate out of the General County Funds of said county monies for the purpose of law enforcement; and to provide for levying a tax for this purpose.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1457 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1457, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1457 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1457, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Taylor (11th Dist.), moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1430 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1430:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the city of Tampa, Florida, and to prescribe the liability of said annexed territory for existing bonded indebtedness, and to repeal Chapter 9088, Acts of 1921, being an Act to incorporate the Town of Sulphur Springs Park, located within the territory to be annexed, and to abolish the said municipality of Sulphur Springs Park.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Taylor (11th Dist.), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1430 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1430, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (11th Dist.), moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1430 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1430, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Taylor (11th District) moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1441 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1441:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County to employ a purchasing agent, to purchase subject to the jurisdiction of said Board, all materials, machinery, and supplies of any character whatsoever, to be used by said County and to fix his salary.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Taylor (11th District), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1441 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1441, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (11th District), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1441 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1441, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Taylor (11th Dist.) moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 106 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 106:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the commitment, care, custody, treatment and place of detention of persons addicted to the excessive use of morphine, cocaine, or any other narcotic drug, and to make an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate and read the second time in full.

Mr. Taylor (11th Dist.), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 106 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 106, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Messrs. Clark, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson, Wicker—22.

Nays—Messrs. Anderson, Coe, Hineley, Hodges—4.

So the Bill passed, title as stated:

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Colson moved to extend the time for recess to 1:15 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

The following conference committee on part of the Senate on Senate Bill No. 219 was handed down by the President; to act with a similar committee appointed by the House of Representatives, to-wit: Senators Swearingen, Gillis and Coe.

The recess hour having arrived, the Senate took a recess at 1:11 o'clock P. M. to 3:30 o'clock P. M. today.

AFTERNOON SESSION—3 O'CLOCK.

The Senate convened at 3 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

A quorum present.

Mr. Anderson moved to waive the rules and that the Senate do now proceed to consider messages from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 187:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the creation of mortgage liens upon agricultural, horticultural, or fruit crops, then planted, or to be planted, or growing, or to be thereafter planted, grown or raised.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 242:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 2280 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida in relation to the qualifications for professional engineers to obtain a license to practice profession of civil engineering.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 187 and 242, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

*Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 301:

A bill to be entitled An Act to appropriate the sum of \$25,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of paying one-half the cost of paving the street leading from the Florida State Hospital for the Indigent Insane at River Junction, Florida, to the railroad station in said town.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 301, contained in the foregoing message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

*Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

Senate Bill No. 649:

A bill to be entitled An Act to appropriate under certain conditions the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of pay-

one-half the cost of paving the road leading from the City of Marianna, Florida, to the Florida Industrial School for Boys, located near said city.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 305:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require copies of indictments or information to be filed in the office of the Commissioner of Agriculture, at Tallahassee, Florida, and to be transmitted to the Commissioner of Agriculture by the Clerks of the several Courts of this State when commitments are transmitted.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 649 and 305, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendments—

Senate Bill No. 611:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the positions of State Supervisor of High Schools and State Supervisor of Elementary Schools; prescribing qualifications and duties of those holding said positions; fixing the salaries of the same and making an appropriation therefor together with an appropriation for the traveling expenses; and to repeal Sections 539 and 540 of the General Statutes relating

to the appointment, duties and compensation of rural school inspectors.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

Strike out Section 6.

Amendment No. 2:

Strike out, in the title of the bill, the following: "and to repeal Sections 539 and 540 of the General Statutes relating to the appointment, duties and compensation of rural school inspectors."

Amendment No. 3:

In Section 2, line 4, strike out the words: "buildings grounds".

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 611, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Colson moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Colson moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Colson moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 3, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 611, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills to be certified to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendments—

Senate Bill No. 125:

A bill to be entitled An Act to give to Common Carriers a lien upon goods transported by them, or held for delivery or in storage on demurrage by them; and providing for the enforcement of such lien by sale; and for the sale of perishable property and live stock in certain cases; and repealing Section 4533 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to demand for freight, when prohibited.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In the title of the bill strike out the following words, "And repealing Section 4533 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to demand for freight, when prohibited."

Amendment No. 2:

Strike out Section ten and renumber the sections which follow accordingly.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 125, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Malone moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Malone moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 125, as amended by the House of

Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 189:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a special pension to Mrs. Kate Lightfoot, of Suwannee County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 246:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing a limitation of time after which a person may not claim or recover lands as heir or devisee of a deceased person after the record of a deed or deeds, made by one or more heirs or devisees of such decedent, purporting to convey such lands.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 252:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define the grades of instruction to be taught in the uniform public schools of Florida, and to repeal Sections 530, 531, 532, 533, 534 and 535, Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 491:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2398, 2401, 2405 and 2406, relating to commercial fertilizers.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 189, 246, 252 and 491, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with an amendment—

Senate Bill No. 451:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing a chair of Americanism at the University of Florida.

Which amendment is as follows:

After the word: "Americanism" wherever it occurs in the title or body of the bill insert the words: "and Southern History".

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 451, together with the amendment of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Edge moved that the Senate do concur to House amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 451, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed bills, to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—
The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has indefinitely postponed—

Senate Bill No. 535:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Eliza Miller, of Walton County, Florida.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNIS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Also—
The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with an amendment—

Senate Bill No. 38:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make recitals in decrees, judgments, deeds of conveyances and powers of attorney prima facie evidence of the facts so recited when such decree, judgment, deed of conveyance or power of attorney has been recorded more than twenty years; and to prescribe the conditions under which such recitals shall be received in evidence.

Which amendment is as follows:

Add to Section One: "Provided that nothing in this Act shall render admissible in evidence any instrument of writing based on any judgment, deed of conveyance or power of attorney included in this Act where any such instrument of writing has heretofore been brought in question in any action at law or in equity in any suit now pending or heretofore decided.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 38, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Clark moved that the Senate do concur to House amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 38, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 995:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the State Treasurer to pay the State's proportion of the cost of construct-

ing sidewalks and paving streets adjacent to its property in the City of Tallahassee, and making an appropriation for the purpose.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 995, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference, under the rule.

Mr. Edge moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 729 for consideration.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Clark, Colson, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hineley, Knight, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Turnbull, Wicker—14.

Nays—Messrs. Calkins, Coe, Cone, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Russell, Scales, Smith, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Walker, Watson—14.

So the motion to take up the bill did not prevail.

Mr. Malone moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1319 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1319:

A bill to be entitled An Act vesting in the trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida the title to certain lands in Hendry County, Florida, which are submerged or partially submerged beneath the waters of Lake Okechobee, and authorizing and empowering said Trustees to sell and convey said lands in the manner and upon the terms and condition provided in Chapter 7681, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, and providing for the disposition of moneys arising and resulting from the sale of said lands.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1319 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1319, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1319 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1319, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Etheredge, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Wicker—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Phillips moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 110 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 110:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a board for the examination and licensing of persons practicing podiatry within the State of Florida; to define its duties and powers; to regulate the issuance of licenses to practice podiatry; to define what is podiatry; to fix fees for licenses issued by said board; to provide for the revocation of licenses and to prescribe penalties for the violation of this Act.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Phillips moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 110 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 110, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Coe moved that the bill be placed back on second reading for amendment.

Pending the consideration of amending the bill—

Mr. Phillips moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 110 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 110; with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Calkins, Clark, Hodges, Malone, Phillips, Russell, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.)—9.

Nays—Messrs. Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge; Etheredge, Gillis, Hineley, Knight, McDaniels, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Wicker—16.

So the bill failed to pass.

Mr. Colson moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 210 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote:

And—

House Bill No. 210:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the appointment of an Educational Survey Commission of the State of Florida; to define its powers and duties; to make an appropriation for the expense of such Commission, its servants and employees, and to prohibit interference with the work of such Commission.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Colson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 210 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 210, with title above stated, was read the second time in full.

Mr. Colson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 210 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 210, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Coe, Colson, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Watson, Wicker—22.

Nays—Messrs. Clark, Cone, Phillips, Turner—4.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Russell moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 125 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 125:

A bill to be entitled An Act imposing certain license and privilege taxes, providing for the payment thereof, and prescribing penalties for doing business without a license, or other failure to comply with the provisions thereof.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, and read the second time in full.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 125 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 125; with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

By unanimous consent, the bill was temporarily passed.

The following communications from the Governor were read:

State of Florida, Executive Department,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

*Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.
Capitol.*

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved the following Act which originated in your Honorable Body and have caused the same to be filed in the office of Secretary of State:

Senate Bill No. 433:

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Coconut Grove, Dade County, Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Coconut Grove, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges.

Very respectfully,

JOHN W. MARTIN,

Governor.

State of Florida, Executive Department.
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.
Capitol.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved the following Act, which originated in your Honorable Body, and have caused the same to be filed in the office of Secretary of State:

(Senate Bill No. 564):

An Act validating, approving, legalizing and confirming bonds in the sum of \$250,000.00 of Winter Haven Special Tax School District Number Three (3), a legally constituted and existing district of Polk County, Florida; validating, approving, legalizing and confirming election held April 21st, 1925, and all proceedings taken in connection therewith, and declaring said bonds, when delivered and paid for, to be valid, binding and direct obligations of said district and authorizing the levy of sufficient tax to pay same, with interest thereon.

(Senate Bill No. 567):

An Act validating, approving, legalizing and confirming bonds in the sum of \$77,000.00 of Auburndale Special Tax School District Number Six (6), a legally constituted and existing district of Polk County, Florida; validating, approving, legalizing and confirming election held April 21st, 1925, and all proceedings taken in connection therewith, and declaring said bonds, when delivered and paid for, to be valid, binding and direct obligations of said district and authorizing the levy of sufficient tax to pay same, with interest thereon.

(Senate Bill No. 568):

An Act validating, approving, legalizing and confirming bonds in the sum of \$160,000.00 of Lake Wales Special Tax School District Number Fifty-three (53), a legally constituted and existing district of Polk County, Florida; validating, approving, legalizing and confirming election held May 19th, 1925, and all proceedings taken in connection therewith, and declaring said bonds, when delivered and paid for, to be valid, binding and direct obligations of said district and authorizing the levy of sufficient tax to pay same, with interest thereon.

tion therewith, and declaring said bonds, when delivered and paid for, to be valid, binding and direct obligations of said district and authorizing the levy of sufficient tax to pay same, with interest thereon.

(Senate Bill No. 570) :

An Act validating, approving, legalizing and confirming bonds in the sum of \$100,000.00 of Special Tax School District Number Four (4), a legally constituted and existing district of Polk County, Florida; validating, approving, legalizing and confirming election held April 21st, 1925, and all proceedings taken in connection therewith, and declaring said bonds, when delivered and paid for, to be valid, binding and direct obligations of said district, and authorizing the levy of sufficient tax to pay same, with interest thereon.

(Senate Bill No. 571) :

An Act validating, approving, legalizing and confirming bonds in the sum of \$80,000.00 of Special Tax School District Number Forty-six (46), a legally constituted and existing district of Polk County, Florida; validating, approving, legalizing and confirming election held April 21st, 1925, and all proceedings taken in connection therewith, and declaring said bonds, when delivered and paid for, to be valid, binding and direct obligations of said district, and authorizing the levy of sufficient tax to pay same, with interest thereon.

