

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

By permission—

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 8, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 377:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the taking or catching of sponges from the waters of submerged lands within the territorial jurisdiction of the State of Florida, and to prescribe a penalty for the violation of this Act, and to repeal Sections 3793, 3794, 3795, 3796 and 3797 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and herewith returns the same with a substitute, and recommend that the substitute do pass, to which the title is as follows:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Section 3795 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, in relation to prima facie evidence in prosecution for the illegal diving of sponge.

Very respectfully,

J. S. BLITCH,
Chairman of Committee.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 377, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

ON THE SECOND READING.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the consideration of Senate Bill No. 5 be made a special order for 4:30 p. m., Monday May 10, 1915.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Johnson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until ten o'clock Monday morning.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 4 o'clock p. m. on Monday. The question was put on the motion of Mr. Lindsey to adjourn until 4 o'clock p. m. Monday.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adkins, Blitch, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Himes, Igou, Johnson, Lindsey,, McClellan, Roddenberry—12.

Nays—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Fogarty, Hudson, Jones, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Roland, Stringer, Terrell, Watson, Wells, Zim—14.

So the motion to adjourn until 4 o'clock P. M. on Monday did not prevail.

The question then recurred upon the motion of Mr. Johnson to adjourn until 10 o'clock A. M. on Monday next.

The motion prevailed.

Whereupon the Senate stood adjourned to 10 o'clock A. M., Monday, May 10, 1915.

Monday, May 10, 1915.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.
The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Blitch, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Mc-

Geachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Terrell, Watson, Wells, Zim—27.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 8 was corrected.

The Journal of May 8, as corrected, was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gornto, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

An Act to amend Section 2 of Article IX, of Chapter 5358 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida of 1903, said Chapter 5358 being An Act entitled "An Act to revoke and abolish the present municipal government of the town of New Symrna, and to organize a city government for the said town."

Also—

An Act to amend Section 4, Section 24, Section 25, Section 27 and Section 35 of Chapter 6678 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida of 1913, said Act being An Act 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.

Also—

An Act to reduce the incorporate limits of the town of

Esto, in Holmes County, Florida, and to prescribe its boundaries and powers.

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

Very respectfully,

J. M. GORNTO,

Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Gornto, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes for the Town of Apopka City.

Also—

An Act to prohibit the catching of fish in Lake Blanc, Lake Down, Lake Crescent, Lake Vernell, Lake Sheen, two Lakes Butler and all connecting lake and waters in Orange County, in any manner or by means other than with hook, line and lure, and to prohibit the sale of any fish caught in any of the above waters, and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes for the Town of Oakland.

Also—

An Act fixing and prescribing the territorial limits of the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida.

Also—

An Act relating to the paving, grading, curbing, laying out, opening, repairing or otherwise improving of the streets, alleys and highways of the City of DeLand, Florida, and to the laying, constructing and repairing of sidewalks in said city; and giving to said city a lien for the

cost of such improvement, and providing for the issuance and providing for the issuance of certificates of indebtedness for such cost; and providing for their payment or collection.

Also—

An Act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Winter Garden, in the County of Orange and State of Florida, and to give the Town of Winter Garden jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension.

Also—

An Act to cancel the assessment of certain lands for City Taxes for the years 1914 and 1915 by the City of Deland, Florida, and to authorize and empower the said City of Deland to refund certain city taxes assessed upon certain lands for said years.

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

Very respectfully,

J. M. GORNTO,
Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Gornto, Chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

An Act extending and enlarging the powers of the town of Starke, a municipal corporation organized and existing in Bradford County, Florida, and providing for the exercise of such powers.

Also—

An Act to legalize the election held in the City of Gainesville, Florida, on July 1, 1914, under the provisions of an ordinance of said city, passed by the City Council of said city on April 28, 1914, and approved by the Mayor of said city on May 2, 1914, and known as Ordinance Number Two Hundred and Ninety-three.

Also—

An Act to authorize the judge of the Court of Record

of Escambia County to act in place of the Circuit Judge for the First Judicial Circuit, in said county in certain cases, when there is a vacancy in the office of the said Circuit Judge and when said judge is sick, disqualified or absent from said county, and to validate orders and decrees theretofore made by said Judge of the Court of Record.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,

J. M. GORNTO,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Acts contained in the above report were referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 270:

A Bill to be entitled An Act fixing the penalty for the embezzlement, abstraction or wilful misappropriation of the funds of any banking or trust company, or corporation doing a banking business in the State of Florida; and for issuing without authority any certificate of deposit, bill of exchange, note, bond, draft or mortgage, and for making any false entry in any book, record, report or statement of such banking or trust company or corporation.

