

Saturday, May 10, 1913

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Blich, Brown, Carney, Conrad, Cooper, Davis, Donegan, Finlayson, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, L'Engle, Lindsey, Malone, McCreary, McGeachy, McLellan, McLeod, Roddenberry, Stringer, Stokes, Wall, Watson, Wells, Wilson, Zim—30.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 9 was corrected.

The Journal of May 9 was approved as corrected.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 108:

A Bill to be entitled An Act permitting and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of St. Lucie County, Florida, in its discretion, to employ an attorney at law to represent the State in all trials, in which the State is a party, in the County Judge's Court of St. Lucie County; limiting the salary of such attorney, and fixing the manner in which the same shall be paid.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it dot not pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 108, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate,

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 158:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the compiling and publishing of the rules of practice for the government of the various courts of the State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 158, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on seocnd reading.

Mr. McLeod, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate,

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 366:

A Bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Jackson Junius, and providing for the payment thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and report without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

W. H. H. McLEOD,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 366, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Brown, Chairman of the Committee on County Organization, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate,

Sir:

Your Committee on County Organization, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 375:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the creation of Bloxham County, in the State of Florida, and for the organization and government thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

MAX M. BROWN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 375, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Blitch, Chairman of the Committee on Temperance, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate,

Sir:

Your Committee on Temperance, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 198:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit any person, firm or corporation from carrying, transporting or otherwise conveying intoxicating liquor, wines or beer from any place within the State of Florida to any place therein whereat the sale thereof is prohibited by law, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

J. S. BLITCH,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 198, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Blitch, Chairman of Committee on Temperance, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Temperance, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 152:

Beg leave to report that it has had same under consideration and recommend that the substitute bill offered herewith do pass:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 152:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of An Act entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 5690 of the Laws of Florida, entitled An Act to amend Section 3556 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relative to the sale of liquors in counties or precincts voting against such sale," and to amend Section 3448 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relative to selling liquor without a license.

Very respectfully,

J. S. BLITCH,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 152, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Blitch, Chairman of Committee on Temperance, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Temperance, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 150:

A Bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the receiving of intoxicating liquors, wines or beer in greater than

certain quantities within specified times where the sale thereof is prohibited by law; prescribing a rule of evidence in such cases; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

J. S. BLITCH,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 150, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Wall, Chairman of Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 299:

A Bill to be entitled An Act creating a sub-experimental Station to be located at the town of Palmetto, in the County of Manatee, in the State of Florida; describing the purpose of said station, and providing for the maintenance thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

J. P. WALL,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 299, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Wall, Chairman of Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 421:

A Bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of farmers of Lafayette County, Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

J. P. WALL,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 421, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Wall, Chairman of Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 268:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to declaring it unlawful for the owner of, or the person having the care, custody or control of any domestic animal or animals on the Island of LaCosta, in Lee County, Florida, to allow or permit any of such animals to run at large on said island, on or after the first day in January, A. D. 1914; providing a way for the collection of any damage or damages caused by such animal or animals running at large, and providing a lien on such animal or animals, and a way of enforcing the same, and providing a punishment for any person or persons violating this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

J. P. WALL,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 268, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Wall, Chairman of Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 331:

A Bill to be entitled An Act providing for the distribution of the funds received from the forest reserves in this State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

J. P. WALL,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 321, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 364:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to limit the effect of the use of the word "Trustee" or similar words, without any declaration of the terms or purpose of the trust, in recorded deeds of conveyance as imparting notice.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 364, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 288:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to declare that the State of Florida does not claim any title to or interest in certain lands in Leon County, Florida, which were sold by the Territory of Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 288, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 381:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 81 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to fees of the Secretary of State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 381, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 383:

A Bill to be entitled An Act barring dower of married women when not living in conjugal relation with their husbands.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 383, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 317:

A Bill to be entitled An Act defining the jurisdiction

of County Courts in this State in matters pertaining to delinquent tenants; prescribing the duties of the County Judge and the Clerk of the County Court in proceedings between landlord and tenant; prescribing the practice and procedure between landlord and tenant in said courts, and of appeals therefrom; and providing for the compensation of the Judge, the Clerk and Jury in said Court.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 317, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No| 316:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1223 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the methods of obtaining permits to sell liquors, wines or beer, and notice of application therefor and prepayment of license tax.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 316, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

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Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 201:

A Bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Tax Assessors of the Counties of Dade, St. Lucie, Osceola, Lee, Monroe and DeSoto.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,
C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 201, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 241:

A Bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of farmers of Lafayette County, Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 242:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the hunting, chasing, killing, or having in possession, any wild deer, turkey, quail, or squirrel in Lafayette County, Florida,

by any person not a resident and citizen of the State of Florida and a taxpayer of said County.

And recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bills Nos. 241 and 242, contained in the above report, under the rules, were laid on the table.

Mr. Davis, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary B, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 332:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the force and effect of the existence on the public records for twenty or more years of deeds, powers of attorneys and other instruments which have been defectively executed, acknowledged or proved for record.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,
C. E. DAVIS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 332, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Roddenbery, Chairman of Committee on Game and Fisheries, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Game and Fisheries, to whom was referred —

House Bill No. 78:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the taking and catching of fish in the salt waters of St. Lucie County, Florida, with seines, and fixing the time in which seines may be used, and prescribing the length of the seines to be used in such waters and prescribing the size of the mesh of such seines, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 78, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Roddenbery, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Game and Fisheries, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 502:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the catching of fish in fresh waters, lakes, rivers, creeks, etc., of Clay County, Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 502, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Roddenbery, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Game and Fisheries, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 233:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to prevent the shooting of quail in the County of Columbia for two years.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 233, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 25:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 5983 of the Laws of Florida, approved May 25, 1909, entitled "An Act to organize and establish a County Court in and for Escambia County, Florida, and to prescribe the terms thereof, and for calling special terms of said Court, the transfer of causes from other Courts, and matters pertaining thereto," to abolish the County Court thereby created and to provide for the disposition of the causes, records and papers in or of said court, and appellate pro-

ceedings therefrom, to prescribe the effect of judgments of the said court and the issuance of executions thereon, and the effectuating and disposition of appellate proceedings therefrom, and to provide the effect of executions heretofore issued on judgments of said County Court.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 25, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 349:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1271 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida relating to the manner of securing analysis of commercial fertilizer or feed stuffs from the State Chemist of the State of Florida and the value of such certificates of analysis as evidence in the courts of this State.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass, with amendment.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 349, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 379:

A Bill to be entitled An Act requiring the proper registration of persons removing from one locality to another in all cities in the State of Florida whose population shall equal or exceed the number of twenty thousand, and requiring storage or transfer companies, licensed drays, moving vans and similar moving companies to report the removal of any person from one locality to another in such cities.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 379, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 378:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the removal of personal property subject to a written instrument by reservation of title, without notice, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 378, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 367:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the manner of conducting the business of selling automobiles in the State of Florida by the manufacturers thereof or their agents, and to regulate such agencies in the State of Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 367, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 371:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to be entitled "An Act to provide a penalty for the unauthorized selling of tickets by persons other than the authorized agents of common carriers, under the provisions of Sections 2880 of the General Statutes of Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 371, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 335:

A Bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the terms and conditions on which foreign public corporations shall engage in business in this State, and fixing penalties for violation of same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 335, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 348:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1264 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating how commercial fertilizer and feed stuffs be labeled before being sold or imported into the State of Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 34, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. A. Z. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Judiciary A, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 403:

A Bill to be entitled An Act requiring prompt reports to be made by Clerks of Circuit Courts in connection with the sale and redemption of tax certificates, and providing penalties for failure to do so.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 403, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Roddenbery, Chairman of Committee on Game and Fisheries, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Game and Fisheries, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 376:

A Bill to be entitled An Act relating to fishing in the waters of Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties, Florida, and to provide a penalty for the violation of this Act, and to provide what shall be prima facie evidence of a violation of this Act, and to repeal Chapter 6301, Acts of 1911, Laws of Florida, same being An Act entitled "An Act to prohibit the catching of fish in the waters of Santa Rosa and Escambia Counties, Florida, with seines, nets, traps or set devices, by shooting, gigging, or otherwise than by hook and line, and to prohibit the catching of fish in the waters of Santa Rosa and Escambia Counties with hook and line during the months of April and May of each year."

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 376, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Roddenbery, Chairman of Committee on Game and Fisheries, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Game and Fisheries, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 225:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and make it the duty of Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs, Constables, Game Wardens and Deputy Game Wardens to seize and hold as evidence fish nets found in or about places where use of such nets is unlawful.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass, with amendments.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 225, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Roddenbery, Chairman of Committee on Game and Fisheries, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Your Committee on Game and Fisheries, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 394:

A Bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the shooting, or discharge of firearms for any purpose or, of killing or frightening or destroying game, birds of plumage or other waterfowl or alligators on Lake Beresford, or on the shores thereof, within the County of Volusia and State of Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 394, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. W. M. Igou, Chairman of Committee on Public Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Roads and Highways, to whom was referred —

Senate Joint Resolution No. 106:

Relative to finance and taxation, proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article IX. of the Constitution relating to the power of the Legislature to provide for the issuance of the State Bonds.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass, with amendments.