(Senate Bill No. 627) :

An Act amending Section 5 of An Act entitled "An Act authorizing and empowering Volusia County, Florida, to purchase the Coronado Bridge across the Indian River North, formerly the Hillsborough River, in Volusia County, Florida; authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest-bearing time warrants of said county for such purpose, and also to repair, improve, rebuild and maintain said bridge, and construct and hard-surface an earthen embankment from Canal street, in New Smyrna, to the west approach of said bridge, including construction of timber trestle bridges where deemed necessary; and authorizing and empowering the said Board of County Commissioners of said county to fix and collect

tolls and charges thereon," approved by the Governor on May 8th, A. D. 1925.

(Senate Bill No. 629):

An Act to validate, approve and confirm all of the acts and proceedings had in the matter of the incorporation of the Town of Edgewater, Volusia County, Florida, and to ratify and confirm the same.

Very respectfully,

JOHN W. MARTIN, Governor.

Mr. Scales moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 95 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 95:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a State Advertising Board, defining its powers and duties, making appropriations for the advertising of Florida as a State by said Board, and providing for the necessary expenses of said Board in relation thereto.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, and read the second time.

Mr. Phillips offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 95:

Strike out the figures "\$200,000" wherever they appear and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$50,000."

Mr. Phillips moved the adoption of the amendment.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Gillis, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Swearingen, Wicker—12.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Hineley, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Putnam, Scales, Smith, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson—17.

So the amendment was not agreed to.

Mr. Phillips offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 95:

At end of title add the following:

Provided that this advertising shall be equally distributed among the several counties of the State.

Mr. Phillips moved the adoption of the amendment.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded:

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Hale, Hodges, McDaniels, Phillips, Singletary, Walker, Wicker—11.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hineley, Knight, Malone, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—19.

So the amendment was not agreed to.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 95, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Hale, Hineley, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Putnam, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—18.

Nays—Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Gillis, Hodges, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Walker, Wicker—13.

And Senate Bill No. 95, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Pending the passage of the bill—

Mr. Malone moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Which was agreed to.

And the doors of the Senate chamber were closed at 6:00 o'clock P. M.

The doors of the Senate Chamber were reopened at 7:04 o'clock P. M.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Mr. Anderson, Senate chairman of the conference committee on differences existing on House Bill No. 721, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.
Hon. A. Y. Milam,
Speaker of House.

Gentlemen:

The Committee of Conference on the disagreeing votes of the town Houses, on the amendment of the Senate to House Bill No. 721:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require any person, firm, or corporation engaged in the business of mining any mineral or subterranean product, to provide necessary places of deposit for the waste and debris of mine or mines operated by such person, firm, or corporation, and to make it unlawful for any such person, firm, or corporation to permit or allow the escape of waste and debris from any mine or mines operated by such person, firm or corporation into the streams and rivers of this State, and to provide the penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act:

Having met and after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend, and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate striking Section 4 of said Act and agreed to the same.

Respectfully submitted,

S. W. ANDERSON,
Chairman of Senate Committee.

W. D. BELL,
Chairman of House Committee.

On motion of Mr. Gillis, the following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to ask the Senate to return to the House of Representatives—
Senate Bill No. 535:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Eliza Miller, of Walton County, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

Mr. Gillis moved that the request of the House of Representatives be granted.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

By permission—

Mr. Taylor (11th Dist.) introduced—

Senate Bill No. 731:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal an Act providing a supplemental, additional and alternative method of making local improvements for the Town of Belleair, a municipal corporation, authorizing and providing for special assessments for the cost thereof, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds for such municipality.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 731 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 731, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 731 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 731, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

The following communication from the Governor was received:

State of Florida, Executive Department,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.
Capitol.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have approved the following Act which originated in your Honorable Body and have caused the same to be filed in the office of Secretary of State:

(Senate Bill No. 669):

An Act authorizing Levy County, Florida, to issue bonds in the sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing and repairing highways.

Very respectfully,

JOHN W. MARTIN, Governor.

By permission—

Mr. Phillips, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments) after third reading—

Committee Substitute for—

Senate Bill No. 173:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the commissions to be received by County Assessors and Collectors of Taxes in counties having a total assessed valuation of real and personal property not exceeding five million dollars.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 69, with amendments, after third reading:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require the teaching of the Constitution of the United States, including the study of and devotion to American institutions and ideals in all the public high schools, universities and colleges of this State; requiring that all applicants for teachers' certificates shall also pass a satisfactory examination thereon and show loyalty thereto, and providing a penalty for the wilful violation thereof.

Have carefully examined the same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

W. W. PHILLIPS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 69 and 173, contained in the above report, were ordered to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

REPORT OF ENROLLING COMMITTEE

Mr. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 552):

An Act to give legal effect to certain instruments of writing purporting to give a power of attorney to convey or purporting to convey real estate but lacking in certain formalities required by law when executed, where such instrument or instruments has been spread upon the deed records of the county wherein the land then situated for a period of ten years or more before the passage of this Act, and authorizing the introduction and use in evidence in any and all Courts in this State of certified copies of such instrument or the record thereof so filed or recorded.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 702):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Town Commissioners of the Town of DeSoto City, Highlands County, Florida, by ordinance to issue and sell negotiable interest-bearing bonds, bearing six per cent (6%) interest per annum, payable semi-annually, in such form, date of maturity and time and place or places of payment as the said Board of Town Commissioners may adopt, in the sum of \$50,000.00, the proceeds of which to be used for general municipal improvements; and have levy, assessment and collection of taxes to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds; and to provide for the sale and retirement of same; to name the depository for moneys derived from sale of said bonds and from taxes for a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 688):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Gulf County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon time warrants in the sum of forty thousand (\$40,000).

00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be required to procure funds to pay the current expenses of conducting the county government until such time as funds from tax collections are available for such purposes. To authorize the sale of such time warrants and to provide the manner in which the same shall be paid off.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 518):

An Act to legalize, validate and confirm all proceedings had and done in the calling and holding of an election in Special Tax School District No. 28 of Jackson County, Florida, on May 12, 1925, and legalizing, validating and confirming an issue of bonds of \$40,000.00 in pursuance of said election and authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of Jackson County, Florida, to issue said bonds and requiring a tax levy to pay the principal and interest of said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 667):

An Act to extend and enlarge the powers and authority of the City of Gainesville; to amend Section 2 of Chapter 5806, Laws of the State of Florida of A. D., 1907, entitled An Act amending Sections 1, 2, 4, 8, 10, of An Act entitled An Act extending and enlarging the territorial limits and the powers of the City of Gainesville, a municipal corporation organized and existing in Alachua County, Florida, and providing for the exercise of these powers, the same being Chapter 5497, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1905; to amend Section 1 of Chapter 7651, Laws of the State of Florida of A. D., 1917, entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 6692 of the Laws of the State of Florida, entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Gainesville, and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said City, and creating certain offices; to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 6692, Laws of the State of Florida of A. D., 1913, entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Gainesville and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said city, and creating certain offices; to repeal Chapter 6693, Laws of the State of Florida of A. D., 1913, entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Gainesville and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said City, and creating certain offices; to authorize the

said City to erect, construct, maintain and operate a hospital therein; to prescribe the terms of office of the aldermen of said City, and to provide for the manner of their election; to provide that the offices of tax assessor, tax collector, city clerk and city treasurer may be held by one and the same person, and to authorize such combined offices to be designated as may be desired, and to determine who shall be authorized to drive motor vehicles within the territorial limits thereof and to license therefor.

Also—

(Substitute for Senate Bill No. 416):

An Act providing for the creation of Gulf County in the State of Florida, and for the organization and government thereof, and defining the boundaries thereof, and providing for referendum.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 634):

An Act providing for the sale and issuance of bonds in the sum of ten thousand dollars by the County of Hendry, State of Florida, for the purpose of improving grounds of court house and paving streets and sidewalks adjacent thereto; and to provide a system of waterworks and sewerage for said court house in said county, providing for a sinking fund with which to pay the principal and interest on said bonds as same matures, and specifying what interest said bonds are to bear, the form of said bonds and the date of maturity of same.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 590):

An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and to authorize the said City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, to enforce ordinances of said city.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 616):

An Act to amend Sections 2, 4, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 18, 19, 22, and 24 of Chapter 10,013, of the Laws of Flor-

ida, Acts of 1923, said Chapter 10,013 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, being an Act entitled "An Act to create, establish and constitute certain territory in Flagler and Volusia Counties, Florida, into a Special Taxing District, to be known and designated as the Ocean Shore Improvement District; providing for the building and construction of certain designated roads in said Ocean Shore Improvement District; prescribing the width of the right of way for said roads; prescribing the material of which said roads shall be built and constructed and the manner in which said roads shall be built, constructed and paid for; providing that one-half of the cost of constructing said roads shall be paid for by the issue and sale of bonds of said district and that the remaining one-half of such cost shall be paid by the owners of the property abutting on said roads to be built and constructed, providing that an election shall be held in said district on the tenth day of July, A. D. 1923, to determine whether four hundred fifty thousand (\$450,000.00) dollars of bonds of said district shall be issued and to elect a board of five bond trustees of said district; prescribing certain details in relation to said election and in relation to publishing notices of said election, and in relation to canvassing the results of said election and certifying the results thereof; prescribing the qualifications, terms of office, rights, powers, and duties of the Board of bond trustees of said district; providing the manner of filling vacancies in said board of bond trustees; providing that said board of bond trustees shall have charge of the issue and sale of the bonds and paving certificates provided for in said Act, and shall have charge of the construction of the roads provided for in said Act, and shall have the custody, control, and expenditure of the interest and sinking fund of said district and of the moneys derived from the sale of the bonds and paving certificates of said district; prescribing certain rights, powers, and duties of the Boards of County Commissioners of Flagler and Volusia Counties in relation to assessing, levying and equalizing the special taxes of said district and maintaining the roads of said district; providing for the levy, assessment and collection of a tax with which to pay the interest on the bonds of said District, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of said bonds at the maturity of the same; providing for the levy, assessment and collection of a tax not exceeding ten mills on the dollar for the repair and maintenance of the roads of said

district; providing for the assessment, levy and collection of one-half of the cost of constructing said roads excepting street intersections, against and from the owners of the property abutting on said roads to be constructed, and providing for the creation, establishment and certification of paving liens therefor and the issuance and sale of paving certificates evidencing such liens, and providing the manner of payment and enforcement of said paving liens and certificates, and providing certain other details in relation to said paving liens and certificates.' ”

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 621):

An Act to amend Chapter 8496, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, relating to and fixing the compensation of County Commissioners in certain counties.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 190):

An Act assenting to and accepting the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 11th, A. D. 1916, and all amendments thereto, the same being entitled “An Act to provide that the United States shall aid the States in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes,” and providing for the levy on all taxable property in this State to meet the same.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 655):

An Act providing a supplemental, additional and alternative method of making local improvements for the Town of Belleair, a municipal corporation, authorizing and providing for special assessments for the cost thereof, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds for such municipality.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 321):

An Act to amend Section 1569 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the bond of tax collectors.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 711):

An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 686) :

An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter —, Acts of the Legislature of 1925, being "An Act to legalize and validate the proceedings of the Town of Hastings, Florida, for the issuance and sale of twenty-five thousand dollars improvement bonds for the Town of Hastings, Florida, issue of 1925, and authorizing the issuance of said bonds, and the levy of taxes thereon."