Have had the same under consideration and find same properly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

A. J. McCLELLAN,
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 270, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.
Mr. Gornto, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

An Act extending and enlarging the powers of the town of Starke, a municipal corporation organized and existing in Bradford County, Florida, and providing for the exercise of such powers.

Also—

An Act to legalize the election held in the City of Gainesville, Florida, on July 1, 1914, under the provisions of an ordinance of said city, passed by the City Council of said city on April 28, 1914, and approved by the Mayor of said city on May 2, 1914, and known as Ordinance Number Two Hundred and Ninety-three.

Also—

An Act to authorize the judge of the Court of Record of Escambia County to act in place of the Circuit Judge for the First Judicial Circuit, in said county in certain cases, when there is a vacancy in the office of the said Circuit Judge and when said judge is sick, disqualified or absent from said county, and to validate orders and decrees theretofore made by said Judge of the Court of Record.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

Very respectfully,
J. M. GORNTO,
Chairman of Committee.

And the Acts contained in the above report were 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.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. McClellan—
Senate Bill No. 439:

A Bill to be entitled An Act requiring the payment to cities and towns in Bay County of a portion of the proceeds of the sale of all bonds issued by said county or any Road District therein, for road purposes.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. McClellan moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 439 be placed on the Calendar of Local 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 Local Bills on the second reading without reference.

By Mr. Terrell—

Senate Bill No. 440:

A Bill to be entitled An Act fixing the fees of the Clerks of the Circuit Courts in this State for making transcripts of the records of said courts and copies thereof, as required by law, or by the rules of the Supreme Court of Florida in appeals and writs of error.

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

By Mr. Farris (by request)—

Senate Bill No. 441:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Alonzo Tinder.

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

By Mr. Igou—

Senate Bill No. 442:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing guardians to give, dedicate or grant rights of way over lands of their wards for public roads or street purposes.

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

By Mr. Adkins—

Senate Bill No. 443:

A Bill to be entitled An Act relative to registration for primary elections and for general and special elections and limiting the compensation which may be paid deputy and precinct registration officers.

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

By Mr. McGeachy (by request)—

Senate Bill No. 444:

A Bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to own or have in his election precinct in this State where the sale of intoxicants or its possession, custody or control, in any county or

cating liquors is now, or may hereafter be prohibited by the Laws of this State, more than one-half gallon of intoxicating liquors; and prescribing penalties therefor.

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

MESSAGES FROM
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 8, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,

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. 66:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and requiring libraries for the public schools.

Also—

House Bill No. 57:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to fix the time of performance of, or of tender to perform, any contract, bond, agreement or covenant, when the day of future performance or tender of performance shall fall on a Sunday or a legal holiday.

Also—

House Bill No. 53:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the drawing and uttering of checks or orders upon banks or other persons when the makers thereof have not sufficient funds on deposit with the drawee to pay such checks or orders; to provide punishment therefor.

Also—

House Bill No. 65:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to exempt all farm and grove products from all forms of license tax.

Also—

House Bill No. 56:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act entitled "An Act to define and prohibit usury and usurious con-

tracts in this State, and to require that mortgages shall state separately and distinctly the principal, interest and fees secured by such mortgages and to require creditors to give to debtors receipts for money paid, and prescribing penalties for violation of this act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 66 contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Education.

And House Bill No. 57, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

And House Bill No. 53, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

And House Bill No. 65, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

And House Bill No. 56, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 8, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 12:

Whereas, There are on hand in the Military Department of the State several hundred copies of the book entitled "Soldiers of Florida;" and

Whereas, The information contained in such publication is not entirely authenticated by official records on file in the archives of the State, it contains many facts of particular interest and benefit to those who served

from Florida in the war between the States; and

Whereas, Only a comparative few copies of the book have been sold at the price charged for it during the twelve years since its publication, while there are doubtless many old veterans who would be pleased to have a copy and who are without the means to purchase one; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Adjutant General be and he is hereby authorized to make free issue of the book entitled "Soldiers of Florida," one to every free library, and one to every school and other educational institutions in the State having libraries connected therewith; one to each Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy for the official use of such chapters, and one to each of not exceeding ten members of each Camp of United Confederate Veterans in the State whose names shall be certified to him by the Commander and Adjutant of such camps as members selected to receive such copies and who are without means to purchase them.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 12, contained in the above message, was laid over under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 8, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
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. 51:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1524 of the General Statutes of Florida, relating to certificates by the Commissioner of Agriculture in respect to the ownership of public lands, and to authorize said Commissioner of Agriculture to make certificates, under his offi-

cial seal, of the conveyance of and other facts in connection with lands of the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund or the State Board of Education or other officers of the State of Florida, and to render all such certificates admissible in evidence and entitled to record and prescribing the force and effect of the same.

Also—

House Bill No. 280:

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

Also—

House Bill No. 705:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 52 of Chapter 6411 of the Acts of 1911, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said City of West Palm Beach and official acts thereunder; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; and to fix and provide its territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers," relating to suspensions and removals of officers of said city.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 51, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Public Lands and Drainage.

And House Bill No. 280, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on County Organization.

And House Bill No. 705, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Municipalities.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 8, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
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. 171:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Board of Health to collect and disseminate information concerning the cause, nature and extent of communicable diseases, and to procure by purchase, loan or otherwise, and transport and exhibit throughout the State a railway car or cars containing information and other exhibits relating to public health, sanitation and hygiene, and permitting railway cars for the above purposes, and permitting the giving and receiving of contributions for said purposes by individuals, counties, cities or towns, and providing details and methods for giving effect to the general purposes above declared.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 135:

A Bill to be entitled An Act making it a misdemeanor for any person, firm or corporation to operate any hotel, boarding house, restaurant or lunch counter without keeping all doors, windows and other similar openings in dining rooms, kitchens and passageways between the same and hallways leading thereto, screened; to sell or expose for sale food for consumption in the raw state, or which may be consumed without further cooking, at meat shops, butcher shops, markets, grocery stores, fruit stands, bakeries, or any other place where food is exposed for sale, without keeping such food properly protected by screens; and to operate any dining or buffet cars in this State, without having the same screened, and fixing a penalty for failure to comply with the provisions of this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 387:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to organize and establish a County Court in and for Broward County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof, to provide for the appointment of a Prosecuting Attorney, and fixing the compensation of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.
And Senate Bills Nos. 171, 135 and 387, contained in the above message, was referred to Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 8, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
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. 249:

A Bill to be entitled An Act providing for the pensioning and relief of members of the police department of the City of Jacksonville, and certain persons dependent on them for support, and providing a fund for said purposes and repealing Chapter 5500 and Section 12 of Chapter 6357, of the Laws of Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.
And Senate Bill No. 249, contained in the above message, was referred to Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
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. 96:

A Bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of

hotels, innkeepers, lodging houses, boarding houses and eating houses.

Also—

House Bill No. 232:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to J. N. Whitten of Pasco County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 150:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the examination, licensing and registration of persons engaged or engaging in the business or work of installing plumbing or house drainage, and a supervision and inspection of plumbing and drainage in cities or towns of this State having a population of 5000 inhabitants or more, according to the Federal Census of 1910, or any subsequent Federal Census, and parts of counties of this State, and imposing penalties for violation of this act.

Also—

House Bill No. 218:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide that in all bonds taken by the State of Florida any county of said State or any city in said State, or political subdivision thereof, or other public authority for the performance of the contract for the construction of any public building or the prosecution and completion of any public work there shall be a provision that suit may be brought in the name of the obligee in said bond for the use and benefit of any person, firm or corporation who shall have furnished any labor or material in the prosecution of said work against the contractor and the sureties on said bond to recover the amount due such person, firm or corporation, on account of the labor or materials so furnished.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 96, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

And House Bill No. 232, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

And House Bill No. 150, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

And House Bill No. 218, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
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. 374:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide that negroes shall not be admitted to practice law in the courts of the State of Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 374, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

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Senate Bill No. 239:

A Bill to be entitled An Act relative to the number of directors, managers or trustees of corporations not for profit.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 136:

A Bill to be entitled An Act requiring all school buildings to be provided with adequate facilities for nature's conveniences by water carriage or surface closets; requiring all surface closets in rural districts to be of flyproof construction and in conformity with plans recommended or approved by the State Board of Health requiring separate compartments in the same and prescribing a penalty for failure to comply with the provisions hereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 149:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing persons, firms or corporations to make photographic copies of public records and documents, and to regulate the manner of making the same.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 239, 136 and 149, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 111:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for insuring County buildings.