Very respectfully,

W. M. IGOU,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 106, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Malone, Chairman of Committee on Public Health, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 259:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6, 9 and 11 of Chapter 5947, Laws of Florida, relating to the qualifications and examination of optometrists, expenses thereof, and revocation of certificates of qualification, entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of

optometry; to provide for a Board of Examiners, and for the examiners, and for the examination of practitioners of optometry; for the registration of licensed practitioners, and prescribing penalty for its violation."

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass, with committee substitute.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. MALONE, JR.,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 259, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Malone, Chairman of Committee on Public Health, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 312:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the appointment of a State Board of Medical Examiners of the Physic-Medical School of Medicine, and to prescribe the qualifications, duties and powers of said board.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

W. H. MALONE, JR.,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 312, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Malone, Chairman of Committee on Public Health, submitted the following report:

Hon. H. J. Drane,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.
Senate Chamber,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 151:

A Bill to be entitled An Act providing for a code of laws on the subject of marriage, repealing Sections 2574 (2055), 2575 (2056), 2576 (2057), 2577 (2058), 2579 (2063), 2580 (2064).

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. MALONE, JR.,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 151, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Donegan, Chairman of Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 344:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 6297 of the Laws of Florida, being An Act entitled "An Act relating to the drainage and reclamation of certain lands in Putnam County, Florida; establishing a drainage district; creating a Board of Drainage Commissioners and prescribing its powers and duties; establishing a drainage system by the cutting of canals and constructing and maintaining canals and levees for the purpose of drainage; levying a drainage tax; relating to the assessment of lands to be drained and benefitted; the

collection of necessary funds by assessment of benefits and taxation of lands within said drainage district for the drainage and improvement of said lands, and for the exercise of the right of eminent domain." Approved June 3, 1911.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass, without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR E. DONEGAN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 344, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Donegan, Chairman of Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 395:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 958 and 960 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, providing for drains or canals, and their maintenance by counties, and to provide for the laying of assessments for construction and maintenance and the issuance of bonds to pay for the construction and incidental cost and the manner of obtaining release from the levy for such drains.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR E. DONEGAN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 395, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Donegan, Chairman of Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, to whom was referred--

Senate Bill No. 343:

A Bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the owners of certain real estate in Florahome Drainage District in Putnam County, Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR E. DONEGAN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 343, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Donegan, Chairman of Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 336.

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section one of Chapter 6297, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1911.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR E. DONEGAN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 336, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Donegan, Chairman of Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 303:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide the method for establishing or re-establishing section corners, quarter-section corners, and meander corners; to provide a standard survey monuments for marking survey corners; to authorize the County Surveyor to set standard survey monuments; to provide for furnishing said monuments; to provide a penalty for defacing or destroying said monuments, and providing a penalty for interfering with county, State or United States Government Surveyors.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do not pass.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR E. DONEGAN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 303, contained in the above report, under the rules, was laid on the table.

Mr. Donegan, Chairman of Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Lands and Drainage, to was referred—

Senate Bill No. 272 B:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to add to the Internal Improvement Fund Lands of the State of Florida, certain islands and accretions and sand bars and banks in the tidal waters of the State; to provide for the disposition of same by the trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund and to regulate the use and Improvement of same.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR E. DONEGAN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 272 B, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. McClellan, Chairman of Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 331:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of DeLand, Volusia County, Florida, and to organize a new city government for the same and to provide for its jurisdiction and powers.

Have had the same under consideration and report same correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

A. J. McCLELLAN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 331, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on third reading.

Mr. Cone, Chairman of Committee on Municipalities,
submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Municipalities, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 565:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to incorporate the Town of Baldwin, in Duval County, Florida; to establish a municipal government for said town; to provide for its government, and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Also—

House Bill No. 304:

A Bill to be entitled An Act dividing the Ninth Ward of Jacksonville into two wards, to be known as the Ninth and Tenth Wards, and providing for two additional members of the City Council from the Tenth Ward.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that they do pass.

Very respectfully,

F. P. CONE,
Chairman of Committee.

House Bills Nos. 565 and 304, contained in the above report, were placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 20:

Whereas, There is a majority and minority report in

regard to report made by the Board of Managers of the State Reform School of Marianna, and,

Whereas, The Board of Managers of this Institution on March 26th, 1913, passed an order asking the Governor to have the State Auditor audit the accounts of the said Institution, and,

Whereas, Such order has not been received by the Governor, and,

Whereas, The reports rendered by the Superintendent of said institution to the State Comptroller is of such a nature that the satisfactory accounting of receipts, expenditures and earnings were shown:

Whereas, The report of the Superintendent of this institution on stock, farm implements, household and kitchen furniture, clothing, and the earnings of the institute are so meagerly small and of such a nature that would invite a thorough and complete investigation of said institution; therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Speaker appoint three members of the House, and one of the House Stenographers, the President of the Senate to appoint one Senator, and request the Governor to direct the State Auditor to go with the Committee to visit said institution and make a thorough and complete investigation of the finances, deficits, efficiency, equipment and needs of the institution and the care of inmates. Also investigate the purchasing of supplies of every nature, from whom bought, and how, and report the same to this House at as early a date as possible.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 20:

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Whereas, The Board of Managers of this Institution on March 26th, 1913, passed an order asking the Governor to have the State Auditor audit the accounts of the said Institution, and,

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Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to be conveyed to the House of Representatives, for the signatures of the Speaker and the Chief Clerk thereof.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

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thorough and complete investigation of the finances, deficits, efficiency, equipment and needs of the institution and the care of inmates. Also investigate the purchasing of supplies of every nature, from whom bought, and how, and report the same to this House at as early a date as possible.

