The Secretary announced that he has appointed Miss Luna Bowdoin as Senate Index Secretary.

Mr. Coe moved that the Senate do now adjourn to 11 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which was agreed to.

Thereupon at 11:30 A. M. the Senate stood adjourned until 11 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, November 18, A. D. 1925.

## Wednesday, November 18, 1925

The Senate convened at 11 A. M. pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coc. 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.

Praver by the Chaplain.

Reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of November 17, 1925, was corrected, and as corrected was approved.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

> House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 17, 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 adopted: Į

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Whereas, This Extraordinary Session of the Legislature should be able to complete its labors during the present week, and it is for the best interest of the State of Florida that an early adjournment sine die of this session should be had; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That this Extraordinary Session of the Legislature shall adjourn sine die at noon, Saturday, November 21st, A. D. 1925.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 1, contained in the above message, was read the first time.

Mr. Hodges moved that the consideration of House Concurrent Resolution No. 1 be informally passed.

Which was agreed to.

The following message from the Governor was received and ordered spread upon Journal.

## State of Florida, Executive Department, Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 18, 1925.

#### Gentleman of the Legislature:

In pursuance of the requirement of Section 11 of Article IV of the State Constitution, I have the honor to transmit herewith a report covering, "every case of fine or forfeiture remitted, or reprieve, pardon or commutation granted, stating the name of the convict, the crime of which he was convicted, the sentence, its date, and the date of its remission, commutation, pardon or reprieve." since the beginning of the regular session of the Legislature of 1925.

## JOHN W. MARTIN,

Governor.

### CONDITIONAL PARDONS

Isiah Hunter.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court of Calhoun County, at the October term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of carrying concealed weapons and of using profane language in a public place and sentenced therefor upon first of his convictions to pay a fine of \$100 and costs or serve six months in the county jail at hard labor and upon which other said offense he was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10.00 and costs or serve sixty days in the county jail at hard labor; and being unable to pay either of the fines and costs assessed has been required to serve jail sentences as imposed. Conditional pardon granted May 5, 1925.

C. L. Denmark.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Columbia County, at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of manslaughter and sentenced therefor to six years in the State prison. Granted conditional pardon June 12, 1925.

Bennie Garcia.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Hillsborough County, at the June term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of breaking and entering and sentenced therefor to two years in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted June 12, 1925.

Robert Montsdeca.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Osecola County, at the October term thereof, A. D. 1922, of the offense of robbery and sentenced therefor to three years in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted June 12, 1925.

John Cook, Jr.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court of Jackson County, at the April term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of having in his possession intoxicating beverages not permitted by law. rum or moonshine, and having also been convicted of transporting rum or moonshine liquor, and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$50.00 and costs of court and to serve at hard labor in the county jail for a period of three months, and default of the payment of the fine and costs that he serve an additional sixty days in the county jail at hard labor. Conditional pardon granted July 22, 1925.

Gettis McClellan.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court of Osceola County, at the March term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of having whiskey in his possession and sentenced therefor to six months in the county jail, and in addition two months for failure to pay fine of \$500 and costs. Conditional pardon granted August 4, 1925.

Jack Anderson.-Convicted in the Criminal Court of

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Record of Dade County, at the fall term thereof, A. D. 1923, of the offense of grand larceny and sentenced therefor to two and one-half years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Charles F. Adkinson.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Walton County, at the fall term thereof, A. D. 1923, of the offense of unlawfully selling liquor and sentenced therefor to three years and fine of \$500 and costs. In default of payment of fine and costs, 60 days additional. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Napoleon Brown.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Polk County, at the April term thereof, A. D. 1915, of the offense of manslaughter and sentenced therefor to twenty years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Bawsey Blocker.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Santa Rosa County, at the August term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of assault to kill and sentenced to four years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Albert Carlson.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Escambia County, at the March term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of becoming drunk and intoxicated, second offense, and sentenced therefor to one year. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Arthur Chance.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Calhoun County, at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of breaking and entering with intent to commit a misdemeanor and sentenced therefor to two years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Mose Clark.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court of Columbia County, at the July term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of assault and having concealed on his person a razor, and sentenced therefor to three months in the county jail and fine of \$10, first; six months and fine \$100, second. Conditional pardon granted October 1st, 1925.

Thomas F. Dixon.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Santa Rosa County, at the winter term thereof, A. D. 1919, of the offense of murder and sentenced therefor to life imprisonment. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Matt Dennis.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Leon County, at the fall term thereof, A. D. 1920, of the offense of murder, 3rd degree and sentenced therefor to ten years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Colonel Davis .-- Convicted in the Circuit Court of Wal-

ton County, at the May term thereof, A. D. 1923, of the offense of assault with intent to murder and sentenced therefor to three and one-half years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Roberta Daniels.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Gadsden County, at the Spring term thereof, A. D. 1919, of the offense of murder and sentenced therefor to life imprisonment. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Willie Dicks.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Union County, at the November term thereof, A. D. 1921, of the offense of manslaughter and sentenced therefor to 7 years in State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Kenneth Douglas.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Marion County, at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of larceny of car and sentenced therefor to 2 years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Charence P. Davis.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Hillsborough County, at the August term thereof, A. D. 1923, of the offense of accepting stolen property and sentenced therefor to 2 years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

John Giradeau.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Duval County, at the November term thereof, A. D. 1918, of the offense of larceny in eleven cases, and sentenced therefor to eleven years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

C. H. Glisson.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Bay County, at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1922, of the offense of breaking and entering with intent to commit a felony, and sentenced therefor to three years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Henry Goldsmith.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Escambia County, at the January term thereof, A. D. 1914, of the offense of robbery, and sentenced therefor to twenty years in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

G. W. Gilbreath.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Duval County, at the December term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of aggravated assault and sentenced thereof to fine of \$500 and costs: in default of payment of fine one year in the County jail. Conditional pardon granted October 1, 1925.

Tim Holmes.-Convicted in the Circuit Court of Wakulla

County, at the May term thereof, A.D. 1922, of the offense of manslaughter, and sentenced therefor to 6 years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

George Harper.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Duval County, at the January term thereof, A. D. 1915, of the offense of manslaughter, and sentenced therefor to twenty years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

William George Herbert.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court of Columbia County at the June term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of assault and battery, and sentenced therefor to fine of \$50 or be confined in County jail 6 months. Conditional pardon granted October 1, 1925.

Horace Irving.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Dade County, at the July term thereof, A. D. 1922, of the offense of manslaughter and sentenced therefor to 7 years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

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Rushaney J. Jones.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Columbia County, at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1919, of the offense of manslaughter, and sentenced therefor to ten years imprisonment. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

John Kinard.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Marion County, at the Spring term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of larceny of an automobile, and sentenced therefor to two years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Herman Kahoot.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Walton County. at the January term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of selling alcoholic and intoxicating liquor, and sentenced therefor to two years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Leslie Lammon.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Bay County, at the November term thereof, A.D. 1920, of the offense of murder, second degree, and sentenced therefor to life. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Sam Levine.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Duval County, at the October term thereof, A. D. 1921, of the offense of breaking and entering and grand larceny, and sentenced therefor to ten years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

C. L. Laughlin.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Hillsborough County, at the November term thereof. A. D. 1924, of the offense of stealing a car, and sentenced therefor to two years state prison. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Lawrence Lowe.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Columbia County, at the Fall term thereof, A. D. 1920, of the offense of murder, and sentenced therefor to life. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Mike Melvin.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Hillsborough County, at the June term thereof. A. D. 1922, of the offense of breaking and entering, and sentenced therefor to five years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Raymond Milford.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Duval County, at the December term thereof, A. D. 1921, of the offense of breaking and entering a building with intent to commit a felony, and grand larceny, 2 counts, and sentenced therefor to six years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Charlie Marshal.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Okaloosa County, at the Spring term thereof, A. D. 1924. of the offense of selling alcoholic liquors and sentenced therefor to three years State Prison and 60 days County Jail, in default of payment of costs of court. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Elmer Major.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Hernando County, at the March term thereof, A. D. 1923, of the offense of grand larceny, and sentenced therefor to four years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Walter McNight.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Orange County at the March term therof, A. D. 1921 of the offense of breaking and entering and grand larceny and sentenced therefor to seven years imprisonment. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

John Nichols.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court of Jackson County, at the July term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of unlawful possession and unlawful selling of intoxicating liquor, and sentenced therefor to 60 days and fine of \$50 00 and costs; in default of payment of fine, 60 days additional. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Arthur Padgett.—Convicted in the circuit court of Walton County, at the Spring term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of uttering a forged instrument and sentenced therefor to four years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

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J. L. Powell.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Leon County, at the January term thereof, A. D. 1922, of the offense of murder, and sentenced therefor to twenty years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Thomas J. Parrish.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Duval County, at the October term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of aiding a prisoner to escape. and sentenced therefor to nine months in the State Prison. Conditional pardon granted October 5th, 1925.

Marion Shavous.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Escambia County, at the fall term thereof, A. D. 1906, of the offense of murder, and sentenced therefor to life. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

J. L. Strickland.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Citrus County, at the November term thereof A. D. 1924, of the offense of shooting into a store building, and sentenced therefor to three years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Frank Sharpe.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court of Taylor County, at the April term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of violation of labor contract and skipping board bill, and sentenced therefor to 6 months 1st offense, and 3 months 2nd offense. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Arthur Williams.--Convicted in the Circuit Court of Dade County, at the March term thereof A. D. 1920, of the offense of manslaughter, and sentenced therefor to 15 years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Earl Weems.--Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Duval County, at the June term thereof, A. D. 1921, of the offense of assault with intent to murder, and sentenced therefor to ten years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

John E. Ward.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Walton County, at the fall term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of selling intoxicating liquors, and sentenced therefor to twenty months in State Prison. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Dan Williams.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Duval County, at the March term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of receiving stolen goods, and sentenced therefor to one year. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

Tom Young .-- Convicted in the Criminal Court of Re-

cord of Orange County, at the March term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of assault with intent to rape, and sentenced therefor to three years. Conditional pardon granted October 5, 1925.