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 618) :

An Act relating to that certain suit lately pending in the Circuit Court of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Palm Beach County and on the chancery side of said court, wherein Lake Worth Drainage District, a corporation under the general drainage laws of the State of Florida, is complainant, and Dr. L. C. Adams et al. are the defendants, being a suit brought by said Lake Worth Drainage District to foreclose liens for unpaid taxes due said district; authorizing, approving, validating and confirming all of the proceedings in said suit, the final decree entered therein, the report of the master therein, the sales made by said master and all certificates of sales issued by said master to purchasers, including those issued to the Board of Supervisors of the Lake Worth Drainage District for lands bid for by it in the name of said district and sold by the master to said district, at said sales.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 682) :

An Act to authorize and empower the City of Marianna, a municipal corporation, to acquire by gift, purchase, or otherwise lands and property, either within or without the limits of the City of Marianna, to be improved, developed and used for a municipal golf course, and other purposes incident thereto; and to empower the City of Marianna to issue bonds of the City of Marianna for the acquisition, improvement and maintenance of such golf course, and of a Club House or houses, as an incident thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 653) :

An Act to extend and enlarge the corporate limits of the City of Bartow; to prescribe the liability of property

within annexed territory for municipal taxation, and providing for an election to ratify this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 191):

An Act to amend Section 6182 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to extradition of fugitives from justice, so as to provide for the assessment and collection of a fee of five dollars for the issuance of extradition warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 637):

An Act to amend Section 2, of Article 11, and Section 1, of Article V, of Chapter 7192, of the Acts of the Legislature of 1915, the same being an Act to amend Chapter 5353 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of the Legislature, 1903, the same being entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Live Oak, in Suwannee County, Florida, and organize a city government for the same, and to provide its jurisdiction and powers; and amending Chapter 5821, of the Laws of Florida, Acts of the Legislature, 1907, and Chapter 6719, of the Laws of Florida, Acts of the Legislature, 1913, said last two Acts being amendatory of said Chapter 5353.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 685):

An Act to create certain territory in Walton County, Florida, into a special road and bridge district, and to authorize and validate the building and construction of certain roads, culverts and bridges therein, and to provide for the issuance of bonds to pay therefor, and for the levy of a tax to pay the interest on and to redeem said bonds, and for the appointment and election of a Board of Bond Trustees, and to invest said trustees with certain powers and duties, and to provide for the use and control of the general road and other funds collected within said territory for road purposes, and to provide for powers in said Board of Trustees to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 690):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, Florida, to purchase, receive, and

to hold title to lands for Park and parkway purposes, and to maintain the same annually.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 689):

An Act providing that no part of the funds derived from the levy of taxes by the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, for road and bridge purposes in said county shall be turned over to the incorporated cities and towns in said county.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 274):

An Act relating to the protection of property of the State Institutions of the State of Florida, and belonging to the State Board of Control or to the State Plant Board of said State of Florida, from vandalism and other acts and injuries to said property and also relating to the protection of soil, muck, clay, rock, minerals, timber and other natural resources or property and also relating to the protection of game, song birds or other birds and wild animals and relating to the taking of fish from the said property and on the said property of said Board of Control and State Plant Board and under the jurisdiction of the State Institutions of Learning of the State of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 684):

An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all of the Acts and proceedings taken, done or had by the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, Florida, relating to creation and organization of Special road and bridge district No. 11, Pinellas County, Florida, and the issuance and sale of one million dollars of bonds of said district.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 658):

An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Key West to issue certain municipal bonds and to either contract for or perform under the direction of the City Council, certain work and fixing the maximum interest rate for said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 694):

An Act to prohibit the killing of any deer in Calhoun County, Florida, within a period of five years from the passage of this Act, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 699):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to employ a plant pathologist to study and experiment in eradicating insect pests, diseases and other agencies affecting the production of tobacco and to pay him out of the General County Fund of said County.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 650):

An Act to authorize the construction, maintenance and operation of Boulevard with park-way in the center and drive-ways on each side of said park-way and bridges used in connection therewith between a point on South Atlantic Coastal Highway at or near Broward and the Talbot Islands in the County of Duval in the State of Florida; regulating the use and operation thereof; granting the right of eminent domain; and prescribing the use thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 709):

An Act extending the riparian rights of land owners abutting on inland lakes in counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than sixty-three (63,000) thousand and not more than sixty-four (64,000) thousand inhabitants according to the State census of 1925, constituting a part of legally established drainage districts and drainage districts to be established hereafter.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 712):

An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of Counties having a population of 5,321 inhabitants and over, and less than 5,625 inhabitants, according to the last Federal census.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 510):

An Act to grant certain lands, submerged and partly submerged, in Biscayne Bay, east of the City of Miami, Florida, to the City of Miami, in Dade County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 713):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County to levy not more than two (2) mills on the dollar on all taxable property in said county during the years 1925 and 1926 for the purpose of advertising the resources of Hernando County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 707):

An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Orange County to use the proceeds of county bonds which were voted and sold for the enlargement of the court house of Orange County, for other court house purposes.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Also the following:

Mr. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 1399):

An Act authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Okeechobee County, Florida, by resolution, to use certain moneys owing to the county of Okeechobee by the State Road Department, in the construction of that portion of State Road No. 29, being and lying in Okeechobee County, or by resolution authorizing said County Commissioners to authorize the State Road Department aforesaid, to use such moneys in the construction of said road.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1406):

An Act to prohibit the placing of advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to regulate the placing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of Pinellas County, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1202):

An Act declaring portions of the Beach of the Atlantic Ocean, within the confines of Duval County, Florida, to be a public highway, but subject to the paramount right of the public to use same for bathing and recreation, and as such highway placing the supervision and control thereof with the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1355):

An Act to protect fish in the rivers, creeks, canals and inside waters of Indian River County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1382):

An Act to authorize the Town of Howey to levy and collect a special tax for publicity purposes, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1385):

An Act to validate, legalize and confirm an election held and bonds to be issued pursuant thereto in Special Tax School District No. 1, of Citrus County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1324):

An Act remitting under certain circumstances the penalties which have accrued or hereafter to accrue prior to January 1st, 1926, on the delinquent drainage taxes due to the Bimini Drainage District in Flagler County, Florida, levied for the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924, and providing that the Board of Supervisors of said Bimini Drainage District shall be authorized to remit to any taxpayer under certain circumstances any penalty heretofore paid on delinquent drainage taxes of said district levied for the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924, upon the application of tax payers who have paid such penalties.

Also—

(House Bill No. 447):

An Act providing for the formation, operation and management of mosquito control districts in the State of Florida; providing for the financing by bonding and for the disbursement of such finances; providing for the election of five Commissioners for each Mosquito Control District and naming their powers and duties; also naming the powers and duties of Board of County Commissioners and prosecuting officers.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1257):

An Act creating, organizing and incorporating a special taxing district in Brevard County, and St. Lucie County, Florida, to be known and designated as Fellsmere Cross State Road District; prescribing the boundaries thereof; providing for the government

and administration of said district; defining the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof; to authorize said board to construct, improve and maintain a road across the St. Johns marsh; to provide for the acquiring of property or condemnation thereof for district purposes; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes for district purposes; to authorize future levies and assessments; to authorize said board to borrow money and issue and sell bonds, to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to prevent injury to works constructed under this Act and to provide penalties therefor; to provide for the holding of elections for issues of bonds in amount not to exceed four hundred thousand (\$400,000.00) dollars; to provide for continuity of district in event of change of county organization and generally to provide for the construction, maintenance and improvement of said road and said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 168):

An Act to amend Chapter 7312 of the Laws of Florida, 1917, and the title thereto, the same being "An Act to amend Chapter 6944 of the Laws of Florida, 1915, and the title thereto, the same being an Act entitled 'An Act to provide for the examination, licensing and registration of persons engaged or engaging in the business or work of installing plumbing or house drainage, and the supervision and inspection of plumbing and house drainage in cities and towns of this State, having a population of 10,000 inhabitants or more, according to the Federal census of 1910, or any subsequent Federal census, and parts of counties in this State, and imposing penalties for the violation of this Act.'"

Also—

(House Bill No. 987):

An Act granting a pension to William Frost Mobley, of Seminole County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1401):

An Act prohibiting the hunting and killing of deer and wild turkey in Flagler County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1365):

An Act to establish the municipality of the Town of Cocoa Beach, fix its territorial limits, provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the part of the Senate.

The bills, contained in the above report, were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Also the following:

Mr. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 1326):

An Act to legalize and validate the creation and bonds of Special Road and Bridge District No. 3 in St. Lucie County, Florida, and all acts and proceedings in relation thereto.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1303):

An Act to legalize and validate all acts and proceedings

had and done, calling and holding an election in the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and authorizing and validating issuance and sale of bonds by the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, in the sum of \$24,000.00 pursuant thereto.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1219):

An Act to prescribe a closed season on game and to regulate the catching or taking of fresh water fish in Manatee County, Florida, and providing that the violation of this Act shall be deemed a misdemeanor punishable under the general law.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1327):

An Act to enable the City of Palmetto, in Manatee County, Florida, to establish building and improvement districts and regulate the construction, re-construction, alteration, repair and use of buildings within such district, to create a City Planning Commission and to confer power upon such commission to adopt plans, surveys, layouts and designs for civic improvement, and establish restricted building and improvement district within the city, and to make reasonable rules and regulations for the exercise and carrying out of such powers; to empower the City Council to pass all ordinances and resolutions necessary or incidental to carrying out the provisions of this Act; to provide for the adjustment of compensation to property owners for any injury or damage they may sustain to their property in the administration of the powers of the City Council or of the powers of the Planning Commission under this Act; and to provide for review of the Planning Commission's Acts by the City Council, and to authorize the acts and doings of the Planning Commission and of the City Council to be reviewed by the courts at the instance of any aggrieved property owner.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1292):

An Act validating, confirming, approving and ratifying that certain franchise granted by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1924, for the construction and operation of a toll bridge across Matanzas Inlet in said

county, and the contract made and executed by the said board at the time of granting and in connection with said franchise, and all proceedings, resolutions, motions and other actions passed, had, enacted, adopted, made or executed by said board on February 12th, A. D. 1924, in relation to the granting of said franchise.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1181):

An Act to repeal the present charter and municipal government of the City of Fort Myers, in Lee County, and to grant a new charter for the "City of Fort Myers," created under this Act, to define its boundaries, jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities; to provide a commission-manager form of government, to confirm its title to all city property, including all riparian and foreshore rights, the title to all tide water and other lands and river bottoms heretofore granted by the State of Florida, or otherwise acquired, to validate all tax and other assessments and levies heretofore made, to preserve the validity and binding force of all debts, obligations and liabilities of the former City of Fort Myers, and to continue same as the debts and liabilities of the City of Fort Myers created by this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1207):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, to levy and collect a special tax not to exceed one mill to be used exclusively for advertising Marion County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1261):

An Act to change the official name of the municipality of the Town of Eustis to the City of Eustis.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1193):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Counties having a population of not less than one hundred and thirty thousand (130,000), according to the last preceding census, whether same shall have been taken by the United States of America or the State of Florida, to enter into a contract with any attorney or attorneys at law resident in that county for the collection of delinquent

taxes on personal property by suit or otherwise, and providing that suit may be brought in the name of the State of Florida for the collection of said taxes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 950):

An Act to amend Sections 1444 and 1445 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to pensions.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1086):