Beg leave to report that the same has been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and is herewith presented to the Senate for the signatures of the President and Secretary thereof.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

ENROLLED.

The President announced that he was about to sign—
House Concurrent Resolution No. 20:

Whereas, There is a majority and minority report in regard to report made by the Board of Managers of the State Reform School of Marianna, and,

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The Act was therefore duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and ordered returned to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to convey to the Governor for his approval.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

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Be it reported that the same has been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very truly,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 221:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 6374 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1911, the same being An Act to legalize and validate a call for an election, and an election held in pursuance of such call in the Town of Milton, Santa Rosa County, Florida, on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1910, for the purpose of determining whether or not said town should issue certain bonds and to legalize and validate the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

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Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to be conveyed to the House of Representatives for the signatures of the Speaker and the Chief Clerk thereof.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

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Beg leave to report that the same has been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and is herewith presented to the Senate for the signatures of the President and Secretary thereof.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

ENROLLED.

The President announced that he was about to sign—

Senate Bill No. 221:

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The Act was therefore duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and ordered returned to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to convey to the Governor for his approval.

Senate Chamber.
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
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Beg to report that the same has been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very truly,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Chamber.
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 310:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to establish the municipality of St. James City, Florida; to authorize its issuance of bonds; to provide for and to organize a commission form of government; to fix its territorial limits, and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 310:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to establish the municipality of St. James City, Florida; to authorize its issuance of bonds; to provide for and to organize a commission form of government; to fix its territorial limits, and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Have carefully examined the same find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to be conveyed to the House of Representatives, for the signatures of the Speaker and the Chief Clerk thereof.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 310:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to establish the municipality of St. James City, Florida; to authorize its issuance of bonds; to provide for and to organize a commission form of government; to fix its territorial limits, and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Beg leave to report that the same has been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Rep-

representatives, and is herewith presented to the Senate for the signatures of the President and Secretary thereof.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

ENROLLED.

The President announced that he was about to sign—

Senate Bill No. 310:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to establish the municipality of St. James City, Florida; to authorize its issuance of bonds; to provide for and to organize a commission form of government; to fix its territorial limits, and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

The Act was therefore duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and ordered returned to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to convey to the Governor for his approval.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

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

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Beg to report that the same has been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 64:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to organize and establish a County Court in and for the County of Palm Beach; to prescribe the terms thereof, to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers, to provide the appointment of a prosecuting attorney, and for the compensation of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENGERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate,

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Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERRY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to be conveyed to the House of Representatives, for the signatures of the Speaker and the Chief Clerk thereof.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
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Beg leave to report that the same has been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and is herewith presented to the Senate for the signatures of the President and Secretary thereof.

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Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

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Very truly,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 329:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 6410 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1911, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Welaka, in the County of Putnam, State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Welaka, to define its territorial boundary, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of the same."

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

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Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to be conveyed to the House of Representatives, for the signature of the Speaker and the Chief Clerk thereof.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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Beg leave to report that the same has been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and is herewith presented to the Senate for the signatures of the President and Secretary thereof.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

ENROLLED.

The President announced that he was about to sign—

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The Act was duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and ordered returned to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to convey to the Governor for his approval.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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Beg leave to report that the same has been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very truly,
S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 220:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate a call for an election, and an election held in pursuance of such call in the Town of Milton, Santa Rosa County, Florida, on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1910, for the purpose of determining whether or not said town should issue certain bonds, and to legalize and validate the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,
S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly Enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to be conveyed to the House of Representatives, for the signatures of the Speaker and the Chief Clerk thereof.

Senate Chamber.
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

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issue certain bonds, and to legalize and validate the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.

Beg leave to report that the same has been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and is herewith presented to the Senate for the signatures of the President and Secretary thereof.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

ENROLLED.

The President announced that he was about to sign—

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The Act was therefore duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and ordered returned to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to convey to the Governor for his approval.

Senate Chamber.
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

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President of the Senate.

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issue certain bonds, and to legalize and validate the bonds issued in pursuance of said election.