<sup>7</sup> Caroline Bates.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Polk County, at the July term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of lewd and lascivious behavior, and sentenced therefor to 6 months in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29, 1925, effective November 5, 1925.

Robert Brown.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Pasco County, at the fall term thereof, A. D. 1917, of the offense of murder, and sentenced therefor to life imprisonment in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29th, effective November 5, 1925.

John Cox.--Convicted in the Criminal Court of Monroe County, at the July term thereof, A. D. 1920, of the offense of assault to rape, and sentenced therefor to ten years in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29th, effective November 5, 1925.

L. D. Johnson.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Polk County, at the July term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of lewd and laseivious behavior, and sentenced therefor to 6 months in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29th, effective November 5, 1925.

Gladys Jones.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Polk County, at the July term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of lewd and lascivious behavior, and sentenced therefor to 6 months in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29th, effective November 5, 1925.

Thomas Johnson.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Dade County, at the August term thereof, A. D. 1921, of the offense of breaking and entering, and sentenced therefor to 6 years in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29, effective November 5, 1925.

Jim Morello.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Volusia County, at the April term thereof, A. D. 1921, of the offense of forgery, and sentenced therefor to 6 years in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29th, effective November 5, 1925.

Herbert Reed.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Taylor County, at the October term thereof, A. D. 1909, of the offense of murder, and sentenced therefor to life imprisonment in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29th, effective November 5, 1925. Floyd Russell.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Duval County, at the September term thereof, A. D. 1921, of the offense of manslaughter, and sentenced therefor to five years in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29th, effective November 5, 1925.

Tom Scott.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Dade County, at the Fall term thereof, A. D. 1904, of the offense of murder, and sentenced therefor to life imprisonment in the State prison. Conditional pardon granted October

Robert Williams.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record of Duval County, at the March term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of forgery, and sentenced therefor to two years in prison. Conditional pardon granted October 29th, effective November 5, 1925.

Charlie Shumake.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Washington County, at the October term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of shooting into occupied automobile, and sentenced therefor to one year in prison. Granted conditional pardon November 3, 1925.

Aleck Hensley and Westly Harris.—Convicted in County Judge's Court of Glades County, at the June term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of breaking and entering into several store buildings, and sentenced therefor to be confined in the State Reformatory for boys at Marianna until such time as that court may properly order. Granted conditional pardons November 10, 1925.

Joe Townsend.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court, of Glades County, at the June term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of taking or stealing a bicycle tire, and sentenced therefor to be confined in the State reformatory for boys at Marianna until he is of the age of twenty-one years, or until such time as this Court may properly order. Granted conditional pardon November 10, 1925.

## DEATH SENTENCES COMMUTED

Nathan Lowe.—Convicted in the Circuit Court for Columbia County, A. D. 1924, of the offense of murder, and sentenced therefor to death by electrocution. Sentence commuted to life imprisonment November 3, 1925.

Fred Meyer.—Convicted in the Circuit Court, in and for Hillsborough County, at the February term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of murder, and sentenced therefor to death by electrocution. Sentence commuted to life imprisonment November 3, 1925. Frank West.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Glades County, of the offense of being drunk and intoxicated, at the April term thereof A. D. 1925, and sentenced to sixty days imprisonment in the county jail. Sentence commuted May 1st, 1925 to imprisonment in the county jail for a period of fifteen days.

Malory Williams.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Jackson County at the January term thereof A. D. 1925, of the offense of recklessly driving motor vehicle on public highway, and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of fifty dollars and costs of court, and that he be confined at hard labor in the county jail for and during a period of sixty days and in default of payment of said fine and costs that he be confined at hard labor in the county jail for and during an additional term of sixty days. Sentence commuted July 22, 1925 to fine of \$50.00 and costs of court.

M. T. Flint.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Glades County of the offense of manufacturing liquor, at the April term thereof A. D. 1925, and sentenced to six months imprisonment in the county jail. Sentence commuted on August 14th, 1925, to imprisonment in the county jail for a period of fifteen days.

Ben Atkins.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Jackson County, in July, 1925, of the offense of unlawful possession and unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors, and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$50.00 and costs of court and sixty days in the county jail, and in default of payment of fine and costs, sixty days additional in the county jail. Sentence commuted on October 1st, 1925, to payment of fine and costs as imposed, the jail sentence suspended during good behavior.

W. C. Allred.—Convicted of being interested in the manufacturing or possession of whiskey in June, A. D. 1925, County Judge's Court in and for Holmes County, and sentenced therefor to a fine of \$250.00 and costs of court and three months in the County jail. Sentence commuted to payment of fine and costs as imposed, the jail sentence to be suspended during good behavior, October 1st 1925.

A. I. Baker.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Holmes County in August, A. D. 1925, of the offense of possessing still and rum, and sentenced therefor to payment of fine of \$250.00 and costs and ninety days in the County jail, and in default of payment of fine and costs, six months in the County jail. Sentence commuted to payment of fine and costs, jail sentence suspended during good behavior, October 1st, 1925.

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S. A. Bush.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Volusia County at the May term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor, and sentenced therefor to three months in the County jail and fine of \$250.00 and costs of court, and in default of payment of fine and costs to serve six months in the County jail. Sentence commuted to payment of costs of court, the balance of sentence suspended during good behavior, October 1, 1925.

Rosa Campbell.—Convicted in the Circuit Court, in and for Suwannee County, at the Spring term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of obtaining money under false pretenses. and sentenced therefor to two years in the State prison. Sentence commuted on October 5th, 1925, to payment of \$100.00 fine.

Floyd Douglas.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court, in and for Polk County, at the Spring term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of possession of intoxicating liquor, and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$500.00 and costs of court. Sentence commuted on October 1st, 1925, to payment of fine of \$250.00 and costs of court, the balance of sentence suspended during good behavior.

Ellis Ferrell.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court. in and for Holmes County, at the March term thereof A. D. 1925. of the offense of violating the Prohibition Laws, and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$150.00 and costs of court and sixty days in the county jail. Sentence commuted on October 1, 1925 to payment of \$50.00 and costs of court, balance of sentence suspended during good behavior.

W. H. Finlayson.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court, in and for Jackson County, at the Spring term thereof A. D. 1925, of the offense of unlawful possession of intoxicating liquors, and sentenced therefor to sixty days in the county jail and fine of \$50 00 and costs of court, and in default of payment of fine and costs sixty days additional in the county jail, sentence commuted on October 1, 1925, to payment of fine and costs as imposed, the jail sentence suspended during good behavior.

Sam Jenkins.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Jackson County, August 26, A. D. 1925, of the offense of unlawful possession and unlawful transportation of intoxicating liquors and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$50.00 and costs of court and that he be confined to hard labor in the county jail for a period of sixty days, and in default of payment of said fine and costs to be confined in the county jail for an additional term of sixty days. Sentence commuted on September 26. 1925 to thirty days in the county jail, the balance of jail sentence to be suspended during good behavior.

J. F. Loek.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Washington County on the 23rd day of June A. D. 1925, of the offense of transporting and being in possession of intoxicating liquor, and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$200.00 and costs of court or serve 90 days in the county jail. Sentence commuted on September 26th, 1925 to payment of fine of \$1000.00 and costs of court; the balance of sentence suspended during good behavior.

C. Willis Mears.---Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Jackson County at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1925 of the offense of unlawful sale and unlawful possession of intoxicating liquors and sentenced therefor to sixty days in the County jail and a fine of \$50.00 and costs and in default of payment of fine and costs sixty days additional in the County jail. Sentence commuted on October 1st 1925 to payment of fine and costs of court as imposed, the jail sentence suspended during good behavior

Tom Smith.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Jackson County at the April term thereof, A, D. 1925, of the offense of unlawful possession and unlawful selling intoxicating liquor, and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$50.00 and costs of court and sixty days in the County jail and in default of payment of fine and costs sixty days additional in the County jail. Sentence commuted on October 1st to payment of fine and costs, the jail sentence suspended during good behavior.

B. H. Worthy.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court in and for Jackson County, at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1925, of the offense of unlawful possession of intoxicating liquors, and sentenced therefor to thirty days in the County jail and fined \$100.00 and costs of court, and in default of payment of fine and costs ninety days additional in the County jail. Sentence commuted to payment of fine and costs of court, the jail sentence suspended during good behavior, October 1st, 1925.

L. E. Webb.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court, in and for Bay County, at the February term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of possession of rum, and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$250.00 and cost of prosecution, and in default of the payment of such fine and costs. to be confined in the County jail at hard labor for a period of 180 days. Jail sentence commuted upon payment of fine and costs as imposed.

### PAROLES

Perry Alford.—Convicted in the Circuit Court in and for Columbia County, at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of having carnal knowledge of an unmarried female under 18 years of age and sentenced therefor to 10 years in the State prison. Paroled to his wife, Mrs. Perry Alford, on October 5th, 1925.

Howard H. Blackman.—Convicted in the Circuit Court of Sarasota County, at the spring term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of forgery and sentenced therefor to two years in the State prison. Paroled to his father, T. G. Blackman, of Birmingham, Ala., who is to report periodically to the Board as to the conduct of the said Howard H. Blackman, on October 5th, 1925.

Mike Canady.—Convicted in the Circuit Court in and for Santa Rosa County, at the fall term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of larceny of car and sentenced therefor to three years in the State prison. Paroled to his father, A. N. Canady, of Birmingham, Ala., on September 17th, 1925.

James F. Perry.—Convicted in the Circuit Court in and for Lake County at the fall term thereof, A. D. 1922, of the offense of murder and sentenced therefor to life. Paroled to Mr. John S. Wells, of Wellington, Kentucky, on September 26th, 1925.

W. H. Hill.—Convicted in the Circuit Court in and for Alachua County, at the January term thereof, A. D. 1921, of the offense of assault to rape and sentenced therefor to eight years in the State prison. Paroled to his brother, James Hill of Newark, N. J., on October 29th, 1925.