An Act providing a closed season for deer, bear and wild turkey in that portion of Marion County east of the Ocklawaha river.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1252):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Union County, Florida, to determine the amount and have assessed a millage for advertising purposes and providing for the collection of same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1234):

An Act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm all acts and resolutions made, executed, done, passed and held and performed by the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Hamilton, State of Florida, connected with and relating to the calling, holding, canvassing and declaring the result of that certain election had and held in the Town of Jasper and at Bakers Mill in the Ninth District and at Marion Station in the Fifth District, all in Hamilton County, Florida, on August 4th, 1924, to determine whether or not certain territory asked for in a petition be created into a special tax school district and to determine the millage to be assessed for school purposes in such district, and to validate, ratify, and confirm the legality of said election.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1265):

An Act to provide for the payment of salaries of guards and captain or warden of convicts in Putnam County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1228):

An Act regulating the fishing in Liberty County, Florida, prescribing a closed season and prescribing licenses for fishing.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1262):

An Act to amend the provision of Section 4, Article 13 of Chapter 6683, Special Acts of the Legislature of Florida for its session of 1913, with reference to the sale of bonds of the Town of Eustis, in Lake County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1233):

An Act ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing all acts and proceedings of the Trustees of Special Tax School District No. (3) Three of Hamilton County, Florida, and the Board of Public Instruction of Hamilton County, Florida, relative to the issuance by the trustees of said special tax school district and the endorsement and guaranty of the Board of Public Instruction of Hamilton County, Florida, of \$40,000.00 interest-bearing time warrants and to ratify, confirm, validate and legalize said interest-bearing time warrants issued as aforesaid on the 18th day of May, 1925.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1248):

An Act to amend Sections 59 and 87, Chapter 8941, Acts of 1921, Laws of Florida, the same being An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Delray, Palm Beach County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of Delray, Palm Beach County, Florida; and to fix and provide its territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1338):

An Act prohibiting the catching and taking of food fish from the fresh waters of Lafayette County, Florida, by means of dynamite, lime or other poisonous substance or matter, or by the use of any net, seine, basket, box, trap or other mesh or slat device, and prohibiting the deposit-

ing of any dynamite, lime or other poisonous substance or matter in said fresh waters and excepting owners of bodies of fresh water from the provisions hereof; and providing that the violation of this Act shall be a misdemeanor and providing punishment for the violation of the provisions of this Act.

Also—

Committee Substitute for—
(House Bill No. 821):

An Act to license and regulate the business of making loans in certain counties in sums of three hundred (\$300) dollars or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than ten per centum per annum; prescribing the rate of interest and charge therefor, and penalties for the violation thereof, and regulating the assignment of wages or salaries, earned or to be earned when given as security for any such loan

Also—

(House Memorial No. 12):

A Memorial to the Congress of the United States asking for the enactment of legislation providing for the surveying and construction of a cross State canal from the mouth of the Withlacoochee River near Dunnellon, Florida, and Crystal River, Florida, to the Atlantic Ocean.

(House Memorial No. 11):

A memorial to the Congress of the United States of America asking that the preliminary examination and survey be authorized from the Gulf of Mexico, via the Caloosahatchee River, to Lake Okeechobee and Lucie Canal to St. Lucie Inlet, on the Atlantic Coast, for the purpose of establishing the feasibility, national economy and practicality of a barge canal along the route indicated.

Also—

(House Bill No. 955):

An Act granting, confirming and vesting, and regulating the exercise of, the right of eminent domain in the condemnation of lands and property for State road purposes; confirming, vesting in and granting unto the State Road Department the power of eminent domain to condemn all necessary lands and property for securing rights of way for State roads and bridges in connection therewith and

for acquiring any material and property necessary and useful for State road building purposes; declaring the State Road Department to be a body corporate, for the purposes of this Act; granting unto the several counties of this State power and authority to furnish to the State Road Department lands necessary for rights of way for State road purposes, and the power of eminent domain to condemn said lands; regulating, defining and setting out the procedure to be followed in condemning lands and other property for State road purposes; and granting authority to proceed with State road or bridge construction pending condemnation under certain circumstances.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1255) :

An Act to amend An Act enacted at the regular session of the Florida Legislature of 1925, entitled "An Act to create North Tampa Special Road and Bridge District, in Hillsborough County, to fix the powers of the same and provide for the government and conduct thereof, and to provide for the issuance of bonds and the levy of taxes therein."

Also—

(House Bill No. 78) :

An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Caroline Blackwelder, widow of Wiley Blackwelder.

Also—

(House Bill No. 460) :

An Act for therelief of Mrs. M. M. May, of Alachua County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 875) :

An Act to place the name of Dosia Martin, of Holmes County, on the pension roll.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1132) :

An Act to prohibit the taking of food fish from the fresh water lakes and streams of Holmes County, Florida, with certain devices and to prescribe penalties for violation thereof; to provide for an open and closed season for tak-

ing food fish from the fresh water lakes and streams thereof, and to prescribe penalties for violation of this Act; to regulate and provide for the citizens of Holmes County, Florida, to fish therein; to provide for citizens of other counties of the State of Florida to procure licenses for the privileges of fishing therein, and to provide for non-residents of the State of Florida to procure licenses to fish in such fresh water lakes and streams in Holmes County, Florida, during the open season, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof, and to prescribe rules of evidence in relation to seizure of property taken in violation of this Act, and to provide the method of selecting and appointing a game warden for Holmes County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1039) :

An Act to amend Sections 5, 6, 11, 20, 21, 24, 48 and 60 of Chapter 8926, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of Clermont, County of Lake, State of Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Clermont, County of Lake, State of Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government; to provide for its jurisdiction; powers and privileges; to confer certain powers upon said municipality and the officers thereof, and to provide for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act; to validate, confirm and legalize certain bonds heretofore authorized by the Town of Clermont;" and to provide further and additional powers for said municipality.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Florida in Session assembled, That the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 1112):

An Act authorizing the City of Jacksonville, a municipal corporation in Duval County, Florida, to issue and sell certain bonds for the repairing, constructing and extension of sewers and drains in said city; to issue and sell certain bonds for the construction and repairing of incinerators and providing means for the disposal of garbage; to issue and sell bonds for paying the city's proportionate part of the cost of opening, grading, paving, repaving, improving or repairing streets under and in pursuance of Section 31, of Chapter 7659, of the Laws in pursuance of Section 23, of Chapter 7659, of the Laws of Florida, approved May 30th, 1917, and providing for the approval of said bonds at a special election or elections to be held for that purpose.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1137):

An Act to amend Sections Two and Six of Chapter 8871 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, same being entitled: "An Act repealing Chapter 7430, Laws of Florida, and Chapter 7964, Laws of Florida, and creating Napoleon P. Broward Drainage District in the Everglades Drainage District; defining its boundaries; prescribing its powers, privileges, duties and liabilities; naming the present board of Supervisors of said district, and providing for the appointment by the Governor of their successors; defining their term of office and prescribing their duties and powers and fixing their compensation; levying certain taxes upon the lands in said district and providing for the collection thereof and for the sale of lands for the non-payment thereof, and the issuing of sale of certificates and deeds pursuant to such sale; providing for the drainage and reclamation of the lands in said district and for protecting the same from overflow and damage by water and

authorizing the borrowing of money, and the issuance of notes, bonds and other evidences of indebtedness in order to better carry out the provisions of this Act; providing for the assumption and payment by the district of a certain outstanding indebtedness and the refund of certain amounts evidenced by certain tax receipts, redemption receipts and tax sale certificates; providing for the exercise of the right of eminent domain by the District and the acquisition of land and other property; empowering the district to enter into all contracts necessary for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act; providing for the cancellation of certain assessment for benefits and damages and judgments and decrees confirming the same; providing for the cancellation by the Circuit Courts of certain tax sale certificates and other orders applicable thereto; providing for the return of certain moneys in the hands of the Clerks of the Circuit Court deposited for the redemption of lands; providing that the Board of Supervisors shall have the right to sue and be sued; authorizing the trustees of the internal improvement fund of Florida to loan money to the District; and authorizing and empowering the Board of Supervisors to appoint certain Agents, employees and servants and to do and perform other acts necessary for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 702):

An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of Pinecastle, County of Orange and State of Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Pinecastle, County of Orange and State of Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government; to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges; to confer certain powers upon said municipality and the officers thereof; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes, and to provide for the carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1241):

An Act to amend the charter of the City of Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida, authorizing said city to

levy a special tax on real estate and personal property as a fund to be used for publicity purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 277):

An Act to validate the sale of bonds of the Town of Brooksville in the sum of \$48,000.00.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1229):

An Act to authorize the City of Eustis to exempt from taxation the property within the corporate limits known as the Lake County Country Club.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1288):

An Act to provide for the employment of one or more detectives in Orange County, Florida, by the State Attorney for the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit, or by the Solicitor of the Criminal Court of Record of said County; to provide funds to pay any such detective.

Also—

(House Bill No. 767):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of and for the County of Dade, State of Florida, to establish and maintain a county fund to be known and designated as the Road Equipment Fund to provide money for the purchase of road machinery of all kinds and for the repair thereof to be used on the public roads of said County, and to authorize and empower said Board of County Commissioners of Dade County, Florida, to raise moneys for said fund by taxation, by bond issue, by charges against bond funds and road funds for the use of such machinery on bond roads and other roads.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1272):

An Act amending Chapter 8796, Special Laws of the State of Florida, legislature of 1921, entitled "An Act regulating the taking of fish from the waters of Lake Worth in the County of Palm Beach, Florida."

Also—

(House Bill No. 1175):

An Act ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing the assessments, valuations of properties and levies of taxes by the City of Marianna, Jackson County, Florida, for the years 1923 and 1924, and authorizing the collection of said taxes in the manner provided by law.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1285):

An Act to confirm and validate an issue of two hundred and eight thousand dollars of bonds of the City of Wauchula, Florida, and to authorize and require the levy collection of a tax for the payment of said bonds and interest thereon.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1246):

An Act regulating the taking of fish from the fresh waters of Pasco County, Florida; providing a license fee for non-residents thereof; providing a penalty for the violation thereof and providing for the enforcements thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1249):

An Act adding certain territory to the Newhall Drainage District; defining the boundary line of the Newhall Drainage District; providing for an amended plan of reclamation; providing for the appointment of commissioners, prescribing their duties, and providing for the future operations and improvements of the Newhall Drainage District, including the land so added to the same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1067):

An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners in Counties which had a population of not less than fourteen thousand, one hundred (14,100) and not more than fourteen thousand, five hundred (14,500), according to the State census of 1925, and which has a total assessed valuation of six million, three hundred and sixteen thousand, four hundred and seventy-four (\$6,316,474.00) dollars, according to the 1924 assessment roll.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1221):

An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida to establish, construct and maintain industrial plants at the several State Institutions of the State of Florida under the control of said Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, and to make an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1064):

An Act to amend Section Five, Six, Seven and Section Eight, as amended by Chapter 6789, Laws of Florida, Act of 1913; Sections Nine, Ten and Thirteen of Chapter 6410 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1911, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Welaka, of the County of Putnam, State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a new municipality, to be known and designated as the Town of Welaka; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its jurisdiction, powers, and privileges, and for the exercise of same," and to validate all acts and ordinances of said municipality.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1157):

An Act to abolish the municipality known as the Town of Pinellas Park, in Pinellas County, Florida; to create and establish a municipality to be known as the Town of Pinellas Park, in Pinellas County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said former Town of Pinellas Park and official acts thereunder, and to adopt the same as the ordinances of said new Town of Pinellas Park; to regulate the bringing of suits against said town and providing for notice thereof, and to fix and prescribe the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said Town of Pinellas Park and jurisdiction and powers of its officers, and repeal Chapter 7225 of the Acts of 1915.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1118):

An Act to create and establish a municipality to be known as the City of Verna, in Manatee and Sarasota

Counties, Florida, and to fix and provide its territorial limits; to prescribe and authorize its jurisdiction and powers, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1238) :

An Act to confirm and validate the creation and organization of Zolfo Special Tax School District No. 3, Hardee County, Florida, and to confirm and validate an issue of bonds of said district in the sum of ninety thousand dollars (\$90,000.00), and to authorize and require the levy and collection of a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1236) :

An Act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm all Acts and resolutions made, executed, done, passed, had, held and performed by the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Hamilton, State of Florida, connected with and relating to the calling, holding canvassing and declaring the result of that certain election had and held in the Town of Jennings, Hamilton County, Florida, on October 14th, 1924, to determine whether or not certain territory asked for in a petition, be created into a Special Tax School District, and to determine the millage to be assessed for school purposes in such districts, and to validate, ratify and confirm the legality of said election.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1210) :

An Act prescribing the time for hunting or trapping of wild animals or birds in the several counties of Orange, Osceola and Seminole; and authorizing the County Commissioners of the said counties to appropriate funds for the enforcement hereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1047) :

An Act creating the Fenholloway Drainage District in Taylor County, Florida, providing for the manner in which the Board of Supervisors shall be elected; authorizing the said district to proceed with the drainage and reclamation of the land embraced in said district under Chapter 6458,

Laws of Florida of 1913, and making said chapter and acts amendatory thereof and all general drainage laws applicable to said drainage district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1058):

An Act to authorize the Town Council of the Town of Buena Vista in Dade County, Florida, to borrow money and issue bonds in the amount of one hundred thousand dollars for certain municipal improvements, to provide for the expenditure of the proceeds of said bonds and for the payment of principal and interest thereof by taxation.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1273):

An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of St. Lucie County, Florida, to issue bonds in an amount not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000.00) for Special Tax School District Number Eleven within said county and providing for an election therefor

Also—

(House Bill No. 1290):

An Act to provide for the condemnation and removal of decayed, unsightly, dangerous or unlawful buildings, ruins, awnings, porches or structures within the limits of the City of Orlando.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1091):

An Act to validate and confirm the creation of Special Road and Bridge District No. 7, Hardee County, Florida, and to validate and confirm an issue of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000.00) bonds of said district and to authorize and require the levy and collection of a tax for the payment of said bonds and interest.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1159):

An Act in relation to the government and powers, of the City of Pensacola; the surrender, cancellation, validation and satisfaction of tax sale certificates and tax liens; and to amend and to supplement the Charter of said city.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1264):

An Act to authorize the City of Miami Beach, to issue bonds.

Also—

House Bill No. 1217):

An Act to authorize the County of Hardee to levy a special tax for publicity purposes and providing for the expenditure thereof for the years 1925 and 1926.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1239):

An Act to amend Chapter 8346 of the Special Laws of the State of Florida, which is an Act to amend Section Three of Chapter 4504, Acts of 1895, as amended by Section One of Chapter 5852, Acts of 1907, as amended by Chapter 6777, Acts of 1913, as amended by Chapter 8346, Acts of 1919, entitled an Act to declare legal the incorporation of the Town of Starke, in Bradford County, Florida, incorporated under the general laws of the State of Florida for incorporating cities and towns, and to provide for issuing of bonds by said town for the purpose of establishing a system of waterworks, sewerage, paving, and for illuminating purposes, and to create a board of public works for said town.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1225):

An Act to validate and legalize at law and in equity the tax assessments and levies made by the tax assessors of the County of Citrus, State of Florida, on real estate lying and being situate in said county for the years 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924; and to legalize and validate at law and in equity the tax sales made by the Tax Collectors in the said County of Citrus, State of Florida, of all real estate lying and being situate in said county made during the years 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 110, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924.

Also—

(House Bill No. 308) :

An Act to provide a closed season for the hunting, killing, chasing, molestation or possession of wild deer or wild turkey in the Counties of Charlotte, Glades, Collier, Dade, Monroe and Highlands in the State of Florida, and providing penalties for the violation hereof, and repealing Section 1, Chapter 9411, Acts of 1923, and all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of said respective counties to appropriate funds for the enforcement hereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1087) :

An Act fixing the compensation of members of County School Boards in Counties having a population between twelve thousand five hundred and thirteen thousand persons, according to the State census taken in 1925.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 879) :

An Act providing for the Drainage of Lands within certain sections of Township 51 South, Range 42 east, all being, lying and situate in Broward County, State of Florida; designating said Sections as Hollywood Drainage

District; providing for the annexation thereof to the Everglades Drainage District of the State of Florida; defining its boundaries, authorizing the levying, assessment and collection of an annual maintenance tax; authorizing the levying, assessment and collection of taxes, and imposing assessments upon the lands in said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1005):

An Act to abolish the present municipality of Center Hill, Sumter County, Florida, and to establish, organize, and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Center Hill, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1126):

An Act to create, establish and constitute certain territory in Lake County, Florida, as a Special Tax District to be known and designated as "The Upper Ocklawaha Navigation District"; authorizing and empowering said district to improve the upper Ocklawaha River, and to connect said river with certain lakes and waters tributary thereto with navigable canals and waterways; providing for the government and administration of said district; defining the duties and powers of the Board of Commissioners thereof; providing for the issuance of bonds of said district; the proceeds of the sale of which shall be used for the purposes herein set forth; providing for the levy and collection of taxes on all taxable property within said district for the purpose of creating a sinking fund, pay the principal and interest of said bonds; and to prescribe penalties for injuring or destroying any property of said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1211):

An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all acts and proceedings of the City of Miami, in Dade County, Florida, in the conveyance by the City of Miami to the Harvey W. Seeds Post No. 29, American Legion, by declaring such to be a valid conveyance to the trustees of the Harvey W. Seeds Post No. 29, American Legion Department of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 897):

An Act to create and establish a Juvenile Court in and for Monroe County, Florida, to confer its powers and define its jurisdiction; to provide for the Judge of said Court and to define his powers and duties; and to provide for the expense of said Court and compensation of said Judge.

Also—

(House Joint Resolution No. 541):

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 9 of Article XII of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to education.

Also—

(House Bill No. 719):

An Act to revise and amend the Charter of the City of Palmetto, in Manatee County, Florida, and to provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1141):

An Act to enlarge the power of the Board of Supervisors of the Limestone Drainage District, and to authorize the assessments of additional benefits, etc., for the completion of the reclamation of the lands described in said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 278):

An Act fixing the time within which claims or demands against the estate of a decedent shall be presented for payment, prescribing the person to whom, and the place at which, the same shall be presented, and providing for the filing and docketing thereof by the County Judge; and providing that claims or demands not so presented within said time shall be barred by limitation.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1206):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants in the sum of four hundred twenty thousand (\$420,000.00) dollars, or any part thereof, for the purpose of

relaying the paving on what is known as the interbay peninsular road in Hillsborough County, Florida, from Beach part to Gandy Bridge, on a rock base and widening the road in said county from Beach part to Gandy Bridge; and also for the construction of a new bridge at Six Mile Creek on the Tampa-Plant City road in said county; and also for paving Hillsborough avenue in said county from the Hillsborough River to Armenia avenue; and also for paving Magdalene road in said county from the intersection of Waters and Armenia avenues north to the present paved nine-foot road; and also for paving and relocating driveways and cross-overs along Bayshore seawall in said county from the city limits of Tampa to Susquehanna avenue; and also for paving the Hopewell-Mulberry road in said county from Hopewell east to Polk County line; also for additional work in relaying paving and widening to a width of fifteen (15) feet that part of the Plant City and Crystal Springs road beginning at a point north of the limits of Plant City, where the fifteen (15) foot brick road now ends and running north to where the fifteen (15) foot asphalt-brick road begins; also for repairing or reconstructing the aforesaid roads, or any part thereof, and also for repairing or reconstructing the bridges or culverts on any of said roads, or any part thereof, and also for building new bridges or new culverts in the place of any bridges or culverts on said roads, or any of them, or for doing all or any part of any of such work upon any of said roads.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Also the following:

Mr. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 669:

An Act authorizing Levy County, Florida, to issue bonds in the sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing and repairing highways.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 327):

An Act to amend Section 2212 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida providing for examination by Board of Pharmacy and qualification of applicants.

Also—

(Committee Substitute for—

Senate Bill No. 250):

An Act requiring Tax Collectors to give notice to tax payers and to mortgage and lien holders in certain cases.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 647):

An Act to amend Section 38 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relative to the boundaries of Levy County.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 675):

An Act to amend Chapter 9525 of the Special Acts of 1923, being "An Act to authorize and empower the County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, to levy an annual tax for county publicity purposes and to expend the funds so raised for advertising and promoting the resources of Nassau County."²⁰

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 144):

An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of Counties which have a population of more than

twenty-three thousand and not more than twenty-three thousand five hundred, according to the last Federal census, and which have a total assessed valuation of more than twenty-two million dollars.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 643):

An Act conferring power upon the Town of Greenville, Florida, to regulate or prohibit the running at large of live stock within the limits of said town, and the holding of elections pertaining thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 661):

An Act prescribing a closed season in Walton County, Florida, for certain birds; and game, and prescribing punishment for a violation of this Act, also fixing a license to be paid by each person hunting such birds and animals.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 659):

An Act amending Section 11 of Chapter 9666, Special Laws of 1923, relating to the manner and method of working the public roads in Walton County, Florida, and providing who shall be subject to such work.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 668):

An Act to permit the use of pound nets in the salt waters bordering Taylor County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 263):

An Act to provide for an additional Circuit Judge for the First Judicial Circuit of Florida, and to regulate the dispatch of business in said circuit after such appointment.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 594):

An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Key West, Florida, to construct a sewer system throughout said city; to issue sewer revenue bonds for said purpose; to provide for an election authorizing the issuance of said bonds, and authorizing the City Council to make rules and

regulations governing said sewer system; and to declare and abate nuisances pertaining to the use of said sewer system; and providing the method by which said bonds shall be sold and the funds derived therefrom, shall be used; and providing penalties for the violation of any ordinances of the City Council pertaining to said sewer system.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 605):

An Act authorizing certain improvements in the City of New Smyrna, a municipality located in the County of Volusia, State of Florida, assessing part of the cost thereof against abutting property, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of said municipality in connection with said improvements.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 101):

An Act to require the State Board of Pensions of the State of Florida, to increase the pension of Sarah Franklin, of Hernando County, State of Florida, from twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars to forty (\$40.00) dollars per month

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 586):

An Act to provide for the appointment of a Commission to erect a suitable monument over the original Government Monument marking the intersection of the principal base and meridian lines of the State of Florida, and to make appropriation therefor.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 657):

An Act making the provisions of Chapter 9294, Acts of the Florida Legislature, entitled "An Act to prescribe who shall be qualified electors in certain bond elections in this State", applicable to bond elections held by the City of Key West.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 37):

An Act to make an appropriation to aid in the endowment of the Florida Room of the Confederate Museum, and to provide for the payment of such appropriation.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 615):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants of said County in a sum not to exceed two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000.00) for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, reconstruct or rebuild in said County one certain permanent road from the Town of Polk City to the Lake County line, and for the maintenance of said road, and providing for the rate of interest said warrants shall bear and the period for which said warrants shall run, and providing for the levy of a special tax to cover interest and to create a sinking fund for the payment of said warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 433):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Coconut Grove, Dade County, Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Coconut Grove, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 91):

An Act to abolish the municipal corporation of the Town of Molino, Escambia County, Florida, incorporated under the provisions of Chapter 6729, Laws of Florida as amended; to provide for the protection of all creditors of said municipality; and to provide that said abolition shall be effective, unless defeated by a majority of the votes cast within the limits of said municipality, at a special election held therein; to provide for the holding and conduct of such election; and the qualifications of electors thereat.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 405):

An Act defining the time when registration books in counties having population of not less than fifty thousand (50,000) and not more than sixty-five thousand (65,000) inhabitants according to the State census of 1925, shall be kept open in the office of the Supervisor of Registration,

and prescribing the duties and compensation of the registration officers therein.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Also the following:

Mr. S. W. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 623):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm all acts and proceedings heretofore done and had by the Town Council, Tax Assessor, Tax Collector and all other Town officials of the Town of Monticello, Florida, in connection with, or relating to the assessment, levy and collection of taxes, either general or special, and to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm all acts and proceedings heretofore done and had, and all resolutions and ordinances heretofore passed and approved by the Town Council of said Town of Monticello, Florida, in connection with or relating to the calling and holding of an election in said Town on the 16th day of June A. D., 1925, to authorize the issuance of bonds of the said Town in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) for the municipal purpose of making street improvements as stated in said resolution and ordinance; and providing that no future act or thing done in relation to said election shall be void or invalid on account of any irregularity, omission or formal defect in proceedings relating thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 593) :

An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Key West, Florida, to construct, install and operate a water works system within the corporate limits of said City; to issue water works bonds for said purpose; to provide for an election authorizing the issuance of said bonds, and authorizing the City Council to make rules and regulations governing said water works; providing the method by which said bonds shall be sold and the funds, derived therefrom, shall be used; and providing penalties for the violation of any ordinances of the City Council pertaining to said water works.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 363) :

An Act to fix the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners of certain counties.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 452) :

An Act providing for a State Service Officer, under the direction of the Adjutant General, for duty in connection with the claims against the Federal Government of disabled soldiers and sailors who served in the late World War.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 456) :

An Act granting a pension to Mrs. S. W. Lawler; of Sumter County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 628) :

An Act to provide for the disposition of Lots 7 and 8, sub-division of Lot 16, of the G. L. Abarez Grant, as shown by plats of such sub-division on file in the public record of Volusia County, Florida, in Map Book 4, page 91, owned by the Town of Hawks Park, Volusia County, Florida, at the time of its abolishment by Chapter 8269 of the Special Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 625) :

An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all acts and proceedings of the City of Miami, in Dade County,

Florida, in the conveyance by the City of Miami, to the Harvey W. Seeds Post, No. 29, American Legion, by declaring such to be a valid conveyance to the trustees of the Harvey W. Seeds Post, No. 29, American Legion, Department of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 588):

An Act authorizing the issuance by the City of Lakeland, Florida, of certain light and water bonds in the sum of two hundred thousand dollars and providing for the terms of the issuance of said bonds, and providing for the levying of a tax to pay the principal and interest on said bonds, and providing how said bonds shall be paid.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 540):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Coronado Beach in the County of Volusia, and the State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Coronado Beach, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 589):

An Act authorizing the issuance by the City of Lakeland, Florida, of certain light and water bonds in the sum of six hundred twenty-five thousand dollars and providing for the terms of the issuance of said bonds, and providing for the levying of a tax to pay the principal and interest on said bonds, and providing how said bonds shall be paid, and providing how this Act shall take effect.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 254):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the proceedings of the Town of Daytona Beach, Florida, in issuing bonds for the purpose of the construction, reconstruction, repair, paving, re-paving, hard-surfacing, re-hard-surfacing of streets, boulevard, highways, sidewalks and alleys in Town of Daytona Beach; also in issuing bonds for the purpose of purchasing land and the erection of a city hall and fire station in the City of Daytona Beach.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 414):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Walton County, Florida, to levy and collect a special tax for public health work.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 473):

An Act providing for the payment of pension for A. B. Brown, of Columbia County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 610):

An Act to confirm and validate an issue of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars of bonds of the City of Arcadia, Florida, and to authorize and require the levy and collection of a sufficient tax for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 612):

An Act amending Section 5 of Chapter 9649 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act relating to and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of securing funds with which to construct and repair certain public roads and bridges in said county and providing for the payment thereof"; relating to the payment of the principal and interest of the time warrants authorized by said Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 382):

An Act for the payment of pension to J. Z. Wiggins, of Columbia County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 608):

An Act ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing the assessments, valuations of properties and levies of taxes by the City of Marianna, Jackson County, Florida, for the years 1923 and 1924, and authorizing the collection of said taxes in the manner provided by law.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 526):

An Act to validate, approve and confirm the assessment of taxes in the Town of Groveland, Lake County, Florida, for the year 1924 and all previous years.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 601):

An Act to authorize and empower the several incorporated cities and towns in Suwannee County, Florida, severally, to levy an annual tax for municipal publicity purposes and expend the funds so raised for advertising the resources of said respective municipalities.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate.

Also the following:

Mr. S. W. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 640):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of Alachua County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the Bell Special Tax School District No. 85 of Alachua County, Florida, for the purpose of borrowing money for the purpose of acquiring, building, enlarging, equipping and otherwise improving the school buildings and grounds within the said Special Tax School District.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 656):

An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Key West to sell the City Park in Tract Ten (10) according to Whitehead's map Island of Key West, and directing the disposition of the funds realized from said sale.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 652):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Bond Trustees of Special Road and Bridge District Number Seven, of Putnam County, Florida, to issue bonds of Putnam County, Florida, for the construction and repair of public hard-surfaced roads in said county and to create a sinking fund for the retirement of such bonds and to disburse and control the proceeds arising from the sale of said bonds and to call an election in said county to determine whether said bonds shall be issued, and to provide a tax levy to pay interest and create a sinking fund in the event such bonds are issued.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 76):

An Act authorizing the State Board of Education to lease for a nominal consideration to the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Dade, State of Florida, either School Section Sixteen (16), in Township Fifty-two (52) South, Range Forty-one (41) East, or School Section Sixteen (16), in Township Fifty-three (53) South, Range Forty-one (41) East, in Dade County, Florida, for the use of the Dade County Agricultural High School for Agricultural and Experimental Farm purposes.

Also --

(Senate Bill No. 630):

An Act to constitute, organize and establish a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Brooksville in the County of Hernando and the State of Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and to repeal Chapter 6042, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1909, and all other laws or parts of laws in any way in conflict with this Act so far as they affect the same, but no further.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Also the following:

Mr. S. W. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 678):

An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, on petition of a majority of the qualified electors who are freeholders in Special Tax School District Number One of Nassau County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants against said Special Tax School District Number One, for the purpose of acquiring land for school buildings, repairing and equipping school buildings and improving school grounds; and for other purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 639):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest-bearing time warrants of said county in a sum or sums not to exceed in the aggregate twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct and improve certain roads and bridges in County Commissioner's District No. 5 in said county, and providing for the payment of said time warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 677):

An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, on petition of a majority of the qualified electors who are freeholders residing in said county, to procure a loan of not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of acquiring land within said county and erecting thereon and furnishing a high school building to belong to the said board, wherein to maintain a county high school for said Nassau County; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds; to make provisions for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds and the interest to become due thereon and to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 680):

An Act abolishing the Board of Bond Trustees in Pinellas County, Florida, and providing for a department to be known as "Department of Special Road and Bridge Districts"; providing a clerk and providing for disposition of funds from special road and bridge districts in Pinellas County.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 620):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Town of Mt. Verde to regulate and prohibit the running at large of live stock within the corporate limits of said town, providing for the impounding of the same and the sale thereof for any penalty which may be imposed, and for the costs, fees and expenses of the impounding, sale and keep of said live stock.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 651):

An Act to enable the City of Sarasota, in Sarasota County, to establish building and improvement districts and regulate the construction, re-construction, alteration, repair,

and use of buildings within such districts, to create a city planning commission and to adopt plans, surveys, layouts and designs for civic improvement, and establish restricted building and improvement districts within the city, and to make reasonable rules and regulations for the exercise and carrying out of such powers; to empower the City Council to pass all ordinances and resolutions necessary or incidental to carrying out the provisions of this Act; to provide for the adjustment of compensation to property owners for any injury or damage they may sustain to their property in the administration of the powers of the City Council or of the powers of the planning commission under this act; and to provide for a review of the planning commission's acts by the City Council, and to authorize the acts and doings of the planning commission and of the City Council to be reviewed by the courts at the instance of any aggrieved property owner:

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 673):

An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, to issue additional interest-bearing time warrants to the additional amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) against Special Tax School District Number Two of Nassau County, Florida, for the purpose of liquidating its indebtedness.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 674):

An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due therein; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 664):

"An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Alachua County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding three hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$325,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding three hundred twenty-five thousand dollars (\$325,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants."

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 662):

"An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Madison County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants."

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 619):

An Act requiring the Board of County Commissioners of certain counties in the State of Florida to publish monthly a complete statement of all moneys expended by such Board during the preceding calendar month together with a complete statement of obligations assumed or incurred requiring the future expenditure of moneys.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 617):

An Act to include within, add to, and make a part of Ocean Shore Improvement District in Flagler and Volusia Counties, Florida, as created, established and constituted by Chapter 10,013, Acts of 1923, Laws of Florida, certain additional territory in Flagler County, Florida; to provide for the building and construction of an additional road in said additional territory added to said district; authorizing and directing the issuance and sale of \$750,000.00 of bonds of said Ocean Shore Improvement District in lieu and instead of \$450,000.00 of bonds provided for in Section 7 of Chapter 10,013, Acts of 1923, Laws of Florida; making an assessment against the abutting property for the payment of a part of the cost of constructing such additional road, and providing for the apportionment, payment, collection and enforcement thereof; providing for the issuance and sale of bonds and paving certificates predicated on such assessments; providing for the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds of said district and extending and making applicable to said additional territory and to said additional road, the powers, duties and jurisdiction of the Board of Bond Trustees of said district, the Boards of County Commissioners, Tax Assessors and Tax Collectors of Flagler and Volusia Counties, Florida, and other officers, as defined, imposed and conferred by Chapter 10,013 Acts of 1923, Laws of Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 641):

An Act to authorize the County Board of Public Instruction of Taylor County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent per annum (6%), for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness, to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan to issue and sell not exceeding fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) dollars in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 660):

An Act providing the license tax for non-residents taking or catching fish from the fresh and salt waters of Walton County, Florida; providing for the disposition of such taxes and prescribing the jurisdiction of the court of said county over the waters constituting the boundary line between said county and any adjoining county or counties, and providing for the enforcement hereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 679):

An Act authorizing the Town of Micanopy, Florida, to issue bonds in the aggregate sum of one hundred and fifteen thousand dollars to be known as improvement bonds, the proceeds of thirty thousand dollars of which bonds shall be used for the purpose of constructing a water works system in said town, the proceeds of thirty-five thousand dollar of which bonds shall be used for the purpose of refunding outstanding indebtedness due and owing upon its electric light plant and for the enlargement of its electric light plant and the furnishing of additional electric current, and the proceeds of fifty thousand dollars of which bonds shall be used for the payment of one-third of the cost of the construction of street paving upon certain of the streets of said town, and providing for the construction of this Act.