Beg to report that the same has been presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very truly,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Wells—
Senate Bill No. 404:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize all common carriers, including railroad companies, to exchange term or trip passes or tickets for advertising in newspapers published in this State.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Railroads and Telegraph.

By Mr. Stokes—
Senate Bill No. 405:

A Bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of W. L. Zachary, to be paid out of the treasury of Escambia County.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be waived, and that Senate Bill No. 405 be advanced to the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Bill was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

By Mr. Stokes—
Senate Bill No. 406:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the formation and disbursement of a public school teachers' pension and retirement fund.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Stokes—
Senate Bill No. 407:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize discounts and penalties in the payment of State and County taxes.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

By Mr. Stokes—
Senate Bill No. 408:

A Bill to be entitled An Act making it a misdemeanor to convey whiskey, wine, beer or other intoxicating liquor, or cocaine, morphine, laudanum or other narcotic into jails and prescribing a punishment therefor.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

By Mr. Stokes—
Senate Bill No. 409:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3, of Chapter 5717, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1907, entitled "An Act to prescribe the terms and conditions upon which foreign corporations for profit may transact business, or acquire, hold or dispose of property in this State

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Drane—
Senate Bill No. 410:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to incorporate the City of Lake Alfred, Polk County, Florida, to establish a municipal government therefor, and to prescribe, define and limit its powers and jurisdiction.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Drane moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 410 be advanced to the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Bill was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

By Mr. Drane—
Senate Bill No. 411:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 6363 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida for 1911; same being An Act to abolish the present municipal government in the City of Lakeland, in the County of Polk, State of Florida, and to organize a city government for the same; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Drane moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 411 be advanced to the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Bill was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

By Mr. Hudson—
Senate Bill No. 412:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the care and maintenance of inmates of the State Prison.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Convicts.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS AND MEMORIALS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 12:

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Hon. Henry L. Graves, United States Forester, together with the Hon. Gifford Pinchot, be invited to address the Legislature in joint session at such time as suits their convenience on the subject of Forestry, and that the Secretary of State be directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the correct addresses of the above named gentlemen.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Upon the question to adopt House Concurrent Resolution No. 12

It was agreed to—

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was concurred in by the Senate.

House Memorial No. 2:

A Memorial to the Congress of the United States praying that a military post be established at Fort Clinch, Florida.

Was taken up and read the second time in full, together with the Committee amendment.

The amendment was adopted.

The question was put and the Memorial, as amended, was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was read:

State of Florida, Executive Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I have the honor to advise that I have approved and signed the following Act which originated in the Senate, and have caused the same to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

And Act to incorporate the City of Manatee, in Manatee County, Florida, and to provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to abolish the present corporation of the Town of Manatee.

Very respectfully,

PARK TRAMMELL,
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 8, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 478:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Marion County, State of Florida, to appoint a Superintendent of Public Roads and Bridges, to define his powers and duties in working the county convicts and the laying out of new roads, building and repairing the public roads and bridges of said county by contract and otherwise.

Which amendments are as follows:

Change the numbering of Sections as follows: Section 9 to 12, 10 to 13, 11 to 14, 12 to 15, 13 to 16, 14 to 17, 15 to 18, 16 to 19, 17 to 20, 18 to 21, 19 to 22, and 20 to 23.

Amended Sections 9, 10 and 11 to read as follows:

Sec. 9. Whenever the survey for any new road is made through or over any land, and objection is made thereto by the owner or owners of said land, the Board of County Commissioners shall appoint a committee of seven disinterested persons who are registered voters and land owners in the said County of Marion to personally view and inspect said survey and assess the damages caused by opening said road, if any there be, and make their report to the Board of County Commissioners at the next regular meeting of said board after such examination, and if any damages have been assessed, the Board of County Commissioners shall order the amount so assessed to be paid out of the road fund to the owner or owners of said land in whose favor the said damages were assessed; provided, however, that when any dam-

ages are assessed by reason of any survey passing through any particular point of any property, the Board of County Commissioners shall have authority to order the survey changed if the damages so assessed are greater than the utility of the said road to the public.

Sec. 10. That when any Committee is appointed to examine any survey for any new road and assess the damages therefor, the said Committee shall organize by selecting one of their number as chairman, who shall have power to call said Committee together for the purpose of discharging any and all duties for which they were appointed. Before the said Committee enter upon their duties, they shall take an oath before some person authorized to administer oaths, to faithfully examine and survey and assess such damages as they, in their judgment may believe to be just and equitable, and to discharge all duties for which they were appointed. The oath to be administered shall be prescribed by the County Commissioners of said County.

Sec. 11. The pay of all persons appointed to survey, or appointed to assess damages, shall be two (\$2.00) dollars per diem and ten cents per mile each way traveled. Provided, That when the County Surveyor is appointed to survey any new road, his per diem shall be five (\$5.00) dollars per day.