Which is as follows:

In Section One, line 4, strike out the word "County" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Board of County Commissioners of.....County."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Johnson moved that the Senate do concur in the House amendment contained in the foregoing message.

Which was agreed to.

And the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 111 was concurred in, same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 111, as amended by the House of Representatives, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills for enrollment.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1915.

Hon. Chas. E. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 137:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to establish, maintain and operate a hog cholera serum plant, to authorize the State Board of Health to make rules for the production and distribution of said serum."

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent the following Bills were introduced:

By Mr. Drane (by request)—
Senate Bill No. 445:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the fees for impounding and feeding of impounded stock in incorporated towns and cities.

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

By Mr. Himes—
Senate Bill No. 446:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 91 of An Act of the Legislature of 1915, approved by the Governor May 8, 1915, entitled "An Act to abolish the present Municipality of the Town of Dunedin, Pinellas County, Florida; to create and establish a Municipal Corporation to be known as the Town of Dunedin, Pinellas County, Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government and confer certain powers upon said municipality and the officers thereof; and to provide for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act."

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 446 be placed on the Calendar of Local 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 Local Bills on the second reading without reference.

By the Committee on Game and Fisheries—
Senate Bill No. 447:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to protect and regulate the salt water fishing industry of the State of Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Blitch moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 447 be placed on 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 the Committee on Game and Fisheries—
Senate Bill No. 448:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to place the ownership of fresh water fish in the waters of the State; defining food fish; to protect fresh water fish and regulate the fresh water fishing industry; to provide for fishing licenses; and to provide for the enforcement of all laws of the State pertaining to fish.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Blitch moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 448 be placed on 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.

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON THE THIRD READING.

Senate Bills Nos. 163, 278, 186 and 68 were taken up and were informally passed over.

Senate Bill No. 243:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the appointment of guardians for property within the State of Florida, belonging to non-residents of unsound mind, to provide for the application of the income of such property and to authorize the sale thereof.

Was taken up in its order and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 243 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Blitch, Brown, Calkins, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Terrell, Watson, Wells, Zim—25.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 343 was taken up and was informally passed over.

The communication from the Governor, with his objections to—

An Act creating an additional Judicial Circuit in the State of Florida, to be designated the Twelfth Judicial Circuit, and providing for two additional Circuit Judges therefor, and defining and fixing the territorial limits and boundaries of the Fourth, Eighth and Twelfth Judicial Circuits, and prescribing when said Circuit Courts shall take jurisdiction and the effect on pending cases and the time for holding the term of court in the Fourth and Twelfth Judicial Circuits.

The same having been Senate Bill No. 282, was taken up and was informally passed over:

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING.

Senate Bill No. 202:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to protect and regulate the salt water fishing industry of the State of Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Was taken up and read a second time.

Mr. Blich moved that Committee Senate Bill No. 447 be substituted for Senate Bill No. 202 on the Calendar. Which was agreed to.

And Committee Senate Bill No. 447 took the position of Senate Bill No. 202 on the Calendar.

Mr. Cooper moved to temporarily pass over the consideration of Senate Bill No. 447.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Jones moved that Senate Bill No. 447 be made the special order for consideration on Wednesday at eleven o'clock A. M.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 447 was placed on the Calendar as a special order for a given time.

Committee Senate Bill No. 227:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to protect and regulate the fresh water fishing industry of the State of Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Was taken up.

Mr. Blich moved that Senate Bill No. 227 be substituted on the Calendar by Senate Bill No. 448.

Which was agreed to.

And the consideration of Senate Bill No. 448 was informally passed over.

Mr. Wells moved that 200 copies of Senate Bill No. 448 be printed.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 219:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing County Boards of Public Instruction and Trustees of Special Tax School Districts to establish departments of Home Economics and Home Demonstration Work in the public schools.

Was taken up.

Mr. Brown moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 219 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 219 was read a second time by its title only.

The committee substitute for Senate Bill No. 219 was read as follows:

Committee Substitute for—
Senate Bill No. 219:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing County Boards of Public Instruction and Trustees of Special Tax School Districts to establish and maintain departments of Home Economics and Home Demonstration Work in the public schools.

Mr. Brown moved to adopt the substitute in lieu of Senate Bill No. 219.

Which was agreed to.

So the Substitute was adopted.

There being no amendment to Committee Substitute