Martin Sattler.—Convicted in the Criminal Court in and for Duval County, at the October term thereof, A. D. 1919, of the offense of manslaughter and sentenced therefor to ten years in the State prison. Paroled to the superintendent of the Florida State Farm on October 29th, 1925.

## FULL PARDONS

J. M. Anderson.—Convicted of murder, first degree, in the Circuit Court in and for Hillsborough County at the Spring term thereof, A. D. 1913, and sentenced to life imprisonment and who was on December 20th, 1922, granted a conditional pardon. Granted full and complete pardon and thereby restored to the full rights of citizenship, October 5th, 1925.

Fox Brown.—Convicted in the Circuit Court in and for Palm Beach County at the Spring term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of possessing still mash and moonshine and sentenced therefor to pay a fine of \$250.00 and costs of court and four months in the county jail and in default of payment of fine and costs, 30 days additional in the county jail. Granted full and complete pardon and thereby restored to the full rights of citizenship, October 5th, 1925.

C. L. Denmark.—Convicted in the Circuit Court in and for Columbia County at the May term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of manslaughter and sentenced therefor to 6 years and who was on June 12th, 1925, granted a conditional pardon. Granted full and complete pardon and thereby restored to the full rights of citizenship, October 5th, 1925.

R. R. Padgett.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record in and for Duval County at the April term thereof, A. D. 1922, of the offense of perjury and sentenced therefor to ten years in the State prison. Granted a full and complete pardon and thereby restored to the full rights of eitizenship, October 5th, 1925.

### REPRIEVES GRANTED

Mallory Williams.—Convicted in the County Judge's Court of Jackson County, of the offense of unlawfully, recklessly driving an automobile on the public highways of said county in such manner as to endanger the lives and property of other persons, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$50.00 and costs and to be confined at hard labor in county jail for 60 days, and in default of payment of said fine and costs to be confined in county jail for an additional period of 60 days. Granted reprieve May 91 1925, for 30 days, and at expiration of this time another reprieve for 30 days was granted.

Charlie Shumake.—Convicted of the crime of unlawfully shooting into an occupied automobile in the Circuit Court of Washington County during the month of October, A. D. 1924, and sentenced therefor to one year in the State Prison. Granted reprieve for 30 days August 5, 1925.

Clarence Davis.—Convicted of receiving stolen property in the Criminal Court of Record, in and for Hillsborough County, in September, 1923, and sentenced therefor to two years in the State prison. Granted reprieve, July 10, 1925, for 30 days, and at expiration of this time another reprieve for 30 days granted.

Douglas Pate.—Convicted of the crime of having liquor in his possession, in the County Judge's Court, in and for Holmes County, Florida, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 and thirty days in jail. Granted reprieve for 30 days August 26, 1925.

Charles C. Killingsworth.—Convicted in the Criminal Court of Record, in and for Hillsborough County, at the Fall term thereof, A. D. 1924, of the offense of robbery and sentenced therefor to five years in the state prison Granted a reprieve for 30 days November 12, 1925.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Rowe, of 10th District, introduced— Senate Bill No. 3:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the addition to Greenville Special Tax School District, the holding of elections, the assessment and collection of taxes.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Rowe moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 3 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Rowe moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 3 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 3 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Rowe, of the 10th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 4:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the holding of elections in special tax school districts in Madison County. Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Rowe moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 4 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Rowe moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 4 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 4 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing hill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Rowe, of 10th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 5:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the addition to Hamburg Special Tax School District, the holding of elections, the assessment and collection of taxes.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Rowe moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 5 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 5 was read the second time.

Mr. Rowe moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 5 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 5 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Cone, of 30th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 6:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the issuance by the Town of White Springs, Florida, of that certain issue of bonds known as "Town of White Springs Water and Sewer Bonds" as authorized by an Ordinance No. 151 of said Town; and to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm all steps, acts, proceedings and things done by said Town in connection with the issuance of said bonds, including the passage of ordinances relating thereto, the calling of the election held therefor and the form of said bonds, and to declare, make and render said bonds legal, valid, binding and subsisting obligations of said Town.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Cone moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 6 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 6 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 6 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing hill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Hodges, of 8th District. introduced---

Senate Bill No. 7:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida, through and by the Commissioners of said City, to execute and deliver a quitclaim deed, quit claiming any right, title or interest which the said City of Tallahassee may have acquired and now retain under and by virtue of a certain deed from C. H. Pearce, Noah Graham, John Smith, James Osborn, Philip DeCourcy, Robert Cox, Samuel Wells, James Page, J. W. Jefferson, Benjamin Perry, and Thomas Hardy, as the Board of Trustees of Freedman's Public School, of the City of Tallahassee, to T. P. Tatum, Mayor of the City of Tallahassee, and his successors in office forever, appearing of record in deed book O, page 373, of the public records of Leon County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 7 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 7 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 7 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the toll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Navs--None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Malone, of 24th District, introduced— Senate Bill No. 8:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to construct toll bridges within Monroe County, Florida, to collect tolls therefrom and to issue bonds of the County for the purpose of constructing said toll bridges, and to pay the interest and sinking funds on the bonds issued for the construction of said toll bridges from the tolls collected, and from taxation on all taxable property in Monroe County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Malone moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 8 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 8 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 8 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

A communication from the Secretary of State was received.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Putnam, of 28th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 9:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna, Volusia County; Florida, to purchase a hydraulic dredge and to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing time warrants of said city in an amount not to exceed in the aggregate Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars, in such denomination as said City Commission may deem proper; to mature at a time not longer than twenty years from the date of issuance, and to bear interest not to exceed eight per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of raising funds with which to purchase said hydraulie dredge; to provide the manner of execution and sale of said time warrants and to provide for the payment thereof, and the raising of funds for such payment.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 9 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived

and that Senate Bill No. 9 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 9 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Navs-None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled hill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Malone, of 24th District, introduced— Senate Bill No. 10:

A bill to be entitled An Act to confer power and authority on the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, to grant licenses or privileges on such terms and under such conditions, and for such a term as the Board of County Commissioners may determine, to grant persons or corporations the right to construct telephone, telegraph or electric light lines over and upon all the public roads within Monroe County, Florida, and to grant franchises for said purposes; to also grant franchises to persons or corporations for the purpose of establishing water works throughout Monroe County, except within any corporate municipalities

Which was read the first time by its title.

Scuator Malone moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 10 he read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 10 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 10 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent--

Senator Malone, of 24th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 11:

A bill to be entitled An Act to confer power and authority on the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, to grant licenses, privileges or franchises to any persons or corporations, under such conditions and for such a term as the Board of County Commissioners may determine, to construct, operate and maintain toll bridges in Monroe County, Florida, and to connect said toll bridges with the public roads within said county, and to have power to regulate the amount of tolls to be collected, and such other powers necessary, incidental and proper to the foregoing powers.

Which was read the first time.

Senator Malone moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 11 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 11 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 11 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, ('alkins, 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent— Senator Malone, of 24th District, introduced— Senate Bill No. 12:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the Monroe Water Supply District, defining its boundaries, prescribing its powers, privileges, duties and liabilities; providing for the appointment of a Board of Trustees for said Monroe Water Supply District, and their terms of office; providing for an election for the issuance of bonds, prescribing how tolls and charges shall be fixed; granting the right to use the public and submerged lands of the State for the purpose of constructing and operating pipe lines; providing for levying taxes upon the property in the district; to issue and dispose of bonds for the purpose of procuring money to earry out the provisions of this Act; granting the right of eminent domain and for other purposes in accord with the object of this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Malone moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 12 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Senator Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 12 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 12 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

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

Nays—None.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Putnam, of 28th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 13:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna, Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing time warvants of said city in an amount not to exceed in the aggregate Thirty (\$30,000,00) Thousand Dollars, in such Denomination as said City Commission may deem proper; to mature at a time not longer than twenty years from the date of issuance and to bear interest not to exceed eight per cent, per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of raising funds with which to purchase a strip of land in New Smyrna, Florida, adjacent to Orange Street, between Canai Street and Washington Avenue, and to construct a sidewalk upon said strip of land so to be purchased; to provide the manner of execution and sale of said time warrants and to provide for the payment thereof, and the raising of funds for such payment.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 13 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 13 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 13 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent— Senator Putnam, of 28th District, introduced— Senate Bill No. 14:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower

the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna, Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing time warrants of said city in an amount not to exceed in the aggregate Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, in such denomination as said City Commission may deem proper; to mature at a time not longer than twenty years from the date of issuance, and to bear interest not to exceed eight per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of raising funds with which to extend the present electrical distribution system of the City of New Smyrna, Florida; to provide the manner of execution and sale of said time warrants and to provide for the payment thereof, and the raising of funds for such payment.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 14 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 14 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 14 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed. By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Putnam, of 28th District, introduced— Senate Bill No. 15:

A bill to be entitled An Act to approve, legalize, ratify, confirm and validate all the acts and proceedings of the City of New Smyrna, Florida, and its City Commission, other officers and agents, in relation to the annexation of certain tracts of land lying contiguous to the territorial limits of said City and within the same County, to-wit: Volusia County, and granting to said City all of the public property. rights, franchisce, easements, streets, roads and public highways located and dedicated, acquired, laid out, platted and conveyed to the public in all the territory so annexed.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 15 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 15 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 15 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

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

Navs-None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Putnam, of 28th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 16:

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A bill to be entitled An Act to enable the City of New Smyrna, Florida, to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings; to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other open spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of trades and industries in said City.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 16 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 16 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 16 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed. By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Russell, of the 26th District, introduced— Senate Bill No. 17:

A bill to be entitled an act to create certain territory in Putnam County, FlorIda, into a Special Road and Bridge District, and authorizing the issuance and sale of negotiable coupon bonds of said district in the amount of sixty thousand (\$60,000.00) dollars; and providing for the control and expenditure of the proceeds thereof; and for the construction and maintenance of a hard-surfaced public road within said district; and for the collection and control of funds to pay interest on and create a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds, and providing for an election upon the ratification of this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Russell moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 17 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Senator Russell moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 17 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 17 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Edge, of the 23rd District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 18:

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A bill to be entitled An Act validating the incorporation of the Town of Mascotte in Lake County, Florida, on October 9th, 1925, under the general municipal corporation laws; defining its boundaries and prescribing and providing for its jurisdiction and powers and the powers and jurisdiction of its officers.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Edge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 18 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 18 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 18 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed. Mr. Malone moved that all bills be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Mr. Singletary moved to waive the rules and that the Senate do now take up and consider messages from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

# MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTA-, TIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

> House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Fla., Nov 18, 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. 15:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the times for holding the regular terms of the Circuit Courts of Holmes County and Washington County in the Ninth Judicial Circuit of Florida.