And respectfully requests that the Senate recede.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Carney moved that the Senate do recede from its amendments to House Bill No. 478.

Which was agreed to.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House.

Also the following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1913.

*Hon. H. J. Drane,
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. 628:

A Bill to be entitled An Act directing that a statue of Edmund Kirby Smith be placed in the National Statuary Hall in the Capitol of the United States, in Washington, District of Columbia; and directing the Governor to appoint a commission to take the necessary steps to that end, and making an appropriation for such purpose.

Respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 628, contained in the above message was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Finlayson moved that the rules be^o waived and House Bill No. 628 be placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 628 was placed on Calendar of Bills on second reading.

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1913.

*Hon. H. J. Drane,
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 Memorial No. 1:

A memorial to the Congress of the United States asking for protection to the north point of Anastasia Island and, incidentally government property thereon; and also, asking for consideration by the government of appropriate action for the jettying of the inlets to North and Matanzas Rivers, the same being the entrance to the Port of St. Augustine.

Whereas, The inroads to the ocean on the north point of Anastasia Island are being made more and more manifest with each recurring northeast storm; and

Whereas, aside from the menace to government and private property located upon the endangered point, the danger to the City of St. Augustine in the event of the invasion of the ocean is of great concern; and

Whereas, in as much as the proper protection of the north point of Anastasia Island with a jetty would subserve the purpose of directing the waters of the ocean over the bar per one channel into the Matanzas and North Rivers, thereby assuring deep water; and

Whereas, as such an event would largely contribute to the commercial benefit of the vast interests and industries along the entire east coast of Florida; therefore be it

Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida, That the Congress of the United States be petitioned to take immediate steps looking to the protection of property and the interest of the section, as indicated in this memorial.

Resolved further, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be urged to secure the passage of legislation necessary to carry out the prayer of this memorial; be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of State of the State of Florida be requested to forward to the President of the United States Senate, and Speaker of the House of Repre-

sentatives, and to each of the Senators and Representatives aforesaid, a copy of this Memorial.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM.

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And Senate Memorial No. 1, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS.

By unanimous consent Mr. Malone offered the following Resolution—

Senate Resolution No. 28:

Whereas, the Honorable T. Sambola Jones of Baton Rouge, La., former legislator of Louisiana and member of the judiciary of that great State, is in Tallahassee as Commissioner of the Panama Pacific International Exposition to be held in San Francisco in 1915; and

Whereas, the said Honorable S. G. McLendon has been invited, by Concurrent Resolution, to appear before a Joint Assemblage of the House and Senate to discuss the subject of the Panama Canal and its probable effects on domestic and foreign commerce; and

Whereas the said Honorable S. G. McLendon has expressed a willingness to appear before the Joint Assembly Monday evening, May 12th and the said Honorable T. Sambola Jones has also expressed a willingness to appear before the Assembly at that time; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Florida Senate invite the said Honorable T. Sambola Jones to address the Joint Assembly at the time designated, Monday evening, May 12th, and that the said Honorable S. G. McLendon be requested to appear at that time and divide time with the said Honorable T. Sambola Jones on the Panama Canal and the Panama Canal Exposition; and

That the Clerk of this body be directed to notify the Speakers that this arrangement has been made.

Mr. Malone moved that the Resolution be adopted. Which was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Himes offered the following resolution—

Joint Resolution No. 29:

Resolved, That the Senate at noon today shall stand adjourned until Monday afternoon next at 4 P. M.

Mr. Himes moved the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Wall moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Blicht, Carney, Hudson, McLeod, Roddenbery, Stokes, Wall, Watson, Zim—9.

Nays—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Conrad, Cooper, Culpepper, Davis, Donegan, Finlayson, Himes, Igou, Johnson, L'Engle, Malone, McCreary, McGeachy, McClellan, Stringer, Wells, Wilson—19.

So the motion to lay on the table did not prevail.

The question then recurred upon the motion to adopt the resolution.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Culpepper, Davis, Donegan, Finlayson, Himes, Igou, Johnson, L'Engle, McGeachy, McClellan, Wells, Wilson—15.

Nays—Senators Blicht, Carney, Conrad, Hudson, Malone, McCreary, McLeod, Roddenbery, Stringer, Stokes, Wall, Watson, Zim—13.

So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Finlayson, as Chairman of the Committee on Rules
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and Procedure, made a verbal report requesting that Senate Bill No. 42 be advanced to first order of day for today.

Which was agreed to by unanimous vote.

Mr. Johnson moved the rules be waived, and that Senate Bill No. 42 be taken up and read a second time by its title.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 42:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to enable Special Tax School Districts to issue bonds for the purpose of building, enlarging or otherwise improving school buildings and to provide for the levy, assessment and collection of a tax to become a fund for the payment of the interest on and the redemption of such bonds.