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

Mr. Anderson moved that the Senate do now take a recess to 8:30 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate, at 7:09 o'clock P. M., took a recess to 8:30 o'clock P. M. this day.

NIGHT SESSION—8:30 O'CLOCK.

The Senate convened at 8:30 o'clock P. M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

A quorum present.

Mr. Calkins moved to waive the rules and that the Senate do now consider House messages.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendments:

Senate Bill No. 706:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a toll bridge across Old Tampa Bay and to grant a right of way over and authorize the filling in of the submerged and other lands belonging to the State of Florida in, or adjacent to or under the waters of Old Tampa Bay, for the use of any toll bridge

company undertaking the construction of such bridge in order to secure more direct communication by land between the cities of Tampa and Clearwater and communities contiguous or adjacent thereto and granting the right to construct buildings, wharves and docks on said lands, providing for jurisdiction and control by the Railroad Commission.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1. In Section 1, line 20, strike out the words, and its western terminus at some point in Township Twenty-eight or Twenty-nine south, in Range Sixteen east, and insert in lieu thereof the following: And its western terminus at some point north of the present southern city limits or boundary of the City of Clearwater, in Township Twenty-nine, south of Range Sixteen east, in Pinellas County.

Amendment No. 2: In Section 3, line 4, between the words "but" and "be" add the following "to."

Amendment No. 3. Strike out Section 5 and re-number the remaining sections to conform herewith.

Amendment No. 4. In title, line 10, after the words "said lands," strike out remainder of title.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 706, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 3 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 4 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 706, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives:

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with an amendment—

Senate Bill No. 691:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the taking of fish in any of the fresh water lakes, ponds, streams and rivers of Wakulla County, Florida; to establish a closed season; to provide for fishing licenses and guide licenses, and the issuance of the same; and to prescribe penalties for violation of the provisions of this Act.

Which amendment is as follows:

Add a section to the bill to read as follows:

“Sec. 10. Nothing in this Act requiring a license to fish to be obtained by residents of this State shall be deemed or held to apply to residents of any county adjoining Wakulla County, Florida, which county has located therein two or more State educational institutions.”

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 691, together with the amendment of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Walker moved that the Senate do concur to House amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 691, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

And the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 535:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Eliza Miller, of Walton County, Florida.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 535, contained in the foregoing message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10:

Whereas, heretofore to-wit: On the 3rd day of October, 1924, the Texas Division of United Confederate Veterans, in convention assembled at Fort Worth, Texas, adopted article of association under the name of The Southland Memorial Association, for the purpose of raising funds, purchasing lands, establishing, maintaining and operating a great Southland institute of learning of the first class, embracing all departments of science, art and literature, as a memorial to the "Women of the Confederacy," in consideration of the great hardships endured, the sacrifices made and glorious services rendered by them for four long years from 1861-65 inclusive ;and

Whereas, In the preparation of said articles, provisions were made for representation on the board of trustees by the U. C. V.'s, the S. C. V.'s and U. D. C. of all the States named in Article 10, which includes the State of Florida; and

Whereas, At the late convention of U. C. V.'s and S. C. V.'s at Dallas, Texas, the action of the Texas division was endorsed both by the U. C. V.'s and S. C. V.'s; therefore be it

Resolved, by the Legislature of the State of Florida, That it is the sense of this body, that the State of Florida should join her sister States and co-operate with the Texas division of U. C. V.'s in promoting the establishing of the proposed great institute of learning as a memorial to the noble womanhood in our Southland; and

Be it further Resolved, That said institute should be located, at some point near the center of the South, that it may be most convenient to all students of the South desiring to matriculate in said institute.

And be it further resolved, That it should be regarded as not only a duty, but a pleasure, of all Southern men

and women to share in the establishment and maintenance of said memorial to the "Women of the Confederacy."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10, contained in the foregoing message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 555:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide the method and procedure by which a person formerly a resident of some other State may establish a residence and citizenship in the State of Florida, and prescribing certain duties of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida and of the Clerks of the Circuit Court of the several counties in this State in connection therewith.

Also—

House Bill No. 989:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Circuit Judges of the State of Florida to draw from the box containing the names of the jurors, the names of as many persons to serve as jurors at each regular or special term of the Circuit Court, and from week to week during the continuance of such term as the said judges may think necessary for the conduct of the Court.

Also—

House Bill No. 977:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for dispensing with notice by publication of the raising of any assessments or valuations of the assessments of any class of property at a higher valuation than at the rate returned, or the rate assessed for previous year.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate hereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for House Bills Nos. 555 and House Bills Nos. 989 and 977, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles and were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 729:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2, of Article 6, of an Act entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Lantana, in the County of Palm Beach and State of Florida; and to organize and establish a new government for the same; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances," passed at the 1925 session of the Legislature of the State of Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 710:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Sarasota, Florida, by resolution to issue negotiable interest-bearing bonds bearing not to exceed six per cent (6%) interest per annum, payable semi-annually, in such form, date of maturity and time and place or places of payment as the said Board of County Commissioners may adopt, up to \$500,000.00 the proceeds of which to be used for the construction of a court-house for Sarasota County, Florida, and for furnishing fixtures for said building, and for paving and work incidental to the preparation of the grounds and streets around said building; and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds, and to provide for the sale and retirement of same.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 729 and 710, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles and referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
Senate Bill No. 730:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend certain sections of an Act of the 1925 Legislature entitled "An Act establishing the City of Coral Gables, to provide for its government and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 730, contained in the foregoing message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1467:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit and make it unlawful for live stock to run or roam at large within certain territorial limits of Jackson County, Florida; to provide for the impounding and sale of said live stock when found running or roaming at large in violation of this Act, and to provide for the recovery of damages suffered by persons or property by reason thereof, and to provide for a referendum in connection therewith.

Also—

House Bill No. 976:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2772 of the Revised General Statutes of 1920, Laws of Florida, relating to selection of jury lists and qualifications of jurors.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1467 and 976, contained in the foregoing message, were read by their titles and were placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference under the rule.

Mr. Calkins moved that the Senate do now resolve itself into a social session.

Which was agreed to.

As a token of their high appreciation and affection for the President and President pro tempore, the Senators presented to each of them appropriate gifts.

And as a token of the places he holds in the hearts and esteem of the clerical force of the Senate, they presented to the President a sandwich tray of silver to match the service presented to him by the Senators.

The Secretary was also honored by his co-laborers of the session by the presentation of a fountain pen as a token of their affection for him.

The Senate resumed its session.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wick-er—32.

A quorum present.

The consideration of messages from the House of Representatives was resumed:

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—Senate Bill No. 728:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make an appropriation for the putting and keeping in order of the grounds adjacent and belonging to the site of the Olustee Monument

and for the proper care and protection of the monument, and to provide for the payment of such appropriation.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 728, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June, 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with an amendment—

Senate Bill No. 721:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4614 of Title 4, Chapter 6, of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1921, relating to unjust discrimination by any railroad, railroad companies or other common carriers.

Which amendment is as follows:

Strike out all of Section 1 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“That Section 4614 of Title 4, Chapter 6, of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, relating to unjust discrimination by any railroad, railroad companies or other common carrier be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Section 1. If any railroad, railroad company or other common carrier as aforesaid, shall make any unjust discriminations in its rates, or charges of toll, or compensation for the transportation of passengers or freight of any description, or for the use and transportation of any railroad car upon any railroad, or upon any of the branches thereof, or upon any railroad or steamship lines,

connected therewith, which it has a right, license, or permission to operate, use or control within this State, the same shall be guilty of violating the provisions of this Chapter, and upon conviction thereof shall be dealt with as hereinafter provided; provided, that nothing in this Section or Section 4564 shall prevent any railroad, railroad companies or other common carriers subject thereto for giving reduced rates for the transportation of freight wholly within the State of Florida for the encouragement of manufacturing industries within the State of Florida; provided that such reduced rates shall be given without discrimination and shall be published in the schedules and rate sheets of such common carriers.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate to said amendment.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 721, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Hale moved that the Senate do concur to House amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 721, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 792:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Charles Kaufmann.

Also—

House Bill No. 1085:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. J. Parish.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 792, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 792 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 792, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 792 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 792, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Clark, Colson, Edge, Etheredge, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson—24.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1085, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1085 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1085, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1085 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1085, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Colson, Edge, Etheredge, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1434:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Panama City, in the County of Bay and the State of Florida, and to give the City of Panama City, Florida, jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension.

Also—

House Bill No. 1450:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and incorporate a special drainage taxing district in Bay County, State of Florida, known as St. Andrews Bay Drainage District,

to consist of that portion of Bay County, Florida, described as follows, to-wit:

Also

House Bill No. 768:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 9415 of the Special Acts of 1923, Laws of Florida, by prohibiting the closing or obstruction of the public roads in Dade County by erecting barriers, dropping thereon rocks, trash or other rubbish, by digging or blowing holes therein or by filling in or blowing up land adjacent to any public road in such manner as to cause the public road to become at a lower level than the land so filled in or built up adjacent thereto, without making due provision for drainage and to provide penalties for violation of such provision and to give said Board of County Commissioners full authority to remove obstructions to travel on the public roads of said county and to abate nuisances in connection therewith, and to retain and hold possession of all public roads, bridges and all public property lawfully in the possession and control of said board by the use of guards or otherwise, until required to relinquish the same by order of the court of competent jurisdiction and prohibiting any person or persons from interfering with the possession of any public road, county bridges or other public property lawfully under the jurisdiction of said board.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1434, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1434 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1434, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1434 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1434, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1450, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1450 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1450, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1450 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1450, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 768, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 768 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 768, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 768 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 768, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

*Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1466:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create the Hicpochee Drainage District in Hendry and Glades Counties, Florida; to provide the period of its existence; for the appointment of a Board of Supervisors, to authorize the District to proceed with drainage and reclamation of the lands embraced within its corporate limits, and declaring Chapter 6458, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913, as now or hereafter amended, applicable to said District.

Also—

House Bill No. 1468:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the municipal government of the Town of Hernando, Citrus County,

State of Florida, as the same existed prior to May the 1st, 1925.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
 B. A. MEGINNISS,
 Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1468, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1466, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1466 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1466, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1466 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1466, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 717:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the establishment in this State of a school for colored persons to be known as the The East Florida Industrial School and to provide the purpose of and for the support and management of the same.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 717, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Taylor (31st District) moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 717 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 717, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (31st District) moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 717 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 717, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Taylor (31st Dist.) and Watson—2.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Clark, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Wicker—23.

So the bill failed to pass.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—
House Bill No. 1462:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the sale of bonds by all official boards of Marion County for a sum less than ninety-five cents on the dollar of the principal amount of such bonds, and in addition thereto, all accrued interest thereon to date of delivery to purchaser, and providing for notice of such sale, and terms thereof.

• Also—

House Bill No. 1463:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and provide for the appointment and removal by the Board of County Commissioners of Dade County, Florida, of the superintendent and matron of the County Detention Home in said County, and all employees and servants necessary in connection with the management of said Detention Home, without the permission, approval or recommendation of any other person, body, or officer.

Also—

House Bill No. 1464:

A bill to be entitled An Act to permit the hunting, taking and killing of wildcats, foxes and panthers in Highlands County, Florida, in all seasons of the year, and to permit the County Commissioners to pay a bounty for the killing of same.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1462, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1462 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1462, with title above stated, was read the second by its title only.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1462 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1462, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1463, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1464, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1464 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1464, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1464 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1464, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 4, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendments—

Senate Bill No. 633:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the State Road Department to spend fifty thousand dollars on that part of State Road No. 10 extending from the Leon County line through Wakulla County to Blocker's Ferry, and ten thousand dollars on road to Wakulla Beach.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1. In line four (4) of title, strike out all after Blocker's Ferry.

Amendment No. 2. Strike out Section 2.

Amendment No. 3. Change paragraph "3" to read paragraph "2."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 633, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Walker moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Walker moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Walker moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 3, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 633, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills after being engrossed.

An the action of the Senate thereon was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

By permission, Mr. Overstreet, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Conference House Concurrent Resolution No. 24, on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1925.

*To the Honorable John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate, and
Honorable A. Y. Milam,
Speaker of the House.*

Sirs:

Your Select Joint Committee on Appropriations, appointed under and in pursuance of House Concurrent Resolution No. 24, to whom was referred the preparation and submission of an appropriation bill for the years 1925-1927, have had the same under consideration and respectfully recommend the passage of the bill, to be entitled An Act making appropriations for salaries and other current expenses of the State for two years from June 30, 1925.

The said bill, so prepared and recommend by the Com-

mittee, being hereto attached and made a part of this report.

M. O. OVERSTREET,
J. TURNER BUTLER,

On the part of the Senate.

I. N. KENNEDY,

W. T. HENDRY,

W. A. WEST,

On the part of the House.

On motion of Mr. Butler, the consideration of the resolution was deferred.

By permission—

The Joint Committee on Conference introduced—

Senate Bill No. 735:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for salaries and other current expenses of the State for two years from June 30, 1925.

Which was read the first time by its title.

And further consideration of the bill was temporarily passed.

Mr. Butler moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1432 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1432:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to settle the claim of Roy C. Hess, for the loss of an eye while working as an employee of said county on the St. Johns River bridge.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1432 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1432, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1432 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1432, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Hodges moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1443 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1443:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing a supplemental, additional and alternative method of making local improvements for the City of Tallahassee, a municipal corporation, authorizing and providing for special assessments for the cost thereof, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds for such municipality.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1443 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1443, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1443 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1443, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith,

Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

On motion of Mr. Butler, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of Bills on the Local Calendar.

House Bill No. 298:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing Time Warrants of said County in a sum or sums not to exceed in the aggregate Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct and improve certain roads and bridges in County Commissioner's District No. 3 in said County, and providing for the payment of said Time Warrants.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 298 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 298, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 298 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 298, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And—

House Bill No. 1212:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the trespass upon the property of another by removing, driving, molesting or interfering with domestic live stock in Taylor County, Florida, providing a penalty for the violation thereof and providing for injunction against such violation.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1212 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1212, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1212 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1212, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President. Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gills, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

House Bill No. 1263:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the election held at Mount Dora, in the County of Lake and State of Florida, on November 25, 1924, and all ordinances passed by the Town Council in relation thereto and all acts of the officials of the Town of Mount Dora, Lake County, Florida, in relation to said election called for the purpose of determining whether or not the Town of Mount Dora, Lake County, Florida, should issue bonds in the sum of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000.00) for the purpose of purchasing a park in said town and to authorize the said Town of Mount Dora, Lake County, Florida, to

issue said bonds irrespective of any irregularity in said election.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1263 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1263, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1263 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1263, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. McDaniels moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 1330 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1330:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Nine of Chapter 9394, Laws of Florida, the same being An Act to amend Sections Eight, Nine, Eighteen and Twenty, Chapter 8008, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to provide for the method and manner of opening, establishing, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in the County of Calhoun, State of Florida, and providing punishment for the violations of the provisions hereof."

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1330 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1330, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only:

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1330 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1330, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs: Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson; Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

On motion of Mr. Singletary, the balance of the night session was devoted to the consideration of local bills only.

And—

House Bill No. 1345:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the placing of advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to prohibit the placing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of Highlands County, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1345 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1345, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1345 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage:

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1345, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker. Watson, Wickèr—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

House Bill No. 1347:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of DeLand, Volusia County, Florida, and to organize, incorporate and establish a new city government for the same and to provide for its jurisdiction and powers.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1347 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1347, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1347:

Strike out Section 119 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

This Act shall take effect on the first day of January 1926, unless a majority of the qualified electors of the City of DeLand shall vote against its adoption at a special election which may be called as hereinafter provided. The special election herein provided for shall be held at a time to be designated by the City Council of the City of DeLand provided that on or before September 1st, 1925, there shall be presented to the said City Council a petition for such election signed by 20% of such electors and if said petition is so presented the City Council and City Officials of said City shall discharge such duties in connection with the calling and holding of said election as are now required of them by law for special elections, and for the purpose of calling and holding such election if demanded as herein provided this Act shall become and be operative immediately upon its becoming a law.

Mr. Putnam moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1347, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1347, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

House Bill No. 1402:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the open and closed seasons to squirrel in Gadsden County, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, and read the second time.

On the motion of Mr. Anderson, House Bill No. 1402 was indefinitely postponed.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 1413:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of DeLand in Volusia County, Florida, and to prescribe its boundaries and powers.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1413 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1413, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1413 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1413, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

House Bill No. 1417:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any person to mar, deface, injure, or despoil the county court house, or any county, municipal or other public building or the floors, walls, steps, or any part of any such building, in Taylor County, Florida, and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1417 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1417, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1417 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1417, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And—

House Bill No. 1418:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Taylor County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing coupon warrants not to exceed three hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of constructing, grading, improving or repairing highways in said county.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1418 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1418, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only:

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1418 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1418, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hals, Hincley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

House Bill No. 1342:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining what is legal fence in the County of DeSoto and State of Florida, and providing for the impounding of cattle, horses, hogs, mules, sheep and goats found trespassing within an enclosure enclosed by a legal fence, and providing for a lien on such animals and a method of collecting same.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1342 be read the second time by its title only:

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1342, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1342 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1342, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

And—

House Bill No. 1392:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Lake County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) dollars and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provisions for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1392 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1392, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1392 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1392, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Etheredge moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1298 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1298:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and describe the route of State Road No. 59.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1298 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1298, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1298 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1298, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Putnam moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1300 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1300:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Daytona, in Volusia County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of Daytona, in Volusia County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said city of Daytona and official acts thereunder and to adopt the same as the ordinances of the said City of Daytona; and to fix and provide the territory limits, jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1300 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1300, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1300 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1300, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President—Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Anderson moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1427 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1427:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, House Bill No. 1427 was indefinitely postponed.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Wicker moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1435 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1435:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide the manner and authority by which hard-surfaced public roads and bridges shall be constructed in Sumpter County, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Wicker, House Bill No. 1435 was indefinitely postponed.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Mr. McDaniels moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1433 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1433:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Econfina Power Company, a corporation organized under the Laws of the State of Florida, to erect, construct, build, control and operate a dam, for the purpose of generating electricity and power, over and across Econfina River, in Bay County, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1433 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1433, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1433 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1433, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. McDaniels moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1436 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1436:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Bay County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants in the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) wherewith the same shall be applied to the payment of the indebtedness of the fine and forfeiture fund of said county and to create a fund for the payment of the same and to provide for the sale and retirement of warrants, when issued as aforesaid.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1436 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1436, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1436 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1436, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Coze, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Putnam moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 727 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 727:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide an open and closed season for the hunting, chasing, molesting or killing of wild game birds, fowls or animals in Brevard and Volusia Counties, Florida, regulating the killing of wild game birds, fowls or animals in Brevard and Volusia Counties, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act, and a rule of evidence for prosecutions thereunder.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 727 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 727, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 727 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 727, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hunley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

By permission the following bills were introduced:

By Mr. Putnam:

Senate Bill No. 732:

A bill to be entitled An Act to change the name of Indian River North to Indian River.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 732 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 732, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 732 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 732, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

By Mr. Putnam—

Senate Bill No. 733:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and authorizing the City Council of the City of Coronado Beach, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of securing funds with which to construct and repair certain public roads, water and sewer system in Coronado Beach, Florida, and providing for the payment thereof.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 733 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 733, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 733 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 733, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

By Senator Putnam—

Senate Bill No. 734:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and incorporate a special taxing district in Volusia County, State of Florida, to be known as Daytona and New Smyrna Inlet District, embracing all the territory within that territory which is now embraced within County Commissioner's District No. 4, and within County Commissioner's District No. 5 in said County; to prescribe the boundaries of said District and to provide for the government and administration of the same; to define the powers and purposes of said District and of the Board of Commissioners thereof; to authorize said board to improve, construct and maintain an Inlet in said district to connect the waters of Indian River and Halifax River at, near or through Mosquito Inlet with the waters of the Atlantic Ocean; to improve, construct and maintain a channel from the said Inlet in a southerly direction to a point at or near the City of New Smyrna and in a northerly direction to a point at or near the City of Daytona, and do all other works necessary or proper in connection therewith; to empower said Board to levy and

collect taxes upon all the taxable property in said district for said purposes authorized in this Act; to authorize said board to borrow money and to issue and sell bonds to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act and to prevent injury to any works improved, constructed or maintained under this Act; to provide for an Election to determine whether or not this Act shall become effective and to elect the Commissioners to administer this Act; to provide the powers of such Commissioners in the construction and maintenance of an Inlet in said District connecting the waters of Indian River and the waters of the Halifax River with the waters of the Atlantic Ocean.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 734 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 734, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 734 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 734, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

By Mr. Putnam—

Senate Bill No. 736:

A bill to be entitled An Act to organize and establish a county court in and for Volusia County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof, to provide for the appointment of a prosecuting attorney, and fixing the compensation of the judge and prosecuting attorney.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 736 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 736, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 736 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 736, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

By Mr. Watson—

Senate Bill No. 737:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Town of Silverbluff, Florida, a municipal corporation, to issue and sell bonds of the said Town of Silverbluff, for the purpose of improving streets within said town, also for laying storm sewers, constructing fire walls and purchasing equipment for the disposal of garbage, erecting a municipal building, to prescribe the amount of such bonds, and the manner of their issuance.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 737 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 737, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 737 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 737, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Mr. Knight moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate, at 11:12 o'clock P. M., adjourned to 10:00 o'clock A. M. Friday, June 5th, A. D. 1925.

CONFIRMATIONS AND SUSPENSIONS.

The Senate in Executive Session to-day advised and consented to the following appointments submitted by the Governor:

W. R. McDonald, to be State's Attorney for the 19th Judicial Circuit.

Arthur Gaines, to be State's Attorney for the 20th Judicial Circuit.

A. C. Kanner, to be State's Attorney for the 21st Judicial Circuit.

J. F. Busto, to be Solicitor Criminal Court of Record, Munroe County.

A. Z. Adkins, to be Judge for the 8th Judicial Circuit.

Elwyn Thomas, to be Judge of the 21st Judicial Circuit.

Hal W. Adams, to be Judge for the 3rd Judicial Circuit.

The Senate in Executive Session also consented to the suspension by Governor Hardee of Marion I. George, as County Commissioner of Glades County, and ordered his removal.