Also---

House Bill No. 16:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act in relation to Special Road and Bridge District, Number 15 of Glades County, validating and confirming the proceedings to create such district and to issue bonds thereof in the amount of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand (\$250.000.00) Dollars and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds to said amount. Also-

House Bill No. 17:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a commission-manager form of government for the City of Melbourne, Brevard County, Florida; to provide for a referendum thereof to the qualified electors of said city for approval or disapproval; to provide for election of commissioners and fix their terms of office; to provide for election of a Mayor, to fix the powers, duties and compensation of such commissioners; to provide for election of a municipal judge, fix his compensation and term of office; to abolish all existing officers and boards, including the city council of said eity; to extend and enlarge the powers and jurisduction of said city; and to provide for the support and maintenance of the city government, and to provide for municipal improvements.

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House Bill No. 18:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act providing a supplemental, additional, and alternative method of making local improvements for the Town of Perry, Florida, a municipal corporation; authorizing and providing for special assessments for the cost thereof, and creating liens in favor of the municipality, and providing for the enforcement of such liens by courts of law and equity, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of such municipality.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully, B. A. MEGINNISS, Chief Clerk House of Representatives. By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 15 was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Gillis moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 15 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 15 was read a second time by its

title only.

Mr. Gillis moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 15 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 15 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Navs-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 a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 16, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 16 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 16 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 16 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 16 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

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

Nays-None.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent---

House Bill No. 17, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title only and considered.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 17 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 17 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 17 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 17 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 18, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered and was placed on Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

#### Also---

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

# House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 17, 1925.

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

Sir:

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House Bill No. 19:

vote of the House of Representatives.) (The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds

owners served or benefitted thereby, for the payment of the property owner's proportion of the cost of installation installation and construction in the City of Melbourne, Brevard County, Florida, of a municipal severage disposal system, and of the levy of assessments against real estate of abutting property owners and against real estate of such sewerage disposal system. A hill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm the 01 of

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House Bill No. 20:

thirds vote of the House of Representatives.) (The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-

sions of this Act; sessments; and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of structed under this Act and to provide a penalty for pose of the same to procure money to carry out the provisaid district to borrow money and to issue bonds and dislection of same; and to enforce the collection of such aserty embraeed in said district and to provide for the colto levy assessments of taxes upon the lands and other propworks for the reclamation, improvement and benefit of the construction of canals, the land lying within the boundaries and to define its powers; authorizing the improvement of daries; to create a board of commissioners for said district lating such provisions. lands and other property embraced in said district; and Belle Drainage A bill to be entitled An Act to establish the North La-elle Drainage District in this State and define its bounto prevent injury to any works condikes, drains, receivoirs and other of said district; V10-; the

street, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker-32.

Nays-None.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent--

House Bill No. 17, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title only and considered.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 17 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 17 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 17 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 17 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hule, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overtreet, 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 a two-thirds vote consent--

House Bill No. 18, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered and was placed on Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Also-

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

# House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 17, 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. 19:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm the installation and construction in the City of Melbourne, Brevard County, Florida, of a municipal sewerage disposal system, and of the levy of assessments against real estate of abutting property owners and against real estate of owners served or benefitted thereby, for the payment of the property owner's proportion of the cost of installation of such sewerage disposal system.

Also---

House Bill No. 20:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish the North La-Belle Drainage District in this State and define its boundaries: to create a board of commissioners for said district and to define its powers; authorizing the improvement of the land lying within the boundaries of said district; the construction of canals, dikes, drains, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation, improvement and benefit of the lands and other property embraced in said district; and to levy assessments of taxes upon the lands and other property embraced in said district and to provide for the collection of same; and to enforce the collection of such assessments; and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said district to borrow money and to issue bonds and dispose of the same to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act and to provide a penalty for violating such provisions.

Also-

House Bill No. 21:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest-bearing time warrants of said county in an amount not to exceed in the aggregate Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, in such denomination as said Board of County Commissioners may deem proper; to mature at a time not longer than twenty years from the date of issuance and to bear interest not to exceed six (6%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct and build certain roads and bridges in County Commissioners' District No. 4; to provide the manner of execution and sale of said time warrants and to provide for the payment thereof, and the raising of funds for such payment.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

> Very respectfully, B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 19, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 19 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 19 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 19 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 19 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 20, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 20 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 20 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 20 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 20 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent-

Nouse Bill No. 21, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 21 be read a second time by its title only.

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Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 21 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 21 he read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 21 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas--Mr. President, Senators 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., Nov. 18, 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. 1:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be cutitled An Act to change and fix the time for boiding the County Court in and for Indian River County, Florida.

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House Bill No. 2:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.) A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Jasper, in Hamilton County, to pave and hardsurface eertain portious of certain streets in said city and to authorize the assessing of the costs of such paving against the abutting property and to authorize the said city to build curb and gutters along said streets and to authorize the assessing of the costs of such curb and gutters against the abutting property and to authorize the assessing of the costs of certain curb and gutter already built along eertain streets on said city against the abutting property and authorizing said city to contract for the said paving and the building of said curb and gutter and granting certain powers in connection therewith.

Also---

House Bill No. 3 :

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act validating, legalizing and confirming general improvement bonds of the Town of Lake Worth. Florida, in the amount of \$1,250,000 and making said bonds the direct and general obligations of the territory formerly known as the Town of Lake Worth, and also of the City of Lake Worth, Florida, and providing for the payment of interest on and principal of said bonds by taxation.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 1, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered. Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1 be read  $\varepsilon$  second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bull No. 1 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

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

Nays-None.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 2, contained in the above message was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 2 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 2 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 2 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 2 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 3, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 3 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 3 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 3 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 3 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, IIale, 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., Nov. 18, 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 passedHouse Bill No. 4:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Jasper, a municipal corporation, in Hamilton County, to issue bonds, and granting certain powers in connection therewith.

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House Bill No. 5:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Okeechobee County. Florida, by resolution, 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 Board of County Commissioners may adopt, in the sum of \$160,000.00, the proceeds of which to be used in clearing. grading, constructing and paving a road beginning on the west side of Parrott Avenue on the shores of Lake Okeechobee, and run west along said shores for a distance of approximately one and one-half miles to a place known as McClendon Point, thence south approximately one thousand vards to Chandler Point, thence south approximately two and one-half miles along the shores of Lake Okeechobee to the northern banks of Kissimmee River; also widening, repairing, reconstructing and paving that portion of the Jupiter Road in Okeechobee County, Florida, extending from the intersection of said road and State Road Number Eight, thence east for a distance of approximately six miles and also for repairing and reconstructing bridges and culverts on said roads, or any part of them; for building new bridges or new culverts on said roads, or any part of them; and for 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; naming depositories for moneys derived from sale of said bonds and from taxes for sinking fund for retirement of said bonds.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 4, contained in the above message,  $w \sim read$  the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be waived and the Heuse Bill No. 4 be read a second time by its title on  $\mathbb{R}^{1}$ 

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 4 was read a second time by title only.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 4 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 4 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas -Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Maloue, 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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 5, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 5 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 5 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 5 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 5 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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 message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,

Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 18th, 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. 6:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act in relation to Special Road and Bridge District Number 11 of Glades County, validating and confirming the proceedings to create such district and to issue bonds thereof in the amount of three hundred thousand (\$300 000.00) dollars and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds to said amount.

Also---

House Bill No. 7:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present mu-

nicipality of the Town of LaBelle in Glades and Hendry Counties, Florida, to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of LaBelle, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said town of LaBelle and official acts thereunder; to preserve the validity and binding force of all the debts, obligations and liability of the former Town of LaBelle, to continue the same as the debts, and liability of the City of LaBelle; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of the City of LaBelle in Glades and Hendry Counties, State of Florida, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Also---

House Bill No. 8:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that certain real estate in LaBelle, Hendry County, Florida, be dedicated to the use of the public perpetually for use as streets and park and completing court house site; that deeds for said real estate to said county be ratified and validated; that the use and control of said real estate be perpetually vested in the Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida, with authority to erect the Hendry County court house thereon, to build, construct and maintain public streets and parkways thereon as in their judgment will be best for the public use.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing cutitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 6 contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 6 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 6 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 6 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 6 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent---

Honse Bill No. 7, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 7 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 7 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 7 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 7 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

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

Navs-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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 8, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 8 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 8 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 8 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 8 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas -Mr. President. Senators 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, Tallabassee, Fla., Nov. 18, 1925.

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

#### Sir:

1 am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passedHouse Bill No. 9:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act in relation to the government and powers of the City of Pensacola, to fix the salaries of the City Commissioners of said city and to empower said city to extend and operate its water and sewerage system beyond the corporate limits of said city.

Also----

House Bill No. 10:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the compensation of the Judge of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County, to be paid by the County of Escambia.

Also----

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House Bill No. 11:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

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, State of Florida, which are submerged or partially submerged beneath the waters of Lake Okeechobee, and authorizing and empowering the said trustees to sell and convey said lands in the manner and upon the terms and conditions provided in Chapter 7861. Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, and providing for the disposition of moneys arising and resulting from the sale of said lands.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS.

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds consent-

House Bill No. 9, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Mr. ('ee moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 10, contained in the above message, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 10 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Coe moved to indefinitely postpone House Bill No. 10.

Which was agreed to.

And the bill was indefinitely postpoued.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 11, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 11 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Mr. Malone moved that House Bill No. 11 be referred to Judiciary Committee B.

Which was agreed to.

#### Also---

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

> House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Fla. Nov. 18, 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. 12:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish the Citrus

Center Drainage District in this State and define its boundaries; to create a board of commissioners for said District and to define its powers; authorizing the improvement of the land lying within the boundaries of said District; the construction of canals, dikes. drains, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation, improvement and benefit of the lands and other property embraced in said district; and to levy assessments of taxes upon the lands and other property embraced in said district and to provide for the collection of the same: and to enforce the collection of such assessments; and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said district to borrow money and to issue bonds and dispose of the same to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act and to provide a penalty for violating such provisions.

Also-

House Bill No. 13:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, to levy a tax of not to exceed five mills on the dollar in addition to other taxes now authorized by general law, for grading and hard surfacing the public roads of said county.

Also----

House Bill No. 14:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the issuance and sale of additional bonds in the sum of forty thousand dollars by the County of Hendry, State of Florida, for the purpose of completing a court house in and for Hendry County, Florida, as originally designated and accepted by the Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida, and for purchasing suitable and necessary furniture to furnish said court house, for purchasing jail cells to be placed in said court house for purchasing land, if necessary, for said court house site, for building and constructing streets, sidewalks and ornamentation of grounds around said court house and for any other purpose that may be found necessary in connection with constructing

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and furnishing said court house, 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

### Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 12, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 12 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 12 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 12 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 12 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Valkins, 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. 13, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title, and, under the rule, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 14, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 14 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 14 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 14 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 14 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators Anderson. Butler, ('alkins, 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, Turrer Walker, Watson, Wicker-32.

Navs-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. Singletary moved to waive the rules and that all hills already passed by the Senate be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bills were so certified.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives.

Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 18, 1925.

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

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to in-

form the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

House Bill No. 22 :

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled  $\Delta n$  Act to abolish the present municipality of Town of Fellsmere, in Indian River County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as City of Fellsmere, in Indian River County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of Fellsmere and official acts thereunder, and to adopt the same as the ordinances of said City of Fellsmere; to prescribe the time within which suits shall be brought against said City and for notice thereof; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said City of Fellsmere in Indian River County, Florida, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Also-

House Bill No. 23:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds) vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Hialeah, Dade County. Florida, and to abolish the municipal government of the Town of Hialeah, Dade County. Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Hialeah, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers franchises and privileges, and to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds and for other purposes.

Also-

House Bill No. 24:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A hill to be entitled An Act extending and enlarging the amount of bonds that may be issued by the City of Kissimmee, and regulating and providing for the issuance of the same.

Also---

House Bill No. 25:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

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A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the powers of the City Commission of the City of Kissimmee, Florida, relative to the letting of contracts for public improvements.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

# Very respectfully,

# B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 22, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 22 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No.  $2^{\circ}$  was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 22 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 22 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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.), Turnball, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker-32.

Nays--None.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule. By a two-thirds vote consent---

House Bill No. 23, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 24, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 24 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Horse Bill No. 24 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 24 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 24 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 25, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that Honse Bill No. 25 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 25 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 25 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 25 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas--Mr. President, Senators 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, November 18, 1925.

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

## Sir:

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

House Bill No. 26:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Twentyseven of Chapter 10950, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, approved the 24th day of April, 1925, being an Act entitled: "An Act to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Oviedo, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdiction, government, powers and privileges," said section relating to the passage of ordinances by said Town of Oviedo. Florida.

#### Also---

House Bill No. 27:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide the manner of making street and sidewalk improvements in the Town of Oviedo, Florida; to authorize the Town of Oviedo, Florida, to pay a portion of the cost thereof, or to assess all or any part of the cost against property according to henefits conferred or frontage on such improvement; to provide for the making of special assessments against real property in the Town of Oviedo. Florida, to defray all or a portion of the cost of making street and sidewalk improvements in the said Town, and to provide for the issuance and sale of bonds of said Town of Oviedo, Florida, based upon special assessments for street improvements, to defray the property owners' share of the cost of such improvements and for the payment of said bonds; to authorize said Town to borrow money to defray the property owners' share of the cost of street improvements; and to make special assessments for street and sidewalk improvements a lien against the property assessed and to provide for the collection thereof.

Also---

House Bill No. 28:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act validating an election held on the fourth day of September, 1925, in Special Tax School District Number One (otherwise known as Sanford Special Tax School District), of Seminole County, Florida, to determine whether or not said special tax school district should issue bonds in the sum of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars to be used for the purposes set forth in the resolution of the Board of Public Instruction of Seminole County, Florida, adopted on the fourth day of August, 1925, and authorizing the issuance and sale by said special tax school district of said bonds and authorizing the expenditure of the proceeds thereof for the purposes set forth in said resolution of said Board of Public Instruction.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

# Very respectfully,

### B. A. MEGINNISS,

# Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 26, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 26 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 26 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 26 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 26 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent---

House Bill No. 27, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 27 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 27 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived

and that House Bill No. 27 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 27 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Navs-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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 28, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 28 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 28 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 28 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 28 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas -Mr. President. Senators 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, Wieker-32.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

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The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

> House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Florida, Nov. 18, 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. 33:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Punta Gorda, Florida, to levy a tax for publicity purposes and to provide for the expenditure thereof.

Also---

House Bill No. 34:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled  $\hat{A}n$  Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners which had a population of more than ten thousand seven hundred (10,700) and not more than ten thousand nine hundred (10,900), according to the State Census of 1925.

Also---

House Bill No. 35:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two thirds vote of the House of Representatives).

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate all acts and proceedings in connection with the authorization, issuance and sale of \$145,000.00 municipal improvement bonds of the City of Tarpon Springs, Pinellas County, Florida, and legalizing and validating said bonds.

Also-

House Bill No. -36:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the Charter of

the City of Punta Gorda, Charlotte County, Florida, by authorizing said city to issue time warrants or time certificates for the purpose of raising funds for the improvement of the city parks and to pay off any claims or indebtedness for the improvement and for the filling in of land in front of said parks and for the construction and maintenance of sea wall in front of said parks so filled in.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Fiorida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 33, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 33 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 33 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 33 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 33 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent---

House Bill No. 34, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 34 be read  $\varepsilon$  second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 34 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 34 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 34 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent--

House Bill No. 35, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 35 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 35 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 35 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote:

And House Bill No. 35 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Överstreet, 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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 36, contained in the above message, was, read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 36 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 36 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 36 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 36 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators Auderson, 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., Nov. 18, 1925.

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

Sir:

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I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed— House Bill No. 37:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 3, 138 and 139 of Chapter 2055 of the Laws of Florida, A. D. 1921, and same being an act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of Punta Gorda, Charlotte County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Punta Gorda, Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits, thereof, to prescribe the forms of government and to confer certain powers upon said municipality and its officers, and to provide a charter for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act.

Also----

House Bill No. 38:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm an issue of bonds of Special Road and Bridge District No. 6, Hardee County. Florida. in the sum of One Hundred Thousand dollars, and to provide for the levy and collection of a tax to pay the principal and interest of said bonds as it becomes due.

Also-

House Bill No. 39:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to confirm and validate an issue of bonds of the City of Wauchula, Florida, in the sum of One Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars: to confirm and validate the election authorizing the issuance of said bonds, to authorize and require the collection of a tax to pay the principal and interest thereof. Also---

House Bill No. 40:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two thirds vote of the House of Representatives).

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm an issue of Fifty Thousand Dollars bonds issued for and upon behalf of the Town of Bowling Green, Florida, and to provide for the levy and collection of a tax to pay the principal and interest thereof.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bills and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 37, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 37 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 37 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 37 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 37 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Butler. Senators Anderson, Yeas—Mr. President, 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 a two-thirds vote consent--

House Bill No. 38, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 38 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 38 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 38 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 38 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 39, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 39 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 39 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 39 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 39 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, ('alkins, 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.

Navs-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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 40, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 40 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 40 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 40 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 40 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President. Senators Anderson, Butler, ('alkins, 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.

Senator Anderson in the Chair.

#### Also-

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

## House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 18, 1925.

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

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 41:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives).

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Town Council of the Town of Bowling Green, Florida, to issue and sell the bonds of said Town in a sum not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars to provide funds for the construction of a municipal building in said Town; and to provide for the levy and collection of a tax to pay the principal and interest of said bonds.

Also---

House Bill No. 42:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to constitute certain territory in Hardee County, Florida, into a special road and bridge district; to authorize the issuance of bonds thereof not to exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars, and to provide for the levy and collection of a tax to pay the principal and interest of said bonds.

Also---

House Bill No. 43:

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(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3 of Article 4, and Section 8 of Article 4 by the addition of Section 8a. and Section 4 of Article 5 all of Chapter 5864. Laws of Florida, Acts of 1907, approved May 22nd, 1907, same being entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Wauchula, Florida, and organize a city government for the same, and to provide its jurisdiction and powers." 1

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hardee County, Florida, on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District Number Two of said County, to issue and sell time warrants, bonds or other negotiable paper of said district in an amount not to exceed Forty Thousand Dollars to provide funds for the completion of the roads in said district, and to provide for the levy and collection of a tax to pay the principal and interest of said time warrants, bonds, or other negotiable paper.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

### Very respectfully,

# B. A. MEGINNISS,

# Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 41, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 41 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 41 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 41 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 41 was read a third time in full.

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Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 42, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 42 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 42 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 42 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote

And House Bill No. 42 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 43, contained in the above message. was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 43 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 43 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 43 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 43 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, ('alkins, 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.

Navs-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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 44, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 44 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 44 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 44 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 44 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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., Nov. 18, 1925.

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

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

House Bill No. 45:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm an issue of bonds of Special Road and Bridge District No. 2, Hardee County, Florida, in the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars, and to provide for the levy and collection of a tax to pay the principal and interest thereof.

Also----

House Bill No. 46:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Hardee County, Florida, to issue and sell notes, certificates of indebtedness, or bonds of Special Road and Bridge District Number 7 of said County. in an amount not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of providing funds with which to complete the construction of a system of hardsurfaced highways in said Special Road and Bridge District Number 7.

Also-

House Bill No. 47:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act creating Special Road and Bridge District Number 16, Hardee County, Florida, and defining the boundaries of said district and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hardee County, Florida, to issue and sell bonds of said district in a sum not to exceed \$150,000.00 for the purpose of constructing macadamized or other hard surfaced highways.

Also---

House Bill No. 48:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act granting unto Clay Chadwick and S. J. Chadwick, their heirs, administrators, successors and assigns, the leave and license to construct and operate a toll bridge across Lemon Bay from some place on Government Lots 1 and 2 of fractional Section 12. Township 41 South, of Range 19 East, to some place on the mainland near Red Fish Point in Charlotte County. Florida.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

House Bill No. 45, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 45 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 45 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 45 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 45 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 46, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 46 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 46 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 46 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 46 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas--Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent---

House Bill No. 47, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 47 be read a second time by its title only.

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Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 47 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 47 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 47 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Navs---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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 48, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 48 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 48 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 48 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 48 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President. Senators Anderson, Butler. Colkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Ha'e. Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen. Taylor (31st Dist.). Turnbull. Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker-32. former Ange

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., Nov. 18, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,

President of the Senate.

Sir :

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

House Bill No. 49:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Stuart to levy taxes for the year 1925 upon the property included in the corporate limits of said City by an Act of the Legislature known as "House Bill No. 585" Session of 1925, and entitled "An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Stuart in the County of Palm Beach, Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a Municipality to be known as City of Stuart, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges." Passed at the Regular Session of the Legislature, June, 1925.

Also---

House Bill No. 50:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate certificates of indebtedness issued by the Town of Palm City, Florida, for bulkheading, building sea-walls and otherwise improving certain lots, pieces and parcels of land in the said Town of Palm City, Martin County, Florida, and to validate the acts and proceedings of said Town of Palm City, its commissioners, officers and agents, relating to the assessment and issuance of said certificates of indebtedness; perfecting all irregularities and euring all omissions which may exist in and about the said

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assessment and issuance of said certificates of indebtedness by the said Town of Palm City, Martin County, Florida.

Also---

House Bill No. 51 :

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate all acts and proceedings in connection with the authorization, issuance and sale of improvement bonds of the City of Tarpon Springs, Pinellas County, Florida, in the respective amounts of \$386,000.00, dated July 20, A. D. 1925; \$275,-000.00, dated August 18, A. D. 1925, and \$8,000.00, dated September 28, A. D. 1925, and legalizing and validating said bonds.

Also---

House Bill No. 52:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Four of Article Seven of Cahpter 9047. Acts of 1921 of the Laws of Florida, the same being "An Act to establish a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Palm City, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to fix and determine the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said town and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers."

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law. was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing bills were passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 49, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered. Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 49 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 49 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 49 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 49 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 50, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 50 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 50 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 50 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 50 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President. Senators 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.

Navs-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 a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 51, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 51 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 51 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 51 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 51 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas--M1 President. Senators 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.

Navs-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 a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 52, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 52 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 52 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 52 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 52 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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The following message from the House of Representatives was received :

> House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 18, 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. 1:

(Which had been duly advertised.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and legalize the issuance of bonds by the Indian Prairie Sub-Drainage District in the sum of \$350.000.00.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 1, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills,

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Singletary, of 4th District. introduced – Senate Bill No. 20:

Senate Din No. 20

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 10730 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, and 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 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."

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Singletary moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 20 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 20 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 20 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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. Gillis moved that the Senate do now go into Executive Session.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon, at 12:50 o'clock P. M., the Chamber and Galleries were cleared of visitors and attaches and the doors of the Chamber were closed.

The doors opened at 1:16 o'clock P. M.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators 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. Etheredge moved that the Senate take a recess until 3 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

Thereupon the Senate, at 1:20 o'clock P. M., stood adjourned until 3 o'clock P. M., Wednesday, November 18th, A. D. 1925.

AFTERNOON SESSION-3 O'CLOCK.

The Senate convened at 3 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, Senators 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.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Phillips, of 14th District. introduced-

Senate Bill No. 19:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. J. Corum, and authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Columbia County, Florida, to determine and settle the claim of J. J. Corum for damages arising from a personal injury sustained by him from the explosion of dynamite while engaged at work on the public highways of Columbia County, Florida. in the employment of Columbia County.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Phillips moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 19 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Phillips moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 19 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 19 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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.

Navs-None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the localiy where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into legislature ture of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

Senator Putnam, of 28th District. introduced --Senate Bill No 21:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Oak Hill, Florida, and to establish and constitute and establish a municipality in Volusia County, Florida, to be known and designated as the Town of Oak Hill, Florida; to define its territorial limits, and provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 21 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 21 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 21 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bills, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bills were passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Putnam, of 28th District. introduced-

Senate Bill No. 22:

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 a municipal dock in Coronado Beach, Florida, and providing for the payment thereof.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 22 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 22 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 22 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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.

Navs-None.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced---

Senate Bill No. 23:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create certain territory in Polk County, Florida, into a special road and bridge district known as Special Road and Bridge District No. 18 of Polk County, Florida, and to authorize the maintenance and construction of roads therein and the construction and maintenance of bridges, and for the appointment of a Board of Bond Trustees for such District, and providing for the issuance of bonds or of time warrants of said special road and bridge district and providing for the levy of a tax for the purpose of paying said bonds or warrants and interest thereon.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and and that Senate Bill No. 23 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived

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and that Senate Bill No. 23 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 23 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent--

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 24:

A bill to be entitled An Act to change the name of the Town of Dundee, Polk County, Florida. to East Winter Haven.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 24 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 24 be read a third time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 24 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coc. Colson, Cone. Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Kuight, 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 25:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Auburndale, a municipal corporation in Polk County, Florida, to issue time warrants in scrial form to liquidate its floating indebtedness and obligations.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 25 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 25 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 25 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Navs-None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent--

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 26:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate all proceedings of the City of Auburndale, a municipal corporation, in Polk County, Florida, in relation to paying operations on Lake Avenue, Bartow Avenue, and East Park Street in said City, additional widths, and to legalize and validate the assessments against the lots and parcels of land adjoining and contiguous or bounding and abutting on the said Avenues and Streets for the cost of such improvements, and to provide for the issuance of improvement bonds on said assessments.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 26 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 26 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 26 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President. Senators Anderson, Butler. ('alkins, 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly eestablished in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent— Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced Senate Bill No. 27:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present nunuicipal government of the Town of Dundee, in the County of Polk, Florida, and to abolish. organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Dundee; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its purisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of same.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 27 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 27 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 27 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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. Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Ewearingen, of 7th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 28:

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A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Mulberry, Florida, and to give the said City of Mulberry jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 28 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 28 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 28 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the hill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 29:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to issue for and on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District No. 10 of Polk County, Florida, additional bonds in a sum not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00), for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing or rebuilding in said District permanent roads and bridges as described in the petition for the establishment of the said Special Road and Bridge District, and for the maintenance of said roads, and providing for the rate of interest said bonds shall bear and the period for which said bonds 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 bonds.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 29 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 29 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 29 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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-Noue.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, nd in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced---

Senate Bill No. 30:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to issue for and on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District No. 11 of Polk County, Florida, additional bonds in a sum not to exceed Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing or rebuilding in said District permanent roads and bridges as described in the petition for the establishment of the said Special Road and Bridge District, and for the maintenance of said roads, and providing for the rate of interest said bonds shall bear and the period for which said bonds 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 bonds.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived · and that Senate Bill No. 30 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 30 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 30 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter of thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants or bonds of said County in a sum not to exceed One Hundred Two Thousand Dollars (102,000.00). for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, reconstruct or rebuild in said County, one (1) certain permanent road from the City of Lakeland in said County to the Town of Socrum in said County by way of Kathleen, and for the maintenance of said road, and providing for the rate of interest said warrants or bonds shall bear and the period for which said warrants or bonds 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 or bonds.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 31 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 31 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 31 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District. introduced--

Senate Bill No. 32:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the board of county commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants or bonds of said county in the sum not to exceed four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000.00) for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, reconstruct or rebuild in said county, a certain permanent road and bridges from the point on Kissimmee River on the eastern boundary of Polk County, connecting with a permanent road leading to Vero in Indian River County, Florida, thence running westerly to the town of Hesperides and also to connect with a permanent road constructed or to be constructed by Special Road and Bridge District No. 15 of Polk County, Florida, leading easterly from Frostproof in said County, and for the maintenance of said road, and providing for the rate of interest said warrants or bonds shall bear, and the period for which said warrants or bonds 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 or bonds.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 32 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 32 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 32 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Wass-Mr. President. Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District. introduced— Senate Bill No. 33:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the erecting or causing to be erected, placing or causing to be placed of sign boards, signs, sign posts, placards or posters within the right-of-way of any public highway in any county of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 63,000 and not more than 65,000 according to the 1925 State census, and providing penalties for violation.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 33 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived

and that Senate Bill No. 33 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 33 was read a third time in full Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced---

Senate Bill No. 34:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County. Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants or bonds of said County in a sum not to exceed Forty Thousand Dollars (40,000.00) in addition to time warrants heretofore authorized to be issued, for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, reconstruct or rebuild in said County one (1) certain permanent road leading from the town of Socrum in said County to the Pasco County line, and for the maintenance of said road and providing for the rate of interest said warrants or bonds shall bear and the period for which said warrants or bonds 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 or bonds. Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and and that Senate Bill No. 34 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 34 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 34 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

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

Nays—None.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced---

Senate Bill No. 35:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to issue for and on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District No. 12 of Polk County, Florida, and to sell interest bearing time warrants or bonds of said Special Road and Bridge District, in an amount not to exceed Fifty-two Thousand Dollars (\$52,000.00) in addition to the time warrants and bonds outstanding at the time of such issuance, for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct. reconstruct or rebuild in said County, and to widen, one (1) certain permanent road beginning at the Town of Lakeland on North Florida Avenue and running to the Town of Socrum in said County, and for the maintenance of such road, and providing for the rate of interest said time warrants or bonds shall bear, and the period for which said warrants or bonds 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 or bonds.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 35 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 35 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 35 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

Senator Swearingen. of 7th District. introduced--

Senate Bill No. 36 :

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of

County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to issue for and on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District Number 12, of Polk County, Florida, additional time warrants or bonds in the sum not to exceed Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, reconstruct or rebuild in said Special Road and Bridge District No. 12, a certain permanent road and bridges described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the asphalt highway leading from South Florida Avenue, through the Lakeland Highlands, at a noint half way between the southeast corner and the southwest corner of Section Six (6), Township Twenty-nine (29), south of Range Twenty-four (24) east, and running thence south as near as practicable along the route of the established public road a distance of two miles to connect with asphalt road provided to be built along the southern boundary of Sections 18 and 19 of said Township and Range; said road to be of permanent nature and construction and hard-surfaced; and for the maintenance of said road and providing for the rate of interest said warrants or bonds shall bear and the period for which said warrants or bonds 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 or bonds.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 36 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 36 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 36 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced— Senate Bill No. 37:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants or bonds of said County in a sum not to exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) in addition to time warrants heretofore authorized to be issued, for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, reconstruct or rebuild in said Polk County, one (1) certain permanent road leading from the Town of Auburndale in said County to Polk City in said County and thence to the Lake County line, and for the maintenance of said road, and providing for the rate of interest said warrants or bonds shall bear and the period for which said warrants or bonds shall run, aud providing for the levy of a special tax to cover interest and to create a sinking fund for the payment of said bonds or warrants.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 37 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 37 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 37 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent --

Senator Gillis, of 3rd District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 38:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating certain territory in Walton County, Florida, into a Special Road and Bridge District and to authorize the issuance of bonds for, and the building and construction of certain roads, culverts and bridges therein; providing for the levy of a tax to pay the interest on and to redeem said bonds and to vest in the Board of County Commissioners of said County. certain powers and duties; providing for the payment of a part of the proceeds of such bonds to the Town of De-Funiak Springs, Florida, and providing that this Act shall be submitted to the qualified electors who are freeholders of said District for approval or rejection.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Gillis moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 38 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 38 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 38 was read a third time in full.

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Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent--

Senator Gillis, of 3rd District, introduced--

Senate Bill No. 39:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the action of the Town Council, the Mayor and Town Clerk of the Town of DeFuniak Springs, Florida, and the action of every other officer and person in relation to the issuance and sale of bonds in the sum of \$15,000.00 for city hall purposes, for the Town of De-Funiak Springs, Florida, as the same were authorized by the special election held within said town, September 23rd, 1919.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Gillis moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 39 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Gillis moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 39 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 39 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

Senator Edge, of 23rd District introduced— Senate Bill No. 40:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create, establish and constitute certain territory in Lake County, Florida, as a special road and bridge district to be known and designated as "Special Road and Bridge District No. 12 of Lake County, Florida''; providing for building, constructing, reconstructing and improving certain roads in said district, and prescribing the materials of which same shall be built, constructed, reconstructed and improved providing for the issuance of bonds of said district, the proceeds of the sale of which shall be used for said purposes: providing for the levy and collection of taxes on all taxable property within said district, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to pay the principal and interest if said bonds; and prescribing the duties and powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, in relation to said district.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Edge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 40 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 40 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 40 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President. Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Edge, of 23rd District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 41 :

A bill to be entitled An Act to organize, incorporate and establish the municipality of the Town of Minneola, in Lake County, Florida, to fix its territorial limits and provide for its government.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Edge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 41 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 41 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 41 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article 111 of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Swearingen, of 7th District, introduced---

Senate Bill No. 42:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government to be named and designated as the Town of Highlands City in the County of Polk in the State of Florida; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 42 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 42 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 42 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas---Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

Mr. Etheredge moved to waive the rules and that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Messages from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

# MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTA-TIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives, Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 18, 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. 31:

(The introduction of which was agreed to by a twothirds vote of the House of Representatives.)

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the creation

of Melon County in the State of Florida, and for the organization and government thereof.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law, was duly established in the House of Representatives before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 31, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered.

Mr. Colson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 31 be read a second time in full.

Upon which a Yea and Nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote to read bill in full was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Colson, Edge, Hineley, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Phillips, Putnam, Turnbull, Walker, Watson—12.

Nays-Senators Butler, Clark, Coe, Cone, Etheredge, Gillis, Hodges, Overstreet, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Turner, Wicker-16.

So the motion to waive the rules and read House Bill No. 31 the second time in full, did not prevail.

Mr. Gillis moved that House Bill No. 31 be referred to the Committee on County Organization.

Which was agreed to.

And the bill was so referred.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives, Tatlahassee, Fla., Nov. 18, 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. 141:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Governor of the State of Florida to employ clerical assistance for the different departments of the State government, which, by reason of increase of work in such departments, are found not to be adequately provided for, and to authorize the Governor to employ competent persons to make such investigations as may be required by the Governor to gather information necessary for the efficient conduct of the affairs of the State, and especially for investigating and reporting matters concerning taxation and finance throughout the State of Florida, and to make an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

### Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 141, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,

Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 18, 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 passedHouse Bill No. 138:

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A bill to be entitled An Act vesting the title to certain plots of ground in the City of Tallahassee in the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida for public purposes, and to authorize and direct the City Commissioners of the City of Tallahassee, Florida, to make, execute and deliver a deed of conveyance transferring and conveying whatever title the City of Tallahassee may claim in and to said plots of ground to the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida for public purposes, and to authorize the City of Tallahassee to maintain supervision and control over said plots of ground for park purposes until such time as the same may be required for public buildings.

#### Also----

House Bill No. 139:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Repeal Section 603, Revised General Statutes of Florida, prohibiting the sale of State seminary or school lands on credit and authorizing the State Board of Education of Florida, to sell lands, the title to which is vested in the State Board of Education of the State of Florida, either for cash or on terms of not less than one-fourth cash and the balance in equal payments of not less than one-fourth each and to run for a period of not longer than three years with eight per cent. Interest on deferred payments.

Also---

House Bill No. 140:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the compensation and to provide for the payment of the salary and the traveling expenses of State's Attorneys in Judicial Circuits in this State, which circuits are composed of four counties and have no Criminal Court of Record established therein at the time of the passage of this Act and to make appropriation for the same.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully, B. A. MEGINNISS, Chief Clerk House of Representatives. By a two-thirds vote consent-

House Bill No. 138, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered and referred to the Committee on State Institutions.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

House Bill No. 139, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered and referred to the Committee on Education.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

House Bill No. 140, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and considered and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator Clark, of 1st District. introduced-

Senate Bill No. 43:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the creation and establishment in counties of this State having, according to the State census of 1925 a population of not less than 14,500 nor more than 15,000 including Santa Rosa County, of "Super Special Road and Bridge Districts" and abolishing all Special Road and Bridge Districts within such "Super Special Road and Bridge Districts"; defining "Super Special Road and Bridge District"; providing the manner in which such Districts shall be created, and abolished; providing for the assumption and payment by "Super Special Road and Bridge Districts" of all the obligations of Special Road and Bridge Districts included therein; providing for the distribution of property of said abolished districts; and prescribing certain duties of the Boards of County Commissioners of such counties.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Clark moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 43 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 43 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 43 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Clark, of 1st District. introduced-

Senate Bill No. 44:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of counties having a population of not less than Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred and Ninety nor more than Fifteen Thousand. according to the State census of 1925, including Santa Rosa County, to levy, collect and expend an annual tax for publicity purposes.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Clark moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 44 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 44 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 44 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

Senator Clark, of 1st District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 45:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of members of Boards of County Commissioners of counties having, according to the State Census of 1925, a population of not less than fourteen thousand five hundred and ninety nor more than fifteen thousand, including Santa Rosa County.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Clark moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 45 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 45 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 45 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

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

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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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent-

Senator Clark, of 1st District. introduced---

Senate Bill No. 46:

A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing special road and bridge districts and "super special road and bridge districts" in counties of this State having, according to the State census of 1925, a population of not less than 14,500 nor more than 15,000, including Santa Rosa County, whenever the board of County Commissioners for such counties shall issue county bonds for certain purposes; providing for the assumption and payment by such counties of obligations of such abolished districts of said counties; and providing for the distribution of property owned by such abolished districts.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Clark moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 46 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 46 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 46 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

Senator Clark, of 1st District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 47 :

A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing the office of Bond Trustee and Boards of Bond Trustees in Counties of this State, having according to the State Census of 1925, a population of not less than fourteen thousand five hundred and ninety nor more than fifteen thousand, including Santa Rosa County, imposing upon the boards of County Commissioners of such Counties certain powers and duties, and providing for an accounting and settlement between such Trustees and such Board of County Commissioners.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Clark moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 47 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 47 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 47 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President. Senators 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.

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

Senator Clark, of 1st District. introduced-

Senate Bill No. 48:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Four of Laws of Florida, enacted by the Regular Chapter Session of the Legislature of the State, A. D. 1925, being entitled "An Act authorizing the county commissioners of Santa Rosa County to levy and collect a tax for a Court House, or Court House and jail, during the years 1927. 1928 and 1929; providing for the expenditure of the funds derived from such tax and the tax already levied for that purpose; authorizing said board to invest the funds derived from such tax, and the tax already levied for that purpose, and to construct one or both of such buildings before all funds shall have been derived from such tax, and to evidence any balance due by time warrants: providing for the payment of any deficiency, and for the disposition of any excess funds, and ratifying all Acts of the said board with relation thereto."

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Clark moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 48 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 48 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 48 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator McDaniels, of 25th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 49:

A bill to be entitled An Act to allow and require the County Commissioners of Gulf County, Florida, to assue and sell bonds in a sum not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars, to secure funds with which to build and equip a Court House and a Jail for said County.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 49 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 49 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 49 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent—

Senator McDaniels, of 25th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 50:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Section 3 of Chapter 10132, No. 110, General Acts of the Laws of Florida, Regular Session 1925, relating to the county seat of Gulf County.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 50 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 50 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 50 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas-Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Cce, 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.

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So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality wrere the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

By a two-thirds vote consent---

Senator McDaniels, of 25th District, introduced-

Senate Bill No. 51:

A bill to be entitled an Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Gulf County, Florida, to obtain transcript of the records of Calhoun County by contract or otherwise, and to repeal any law or parts of Chapter 10132, No. 110, Acts of Regular Session 1925, in conflict with this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 51 be read the second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 51 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 51 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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. Evidence that the notice required by Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida has been published in the locality where the matter or thing to be affected is situated, which notice stated the substance of the contemplated law, and was published at least sixty days prior to the introduction into the Legislature of the foregoing bill, and in the manner provided by law was duly established in the Senate before the foregoing entitled bill was passed.

The following message was received from the Governor and read:

State of Floride, Executive Department, Tallahassee, Florida, November 18, 1925.

# To the Honorable John S. Taylor, President, and Members of the Senate, and Arthur Y. Milam, Speaker, and Members of the House of Representatives of the State of Florida.

### Gentlemen:

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I am impelled, by the amazing growth and development of our State and the need of certain remedial measures, to recommend to you for passage some general legislation which I deem of great importance to the State at this time, and I sincerely request that you consider the following measures:

"An Act to authorize the Governor of the State of Florida to employ clerical assistance for the different departments of the State government which, by reason of increase of work in such departments, are found not to be adequately provided for, and to authorize the Governor to employ competent persons to make such investigations as may be required by the Governor to gather information necessary for the efficient conduct of the affairs of the State, and especially for investigating and reporting matters concerning taxation and finance throughout the State of Florida, and to make an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this Act."

The demand for relief in the office of the Secretary of State, because of the accumulation of work entailed by the Corporation Laws; the need of greater labor in the State Experiment Station; the need of more help in the Department of the State Board of Health; and, in fact, in every department of the State government, on account of unprecedented growth, and no one can foretell possible strides the State will make in the next year and a half before the legislature will meet again, I am compelled to ask that you consider this measure as an emergency fund to take care of any unforeseen contingency which may arise in the future.

Also consider:

"An Act to repeal Section 603, Revised General Statutes of Florida, prohibiting the sale of State Seminary or School Lands on credit and authorizing the State Board of Education of Florida to sell lands, the title to which is vested in the State Board of Education of the State of Florida, either for cash or on terms of not less than one-fourth cash and the balance in equal payments of not less than one-fourth each and to run for a period of not longer than three years, with eight per cent. interest on deferred payments."

At this time Florida lands are in great demand and the Internal Improvement Board has the authority by law to sell said lands for one-fourth cash and the remainder one, two and three years at the legal rate of interest, eight per cent, which makes the sale of the lands easy, and they bring a better price than the school lands, which may be just as good, but the State Board of Education must sell said lands for cash, and, therefore, the purchasers are fewer, and the highest price cannot be had because of the sale for cash. By this Act you will permit the Board of Education to sell school lands for one-fourth cash, and the remainder one, two and three years at the legal rate of interest, the remaining payments secured by a mortgage on the said lands. I am of the opinion that this will save to the School Board of the State thousands of dollars, and enable us to sell the lands more rapidly.

Also consider:

"An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida to construct permanent prison quarters, and other necessary permanent improvements, at Florida State Farm at Raiford, Florida, and to make an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this Act."

I regret to state the condition of the prison quarters

at Raiford is a disgrace to any State, because they are old and dilapidated, unsecure, worthless wooden buildings, which were built years ago, and which are now decaying and falling, and, in some places, great holes are in the floor and in the walls of the said buildings. We now have at Raiford over six hundred prisoners with three of these wooden dormitories built California Style. which are inadequate to keep prisoners in, and it is without any degree of surety that they can be made to stay. The fact is, we are having escape after escape, and the authorities cannot be blamed with these escapes with no adequate place to incarcerate the prisoners.

We now have a surplus of money in the Internal Improvement Fund, which has been derived by the sale of lands belonging to the people of the State, and I know of no better use that this money could be put to than by building, at Raiford, a modern up-to-date penitentiary in which the lawless may be kept safe and in a humane manner.

The passage of this measure will not cost the tax payers of this State one cent, but the building can be paid for out of the funds which we now have available.

Also consider:

"An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida to erect and maintain a public building for the use of the State Road Department and other Departments of the State Government in the City of Tallahassee, and to make an appropriation to carry out the provisions of this Act."

I respectfully recommend this Act, because I am satisfied that the internal improvement board will have sufficient funds early next year that can be used to construct a modern three or four story building on property now owned by the State, near the Capitol, in which the Road Department of this State can be given quarters and moved out of the old building that the State is now renting during their occupancy. Also giving to the Comptroller a place for the automobile tag department; they are now forced to use the Chamber of the House of Representatives, which is inadequate, and the growth of this department has been so great that new quarters must be provided for the proper handling of this work.

It will also enable the Shell Fish Department, the Hotel Commission, the State Geologist, the Game and Fish Department, and other departments, that are now in the Capitol building, to have adequate room for the conduct of their respective offices.

The State has the property, the money will be available from this fund, and it will not be a burden upon the taxpayers, and I know of no greater use the State could put this money to, that has been derived from the sale of State lands, than to furnish an adequate building for the different departments of the State Government.

Also consider-

"An Act vesting the title to certain plots of ground in the City of Tallahassee in the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida for public purposes, and to authorize and direct the city commissioners of the City of Tallahassee, Florida, to make, execute and deliver a deed of conveyance transferring and conveying whatever title the City of Tallahassee may claim in and to said plots of ground to the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida for public purposes, and to authorize the City of Tallahassee to maintain supervision and control over said plots of ground for park purposes until such time as the same may be required for public buildings."

The passage of this Bill will quiet the title to certain lands that are now in the City of Tallahassee, which the city has been enjoying the use of for years, and which the State has no appreciable claim, and it will also settle any cloud on the title on any lands which now belong to the State in Tallahassee on which the city may have some slight shadow of title. It will also give to the City of Tallahassee the right to use such land, that belongs to the State, for park purposes.

Also consider-

"An Act to fix the compensation and to provide for the payment of the salary and traveling expenses of State's Attorneys in Judicial Circuits in this State, which circuits are composed of four counties and have no criminal court of record established therein at the time of the passage of this Act, and to make appropriation for the same."

The last session of the Legislature created the Twentyfirst Judicial Circuit, and also created the office of State Attorney for said Circuit and fixed a salary of Two Hundred Dollars for said Attorney for the Twenty-first Judicial Circuit, which comprises the counties of Indian River. St. Lucie, Martin and Okeechobee, and fixed no compensation for traveling expenses or remuneration of any kind, except the sum of Two Hundred Dollars per month, which is entirely inadequate to get a competent State's Attorney to serve, and it is a great deal less than the State's Attorneys of other Circuits are receiving and, unless some relief is given to this Circuit, I am afraid that it will be impossible to keep a capable man there to represent the State's interest. In this Circuit there is no Criminal Court and the State's Attorney has the prosecution of all felonies and homicides, and it is a hard thing to get a capable and able Attorney to serve at any such compensation.

I also urge the passage of:

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"An Act providing for the payment of salaries and necessary traveling expenses of Circuit Judges and State's Attorneys, the payment of which was not provided for by the Acts of the Legislature at the regular session of 1925, and to appropriate sufficient money to pay the same."

During the last session of the Legislature. several Circuits were created and Judges appointed with State's Attorneys by authority of Legislative Act; there was no appropriation made for their salaries and their salaries were not paid until the beginning of the fiscal year, July 1st. Some of these Judges served a month and some six weeks, and State's Attorneys likewise, without compensation, and I recommend that this Act be passed in order to compensate them for services rendered the State for which they have received no salary.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. MARTIN,

Governor.

Mr. Hodges moved that the message from the Governor be referred to the Committee on Executive Communications.

Which was agreed to.

And the message was so referred.

Mr. Gillis moved that the Senate do now adjourn. Which was agreed to.

Thereupon, at 4:45 o'clock P. M., the Senate stood adjourned to 11 o'clock A. M., Thursday, November 19th. A. D. 1925.

## CONFIRMATIONS. •

The Senate, in Executive Session to-day, confirmed the following appointments made by the Governor:

L. R. Baker, State's Attorney, Fifteenth Judicial Circuit.

James Whitehurst, State's Attorney, Fifth Judicial Circuit.

Dewey A. Dye, State's Attorney, Eighteenth Judicial Circuit.

F. A. Hathaway, Member State Road Department, State at Large.

J. H. Bayliss, Member State Road Department, State at Large.

H. Mason Smith, Member State Board of Health.

Chas. H. Mann, Member State Board of Health.

Wm. D. Nobles, Member State Board of Health.

Freeman P. Lane, Circuit Judge, Sixth Judicial Circuit. Frank A. Smith, Circuit Judge, Seventeenth Judicial Circuit.

J. E. Riley, Harbor Master, Port of Boca Grande, Lee County.

J. A. Lovelace, Harbor Master, Port of Tampa, Hillsborough County.

S. F. Stewart, Commissioner of Pilotage, South Boca Grande, Lee County.

Francis B. Crowninshield, Commissioner of Pilotage, Boca Grande, Lee County.

J. R. Reese, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Tampa, Hillsborough County.

W. C. Brooker, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Tampa, Hillsborough County.

J. P. Hardee, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Tampa, Hillsborough County.

R. M. Prince, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Tampa, Hillsborough County.

R. J. Binnicker, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Tampa, Hillsborough County.

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