Was taken up and read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Johnson moved that the Committee Substitute Bill for Senate Bill No. 42 be read the first time by its title only.

Which was agreed to.

And Substitute for Senate Bill No. 42 was read the first time by its title only.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and that the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill be read the second time in full for the purpose of amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And—

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 42:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize Special Tax School Districts to issue bonds for the exclusive use of public free schools within such Special Tax School Districts whenever a majority of the qualified electors there-

of who are freeholders shall vote in favor of the issuance of such bonds; to provide for the sale of such bonds; for the levy, assessment and collection of a tax to pay the interest on and for the redemption of such bonds; and for the disbursement of the proceeds derived from the sale of such bonds and the validation of such bonds.

Was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 42 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 42 was read a second time in full.

Mr. Johnson moved that the Committee Substitute Bill for Senate Bill No. 42 be adopted.

Mr. Finlayson moved that the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 42 remain on second reading as a continuing order of the day for the purpose of amendment.

So the motion was not agreed to.

The question then recurred upon the motion of Mr. Johnson to adopt the substitute offered by the committee.

Which was agreed to.

And the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 42 was adopted.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be waived and that Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 42 be read a third time in full and put on its final passage.

Which was agreed to.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 42 was read a third time in full and put upon final passage.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Blitch, Brown, Carney, Cooper, Culpepper, Davis, Donegan, Finlayson, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, L'Engle, Lindsey, Malone, McCreary, McGeachy, McLellan, McLeod, Stokes, Wall, Wells, Wilson, Zim—25.

So the bill was passed, title as stated.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 42 be immediately certified to the House. Which was agreed to.

And the bill was so certified.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

The consideration of—
House Bill No. 55:

A Bill to be entitled An Act relative to the leasing, the working, the care, the guarding and the maintenance of State convicts; to the establishment of a State Prison and State Prison Farm, and the maintenance thereof; the working of State convicts on County roads; to prescribe the duties and powers of certain State and County officers and boards in connection with the prison system; to fix certain penalties; to provide for the manner of the distributions of the funds arising from the hire or labor of State convicts; and making appropriations for the purpose of the carrying out the provisions of this Act.

Which was taken up yesterday, was resumed.

Mr. Finlayson moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 55 be postponed, and that the bill be made a continuing order of the day for Tuesday, May 13, 1913.

Which was agreed to.

By unanimous consent, Mr. Stokes offered the following:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4:

Whereas, the preceding National Administration

caused the Navy Yard at Pensacola, Florida, to be closed to the detriment of the Nation and State; and

Whereas, the re-opening and re-habilitation of the Navy Yard at Pensacola, Florida, will redound to the benefit of the Nation and of the State; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Honorable Secretary of the Navy of the United States, be and he is hereby requested to re-open and re-habitate the Navy Yard at Pensacola, Florida, and he is hereby requested to take all action necessary to this end. Be it further

Resolved, That the Senators and Representatives in the Congress of the United States, from the State of Florida be, and they are hereby requested to use their best offices and to exercise their best endeavors to have the Navy Yard at Pensacola, Florida, re-opened and re-habitated. Be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is hereby directed to transmit copies of this Resolution to the Honorable Secretary of the Navy of the United States and the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of Florida.

Which was read and went over under the rules.

Mr. Atkins moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Which was agreed to.

And—

The Senate then went into executive session.

The doors closed at 10:25 A. M.

The doors opened at 10:30 A. M.

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

Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Blitch, Brown, Carney, Conrad, Cooper, Culpepper, Finlayson, Himes,

Hudson, Johnson, L'Engle, Malone, McCreary, McGeachy, McLeod, Stringer, Stokes, Wall Watson, Zim—22.

A quorum present.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

Senate Bill No. 90:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the punishment of desertion of wife, or wife and children.

Was taken up.

Mr. Stringer offered the following amendment:

Strike out all of Section 1, and insert the following:

Section 1. Any man who shall in this State desert his wife and children, or either of them, or his wife where there are no children or child, or who shall withhold from them or either of them, the means of support, shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment in the State Prison not exceeding one year, or by fine not exceeding on thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment, provided, however, that no husband shall be prosecuted under this section for the desertion of this wife, where there is existing, at the time of such desertion, such cause or causes as are recognized as ground or grounds for divorce, by statute, in this State.

Mr. Stringer moved that the amendment be adopted.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Stokes offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 90:

Amend the amendment to Senate Bill No. 90 by inserting in line 14, after word "wife" the following: "or for withholding from his wife the means of support."

Mr. Stokes moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 90 was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 1 be now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Senate Bill No. 1:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1292 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida in relation to the appointment and qualification of Pilot Commissioners.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Blicht, Brown, Carney, Conrad, Cooper, Culpepper, Davis, Donegan, Finlayson, Himes, Igon, Johnson, L'Engle, Lindsey, Malone, McCreary, McGeachy, McClellan, McLeod, Roddenbery, Stringer, Stokes, Watson, Wells, Wilson, Zim—28.

Nays—None.

So the Bill was passed, title as stated.

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

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

Senate Bill No. 94:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the shipment of spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented or other intoxicating liquors of any kind, when said liquor is intended by any person interested therein to be received, possessed, and sold in violation of law from places in which the sale of such liquor is authorized by law of the State of Florida, to places in which the sale of such liquors is prohibited by the laws of the State of Florida; to authorize the seizure and destruction of such liquor when so shipped, to provide for the seizure and destruc-

tion of such intoxicating liquor consigned or shipped from without the State of Florida to places in counties that have or may hereafter vote against the sale of said liquors in accordance with the Constitution and Laws of the State of Florida, whether in original package or otherwise, when said intoxicating liquor so shipped is intended by any person interested therein to be received, possessed, sold, or in any manner used in violation of any law or laws of the State of Florida, and providing for the marking and labeling of all liquors shipped from one place to another in the State of Florida, and prescribing penalties for violations of this Act, and establishing rules of evidence for proceedings under this Act.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Mr. Himes offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 94:

In Section 2, line 9, strike out after word "package" down to and including word "consignee" in line 11.

Mr. Himes moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Blich offered the following substitute for the amendment to Senate Bill No. 94:

In Section 2, line 10, add the following "and family."

Mr. Blich moved the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Blich, Brown, Carney, Culpepper, Finlayson, Hudson, Igou, Lindsey, Malone, McCreary, McGeachy, McLeod, Stokes, Wall, Watson, Wells, Zim—18.

Nays—Senators Adkins, Cooper, Davis, Donegan, Himes, Johnson, L'Engle, McClellan, Roddenbery, Stringer, Wilson—11.

And the substitute for the amendment was adopted.

Mr. McCreary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 94:

In Section 1, line 1, strike out the word "personal," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "private."

Mr. McCreary moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to.

Mr. Stokes offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 94:

By striking out "in reasonable quantities" in line 10, Section 1, printed bill.

Mr. Stokes moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Wall offered the following substitute for the amendment to Senate Bill No. 94:

In Section 1, line 10, strike out the word "reasonable," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One half gallon."

Mr. Wall moved the adoption of the Substitute Amendment.

Pending which, the hour of 12 o'clock having arrived, the President announced that under Senate Resolution No. 29, the Senate stands adjourned.

Thereupon the Senate stood adjourned until Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

CONFIRMATIONS.

J. Turner Butler of Jacksonville, Florida, to be Judge of the Criminal Court of Record for Duval County for a term of four years from July 26, 1913.

T. Picton Warlow, of Orlando, Florida, to be Judge of the Criminal Court of Record for Orange County for a term of four years from June 9, 1913.

Bert Fish of DeLand, Florida, to be Judge of the Criminal Court of Record for Volusia County, for a term of four years from May 24, 1913.

Scott M. Loftin of Pensacola, Florida, to be County Solicitor for Escambia County for a term of four years from June 21, 1913.

L. G. Starbuck of Orlando, Florida, to be County Solicitor for Volusia County for a term of four years to end May 4, 1917.

R. P. Hamlin of LeLand, Florida, to be County Solicitor for Volusia County for a term of four years from May 19, 1913.

Monday, May 12, 1913

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

The roll being called, the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Blitch, Brown, Calkins, Carney, Cone, Conrad, Cooper, Culpepper, Davis, Finlayson, Himes, Hudson, Igou, L'Engle, Lindsey, Malone, McCreary, McGeachy, McClellan, McLeod, Roddenbery, Stringer, Stokes, Wall, Watson, Wells, Wilson, Zim.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 10 was corrected.

The Journal of May 10 was approved as corrected.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 202:

A Bill to be entitled An Act regulating the hunting of

deer, turkey, quail and other wild game in the County of Jefferson, State of Florida; prescribing the time when the same may be hunted or killed therein; providing for license or permit to non-residents therefor; and prescribing the penalties for the violation thereof.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 202:

A Bill to be entitled An Act regulating the hunting of deer, turkey, quail and other wild game in the County of Jefferson, State of Florida; prescribing the time when the same may be hunted or killed therein; providing for license or permit to non-residents therefor; and prescribing the penalties for the violation thereof.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

S. P. RODDENBERY,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Act contained in the above report was ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to be conveyed to the House of Representatives, for the signatures of the Speaker and the Chief Clerk thereof.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1913.

Hon. H. J. Drane,
President of the Senate.

Sir: