

(House Bill No. 207.)

An Act to authorize and empower the Town Council of the town of Mayo, in Lafayette County, Florida, to hold and make rules governing an election to determine whether cattle, horses, mules and any other live stock shall run at large upon its street, lanes and alleys, or within its incorporate limits; to provide for impounding of cattle, horses, mules and any other live stock so running at large; to empower the police officers of the said town of Mayo to impound same, and to fix his compensation and fees therefor.

Also—

(House Bill No. 669.)

An Act to Prohibit the catching and removal of fish from the fresh water lakes and streams of Calhoun County, Florida, between April 1st and June 1st, of each year, and making the violation of the provisions of this Act a misdemeanor.

Also—

(House Bill No. 488.)

An Act to legalize and validate certificates of indebtedness for paving, numbered respectively from one to one-hundred-ninety-six, inclusive, issued by the City of Port Tampa, Florida, for paving under and in pursuance of a resolution of the City Council of said city, dated February 3rd, 1915, and to provide that said certificates shall be a lien upon the abutting property on the streets named in said resolution and said certificates, and to provide for the enforcement thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 470.)

An Act making it unlawful for any person owning hogs to permit them to run at large in Township 47 South, Range 25 East; Township 48 South, Range 25 East; Township 47 South, Range 26 East; Township 48 South, Range 26 East in Lee County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 97.)

An Act providing how bonds and certificates of indebtedness of counties, municipalities, taxing districts and other political districts and subdivisions shall be validated; prescribing the duties of State Attorneys in connection therewith; prescribing the procedure in Circuit Courts and providing for appeals in such cases to the Supreme Court.

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

Very respectfully,

J. M. GORNTO,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 2, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate do now adjourn.  
Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate stood adjourned to 10 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, May 18, 1915.

### Tuesday, May 18, 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, Blich, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igon, Johnson, Jones, Lindsey, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—29.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of the Senate of May 17 was corrected.

The Journal of the Senate of May 17, as corrected, was approved.

The printed daily Journal of the Senate of April 28 is hereby corrected as follows:

On page 40 of said daily Journal, as printed, on line 12,

counting from top of said page, add to line 12 the following words "by a two-thirds vote."

So that the true history of the action of the Senate may appear as follows:

Mr. Davis moved that Senate Bill No. 222 be made a Special Order for consideration at 4 o'clock P. M. to-day, at which time it shall be read the third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 553:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to require the reports of all fees and commissions, or other remuneration collected by State and County officers, and the official expenses of such officers, and to provide for the publication of such reports.

Also—

House Bill No. 87:

A Bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance of County Bonds, prescribing the duties of Boards of County Commissioners in reference to the issuance of such Bonds, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith.

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

Very respectfully,

Y. L. WATSON,  
Chairman of Committee.

House Bills Nos. 553 and 87, contained in the above report, were placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 50:

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

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

Very respectfully,

Y. L. WATSON,  
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 50, contained in the above report, was placed on the table under the rule.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 398:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2, 4 and 8, of Chapter 6208 of the Laws of Florida, and to add thereto an additional section to be known as Section 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ , said Chapter 6208 being An Act entitled "An Act to authorize the counties of the State of Florida to create and constitute Special Road and Bridge Districts, within said counties; and to issue bonds and levy and collect a special road and bridge tax with which to pay for the construction, repair and maintenance of the roads and bridges within said Special Roads and Bridge Districts," approved June 5, 1911.

SI—S.

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

Very respectfully,

Y. L. WATSON,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 398, contained in the above report, was placed on the table under the rule.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 88:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to regulate and limit the issuance of injunctions and restraining orders against any person or persons while engaged in industrial disputes, by County, District or Circuit Judges in the State of Florida, or by any court over which they may preside.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 251:

A Bill to be entitled An Act providing for execution in capital cases by electrocution, providing a place in the State for electrocution, and providing for the appointment of an electrician for that purpose.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 477:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the time and manner in which persons employed, by Boards of County Commissioners or Bond Trustees, in the Counties of the State of Florida, in the construction, repairing and working of public roads and bridges shall be paid.

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

Very respectfully,

Y. L. WATSON,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bills Nos. 88, 251, 477, contained in the above report, were placed on the table under the rule.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 18, 1915.

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

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 393.)

An Act to prohibit the catching or taking food fishes from the fresh water streams or lakes in the County of Wakulla, with seines, gillnets, or any other device, except hook and line.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 365.)

An Act to provide the method and manner of working, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Jackson County, Florida, to provide a road and bridge fund for said county, and for the collection and assessment of same, and to repeal Chapter 6276, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to provide the method and manner of working, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Jackson County, Florida; to provide a road and bridge fund for said county, and for the collection and assessment of same," approved June 3, 1911.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 379.)

An Act to legalize and validate any and all script, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness heretofore is-

sued, or which may have been heretofore executed and are now ready for delivery, sale or negotiation by the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, for drainage purposes, issued or executed under the provisions of Chapter 5378 of the Laws of Florida of 1905, or under the provisions of Chapter XVI, Title 9, First Division, of the General Statutes of Florida of 1906, or under the provisions of Chapter 6190 of the Laws of Florida of 1911, or under the provisions of Chapter 6457 of the Laws of Florida of 1913, or of any Act or Acts amendatory of the said Laws, and to cure any and all defects in proceedings leading up to the execution or issue of any such script, bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness, and to validate and legalize assessments for drainage purposes in Manatee County, Florida, levied under the provisions of any of said Laws, and to legalize and validate any and all contracts let by the Board of County Commissioners for Drainage purposes in said County.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 193.)

An Act making appropriations to pay one third the cost of paving streets abutting property of the State in the City of Tallahassee.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 18, 1915.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 393.)

An Act to prohibit the catching or taking food fishes from the fresh water streams or lakes in the County of Wakulla, with seines, gillnets, or any other device, except hook and line.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 365.)

An Act to provide the method and manner of working, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Jackson County, Florida, to provide a road and bridge fund for said county, and for the collection and assessment of same, and to repeal Chapter 6276, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to provide the method and manner of working, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Jackson County, Florida; to provide a road and bridge fund for said county, and for the collection and assessment of same," approved June 3, 1911.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 379.)

An Act to legalize and validate any and all script, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness heretofore issued, or which may have been heretofore executed and are now ready for delivery, sale or negotiation by the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, for drainage purposes, issued or executed under the provisions of Chapter 5378 of the Laws of Florida of 1905, or under the provisions of Chapter XVI, Title 9, First Division, of the General Statutes of Florida of 1906, or under the provisions of Chapter 6190 of the Laws of Florida of 1911, or under the provisions of Chapter 6457 of the Laws of Florida of 1913, or of any Act or Acts amendatory of the said Laws, and to cure any and all defects in proceedings leading up to the execution or issue of any such script, bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness, and to validate and legalize assessments for drainage purposes in Manatee County, Florida, levied under the provisions of any of said Laws, and to legalize and validate any and all contracts let by the Board of County Commissioners for Drainage purposes in said County.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 193.)

An Act making appropriations to pay one third the cost of paving streets abutting property of the State in the City of Tallahassee.

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.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 18, 1915.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 791.)

An Act to constitute the State Plant Board created by the Florida Plant Act of 1915, a Corporate Body, and to further define its powers.

Also—

(House Bill No. 759.)

An Act to amend Sections 16, 19 and 33, of Chapter 6060 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida, of 1909.

Also—

(House Bill No. 760.)

An Act legalizing, confirming and ratifying the General Election held in and for and by the municipality of the Town of Jennings, Florida, in Hamilton County, on May 5th, A. D. 1915.

Also—

(House Bill No. 181.)

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of St. Augustine, County of St. Johns, State of Florida, and to organize, incorporate and establish a city government for the same; and to prescribe the jurisdiction, powers and functions of said municipality.

Also—

(House Bill No. 497.)

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to transfer certain funds from the Special Court House Building Fund to the school fund of the County of Brevard, State of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 481.)

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, to employ an attorney at law to prosecute those charged with crime before the County Judge's and Justice's Courts of said county.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 2:

A Bill to be entitled An Act requiring the inspection of steam boilers in this State, fixing the charges therefor, and fixing a penalty for refusal to comply with the provisions of this Act, and providing for the inspection of

such boilers, and providing for the appointment of Boiler Inspectors, and defining their duties and fixing their compensation.

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

Very respectfully,

A. J. McCLELLAN,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 2, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 18, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on County Organization, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 468:

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

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

Very respectfully,

F. M. COOPER,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 468, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 18, 1915.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 119.)

An Act to amend Section 3662 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida relating to obstructing of Public Roads or Highways and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 364.)

An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Kathleen, Polk County, Florida, and to organize and establish a Town Government for the same, to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 26.)

An Act to change the name, boundaries, qualifications of Electors and tax limit of the City of Fargo, being an amendment to Sections 1, 4, 11, 12, 15, 16 and 17 of Chapter 6685 of the Special Laws of 1913.

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.

Very respectfully,

J. M. GORNTO,  
Chairman of Committee.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 189:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 6424, Laws of Florida, relating to and cre-

ating a State Board of Pensions; defining who shall receive pensions, who shall be retained as pensioners, how applications shall be made, how pensions shall be paid, duty of County Commissioners in regard to pensions, providing for the levy of a pension tax and authorizing the State Board of Pensions to make regulations to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that it do pass with the following amendment:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

First Amendment of Committee—

Section 1. That Section 1 of Chapter 6424, Laws of Florida, approved June 4, 1913, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That the Governor, Comptroller and the Treasurer of this State are hereby constituted the State Board of Pensions.

Section 2. That Section 2 of Chapter 6424, Laws of Florida, approved June 4, 1913, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 2. Any person who enlisted and served in the military or naval service of the Confederate States during war between the States of the United States, and did not desert the Confederate service, and who performed service in actual line of duty for a period of not less than one year, or who was in actual service at the time of the close of said war, unless incapacitated for such duty by reason of wounds received or disease contracted while in line of duty, and whose property valuation, both real and personal, including the property of his wife, if she shall not have deserted her husband, does not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000.00) and shall have been a bona fide citizen of this State for eight years prior to the filing of his claim for pension, shall each receive one hundred and twenty (\$120.00) dollars per annum, in quarterly payments; all who lost a limb or limbs, an eye or eyes, or who is permanently disabled by reason of wounds or disease, to gain a livelihood by manual labor shall be entitled to receive each per annum, in quarterly payments, the following amounts, to-wit:

For total loss of sight .....	\$150.00
For loss of one eye .....	125.00

For loss of a foot .....	125.00
For loss of a hand .....	125.00
For loss of both hands .....	150.00
For loss of both feet .....	150.00
For loss of one hand and one foot, same person..	150.00
For personal injuries, disease or age, whereby the person is unable to earn a livelihood by manual labor; as shown by two reputable physicians..	180.00

Provided, however, That no soldier, sailor or their widows, who are now on the pension roll and drawing pension shall be required to make other and further proof; Provided, further, That any applicant for a pension under this Act who has previously made satisfactory proof of service under any former Act, although not now on the pension roll, shall not be required to make new proof of service; that the provisions of this Act shall apply to all those who were members of the Florida Reserves, and also those known as "Home Guards," which were in the service of the State of Florida during the war between the States of the United States; Provided, further, That any soldier or sailor who performed actual service for a period of one year or more in line of duty, and was absent from his command at the time same was mustered out upon a furlough granted him after January 15th, 1865, shall not be presumed to have deserted the service and shall be entitled to a pension under the provisions of this Act, unless proven to be a deserter.

Section 3. That Section 3 of Chapter 6424, Laws of Florida, approved June 4th, 1913, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3. The widow of any deceased soldier or sailor who enlisted and served in the military or naval service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and did not desert the service, and who performed service in actual line of duty for a period of not less than one year, unless incapacitated for such duty by reason of death, wounds received or disease contracted while in actual line of duty, and who has not married since the death of said husband, and whose property, both real and personal, does not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), shall be entitled to receive the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, in quarterly payments; provided, such widow shall have resided in this State continuously for a period

of eight (8) years prior to the date of the filing of her pension claim, and also the widow of any deceased person, who was at the time of his death drawing a pension from the State, shall be granted a widow's pension upon satisfactory proof of her marriage, her residence in this State, and the death of her husband; provided, such widow is otherwise eligible under the provisions of this Act; provided, further, that any such widow shall not be required to make out the proof of her husband's service, but any such widow of any such deceased soldier or sailor, who would have been entitled to a pension under this Act shall make proof if her said husband shall not have already been on the pension roll at the time of his death.

Section 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 1915.

Second amendment of the committee:

Also change the title of said bill to read as follows:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1, 2 and 3 of Chapter 6424, Laws of Florida, relating to and creating a State Board of Pensions; defining who shall receive pensions, who shall not receive pensions, who shall be retained as pensioners, how applications shall be made, how pensions shall be paid, duty of County Commissioners in regard to pensions, providing for the levy of a pension tax and authorizing the State Board of Pensions to make regulations to carry into effect the provisions of this Act, approved June 4th, 1913.

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 189, together with Senate Committee Amendments thereto, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 467:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs. Sarah Emma Alberson.

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 467, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 232:

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

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 232, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 436:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs. Sarah S. Tidwell, widow of W. J. Tidwell.

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 436, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 458:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to S. J. Odell, of Hillsborough County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 458, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Adkins, Chairman of Committee on Privileges and Elections, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 18, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Privileges and Elections, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 520:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 9, 10, 11, 12, 40, 44, 45, 52 and 55, and to repeal Sections 64 and 65 of Chapter 6469 of the Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to provide for and Regulate Primary Elections," approved June 3, 1913.

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

Very respectfully,

A. Z. ADKINS,  
Chairman of Committee.

House Bill No. 520, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 451:

A Bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to George W. Dempsey of Suwannee County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 451, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 409:

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

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 409, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 425:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs. Susan Mathis, of Taylor County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 425, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 1915.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 441:

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

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

Very respectfully,

W. H. GREENE,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 441, contained in the above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

ENROLLED.

The President announced that he was about to sign—

(Senate Bill No. 119.)

An Act to amend Section 3662 of the General Statutes of the Statet of Florida relating to obstructing public roads or highways, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 364.)

An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Kathleen, Polk County, Florida, and to organize and establish a Town Government for the same, to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 26.)

An Act to change the name, boundaries, qualifications of electors and tax limit of the City of Fargo, being an Amendment to Sections 1, 4, 11, 12, 15, 16 and 17 of Chapter 6685 of the Special Laws of 1913.

Also—

(House Bill No. 791.)

An Act to constitute the State Plant Board created by the Florida Plant Act of 1915, a Corporate Body, and to further define its powers.

Also—

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(House Bill No. 759.)

An Act to amend Sections 16, 19 and 33, of Chapter 6060 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida, of 1909.

Also—

(House Bill No. 760.)

An Act legalizing, confirming and ratifying the General Election held in and for and by the municipality of the Town of Jennings, Florida, in Hamilton County, on May 5th, A. D. 1915.

Also—

(House Bill No. 181.)

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of St. Augustine, County of St. Johns, State of Florida, and to organize, incorporate and establish a city government for the same; and to prescribe the jurisdiction, powers and functions of said municipality.

Also—

(House Bill No. 497.)

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to transfer certain funds from the Special Court House Building Fund to the school fund of the County of Brevard, State of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 481.)

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, to employ an attorney at law to prosecute those charged with crime before the County Judge's and Justice's Courts of said county.

The Acts were 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.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 18, 1915.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 119.)

An Act to amend Section 3662 of the General Statutes of Florida relating to obstructing public roads or highways, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 364.)

An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Kathleen, Polk County, Florida, and to organize and establish a Town Government for the same, the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 26.)

An Act to change the name, boundaries, qualifications of electors and tax limit of the City of Fargo, being an Amendment to Sections 1, 4, 11, 12, 15, 16 and 17 of Chapter 6685 of the Special Laws of 1913.

Also—

(House Bill No. 791.)

An Act to constitute the State Plant Board created by the Florida Plant Act of 1915, a Corporate Body, and to further define its powers.

Also—

(House Bill No. 759.)

An Act to amend Sections 16, 19 and 33, of Chapter 6060 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida, of 1909.

Also—

(House Bill No. 760.)

An Act legalizing, confirming and ratifying the General Election held in and for and by the municipality of the Town of Jennings, Florida, in Hamilton County, on May 5th, A. D. 1915.

Also—

(House Bill No. 181.)

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of St. Augustine, County of St. Johns, State of Florida, and to organize, incorporate and establish a

city government for the same; and to prescribe the jurisdiction, powers and functions of said municipality.

Also—

(House Bill No. 497.)

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to transfer certain funds from the Special Court House Building Fund to the school fund of the County of Brevard, State of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 481.)

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, to employ an attorney at law to prosecute those charged with crime before the County Judge's and Justice's Courts of said county.

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

Very respectfully,

J. M. GORNTO,  
Chairman of Committee.

Senate Bill No. 366 was restored to the Calendar, upon the request of Mr. Roland of 32nd District.

Senate Bill No. 373 was restored to the Calendar upon the request of Mr. Lindsey of the 3rd District.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Zim—

Senate Bill No. 516:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 990 of Chapter XIX, General Statutes of the State of Florida.

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

By Mr. Wells (by request)—

Senate Bill No. 517:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 6228 of the Laws of Florida entitled, An Act to regulate and prescribe the practice of attorneys in criminal cases.

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

By Mr. Plympton—  
Senate Bill No. 518:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide a uniform method of municipal accounting, and for the examination into the financial operations of municipalities in the State of Florida.

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

By Mr. Roland—

Senate Bill No. 519:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to establish a hog cholera serum and virus plant, providing for its control and the distribution of its products.

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

By Mr. Jones—

Senate Bill No. 520:

A Bill to be entitled An Act relating to fishing in the waters of Escambia County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Jones moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 520 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 520 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Jones moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 520 be placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Third Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 520 was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Third Reading.

By Mr. Drane—

Senate Bill No. 521:

A Bill to be entitled An Act regulating the speed of automobiles and motorcycles while passing each other, or passing cars, cycles, horses and wagons, horses and bug-

gies, work cattle, or any other rig or team, and providing a penalty for same.

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

By Mr. Hudson (by request)—  
Senate Bill No. 522:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to incorporate and establish Everglades Drainage District, and to provide for the drainage, reclamation and benefit of the lands included in said District.

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

By Mr. Roddenberry—  
Senate Bill No. 523:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the size of bar and mesh and length of seines fished or used in the salt waters in Franklin County, Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of same.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Roddenberry moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 523 be read a second time by its title.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 523 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Roddenberry moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 523 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was not agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 523 was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the Third Reading.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 389 be recalled from the Committee on County Organization and be placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 389 was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

## MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was read:

Executive Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1915.

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

*Sir:*

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

An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Sarasota, being Chapter 6768, Acts of 1913, Laws of Florida, by amending Sections 16, 17, 35, 36, 37, 39 and 46, and adding three additional Sections to said Charter to be known as Sections 39 (a), 39 (b) and 53 (a).

Yours 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 18, 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. 24:  
Relating to a report of the expenditures of the State Board of Health for the years of 1913 and 1914.  
Also—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 25:

To memorialize Congress asking for an appropriation of \$10,000 to remove the logs and snags and over hanging trees in the Ocklocknee River.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 24 and 25, contained in the above message, were read the first time and were laid over under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 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 concurred—

Amendments to House Bill No. 416,

Which amendments are as follows:

In Section 6, line 6, after words "Licensed Physician," add "Veterinary Surgeon."

In Section 3, line 2, after the word "Prescribe," add the following: "Dispense."

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives.  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 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. 449:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Melbourne, Florida, to issue negotiable interest-bearing notes or obligations for the purpose of street, park or harbor improvements.

Also—

House Bill No. 310:

A Bill to be entitled An Act providing for the preparation of uniform courses of study for the public schools and high schools of Florida, for the appointment of a Commission; to make an appropriation therefor, and for other purposes.

Also—

House Bill No. 523:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 170, 194, 205 and 227, of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, governing electors and elections.

Also—

House Bill No. 646:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide the method and manner of working, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Walton County, Florida, and to provide penalties for violations of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 449, contained in the above message, was taken up.

Mr. Hudson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 449 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.

And House Bill No. 310, 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. 523, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

House Bill No. 646, contained in the above message, was taken up and was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 646 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.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 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. 100:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to require railroad companies doing business within the State of Florida to install telephones at their passenger depots and freight depots in certain cities and towns in the State of Florida, and to give over such telephones, to persons having business with said railroad company, information concerning such business, and to provide for a penalty for vio-

lation of any provision of this Act, and for the enforcement of this Act by civil proceeding.

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. 100, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Railroads, Canals and Telegraphs.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 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. 620:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Pinellas County, State of Florida, to issue interest-bearing warrants in the aggregate sum of \$250,000 for the purpose of building roads and bridges in Pinellas County, Florida, upon ratification by election, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest of said warrants and to provide for the retirement of the same.

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. 620, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be waived and that

House Bill No. 620 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.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 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. 9:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to establish the municipality of the Town of Florence Villa under the commission system of municipal government, and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Very respectfully,

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 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. 296:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower

and provide for the re-assessment and collection of special assessment certificates heretofore or hereafter issued by the City of Ocala against real estate within the corporate limits of said city for street or sidewalk paving construction and grading, which said assessments may be unenforceable by reason of any irregularity.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 476:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the time and manner in which persons employed by Boards of County Commissioners or Bond Trustees in the County of Hernando, Florida, in the construction, repairing and working of public roads and bridges may be paid.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 296 and 476, contained in the above message, were referred to Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 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 receded from its position on its amendments to—

Senate Bill No. 109:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1512 of the General Statutes of Florida, as amended by Chapter 5649, Acts of 1907, relating to the pay of witnesses.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bill No. 109, 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 17, 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. 326:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to create special county drainage districts in DeSoto County, in the State of Florida; to provide a method of laying out and establishing same; to provide a method of the payment of costs by the issuance of bonds, and to provide a method of condemning lands for the drains.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bill No. 326, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 17, 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, over the Governor's veto, by the Constitutional two-thirds vote—

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.

Which was Senate Bill No. 282:

Very respectfully,

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

And the Act contained in the above message was ordered to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY.

Mr. Lindsey moved to waive the rules and that the Senate do now take up and consider Bills on the Third Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Senate proceeded to the consideration of—

#### BILLS ON THE THIRD READING.

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

Senate Bill No. 3 was taken up.

Mr. Plympton moved to waive the rules and put Senate Bill No. 3 back on the second reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 3 took its position on the Calendar of Bills on the second reading.

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

Senate Bill No. 68:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Comptroller to pay for all services rendered, and for all subsistence, supplies and transportation furnished, to the State of Florida, in the suppression of Indian hostilities in the last war with the Seminoles, in the years 1855 and 1856.

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

Mr. Jones moved to waive the rules and that Senate Bill No. 68 be placed back on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading, and be now considered on the second reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Senate Bill No. 68 was taken up on the second reading for amendment.

Mr. Jones offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 68:

In Section 1, line 2, strike out the words "and pay."

Mr. Jones moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Stringer moved, as a substitute to adopt the amendment, that Senate Bill No. 68 with pending amendment, be made a special order for 11 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 19.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurred upon the motion to adopt the amendment to Senate Bill No. 68, offered by Mr. Jones.

Pending the consideration of which—

Mr. Himes moved that Senate Bill No. 68 and proposed amendment be informally passed over.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 195 was taken up and was informally passed over.

Committee Substitute Senate Bill No. 117:

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 drawees to pay such checks or orders, and to provide punishment therefor.

Was taken up.

Mr. Farris moved to waive the rules and that the Senate take up House Bill No. 53 in lieu of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 117.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

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.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

By unanimous consent—

Mr. Farris offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 53:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That from and after the date upon which this Act becomes a law, any person, acting in his or her own behalf, or as agent for any person, persons, firm or corporation, who draws and utters, or causes to be drawn and uttered, any check, draft, or order, for a present consideration, upon any bank, banking house, person, firm or corporation when there shall not be at the time of either drawing and uttering, or causing to be drawn and uttered, such check, draft or order, or at the time of presentation of such check, draft or order to the drawee thereof, for payment or acceptance, provided that the same be presented in due course, sufficient funds on deposit with such bank, banking house, person, firm or corporation, in the name of or to the credit of such drawer, to pay such check, draft or order, and who shall not within ten days after the giving and receipt of the notice of the dishonor hereinafter provided for, pay or cause to be paid the amount of such check, draft, or order in current funds to the lawful holder thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a felony, and upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment in the State prison for a period not greater than one year, or by fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 2. The notice of dishonor mentioned in Section 1 of this Act, shall be in writing and must state that the check, draft, or order has been duly presented for payment or acceptance and has been dishonored, because of insufficient funds, and that such check, draft, or order must be paid to the holder within ten days from the date of the receipt of such notice.

A receipt from the Registry Department of any United States Post Office shall be deemed prima facie evidence of the actual delivery of such notice.

Section 3. The introduction of such unpaid check, draft or order, with the suppletory oath of the payee, or drawee, or his agent, that such check, draft or order was entered for collection in due course of business, and that the same was returned unpaid shall be deemed prima facie evidence of insufficient funds for the payment thereof.

Section 4. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

Mr. Farris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hudson moved to waive the rules and place House Bill No. 53, as amended by the Senate, back on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Bill was so placed.

Mr. Hudson moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which the amendment offered by Mr. Farris to House Bill No. 53 was adopted.

Which motion was laid over under the rule.

Mr. Blitch moved to waive the rules and take up Senate Bill No. 447 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Mr. Cooper moved that the further consideration of Senate Bill No. 447 be informally passed over.

Which was not agreed to.

And—

Senate Bill No. 447:

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

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

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 447 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Blitch, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Himes, Igou, Johnson, Jones, Lindsey, McClellan, McGeachy, Middleton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—23.

Nays—Senators Greene, McEachern—2.

Mr. Greene announced that he was paired with Mr. Farris on the passage of this Bill and that if he (Mr. Farris) were present and voting he would vote yea and that he (Mr. Greene) would vote nay.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Adkins moved that House Bill No. 155 be recommitteed to the Committee on Judiciary B.

Which was agreed to.

And House Bill No. 155 was so referred.

Mr. Lindsey was excused from attendance on the Senate for the afternoon.

Mr. Blitch was excused from attendance on the Senate until Friday morning next.

Mr. Stringer moved that the Senate do now adjourn to 4 o'clock this afternoon and take up Local Bills for consideration.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate take a recess until 4 o'clock.

Mr. Stringer moved that the Senate adjourn to 4:05 o'clock and that the afternoon session be devoted to the consideration of Local Bills.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

The question was put upon the motion of Mr. Wells that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion did not prevail.

The question recurred upon the motion of Mr. Stringer that the Senate do now adjourn until 4:05 o'clock this afternoon and that the afternoon session be devoted to the consideration of Local Bills.

Which was agreed to.

Thereupon the Senate stood adjourned until 4:05 o'clock P. M. to-day.

## AFTERNOON SESSION—4:05 O'CLOCK.

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, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Willis, Zim—26.

A quorum present.

BILLS ON THE LOCAL CALENDAR ON THIRD  
READING.

Senate Bill No. 223:

A Bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful to catch fish in certain fresh water lakes of Osceola County, and providing a license for fishing in other fresh water lakes and streams in said county.

Was taken up and passed over informally.

Mr. Donegan moved that the rules be waived, and that House Bill No. 293 be recalled from the committee, and that it take the place on the Calendar occupied by Senate Bill No. 223.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 293:

A Bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful to catch fish in certain fresh water lakes of Osceola County, and providing a license for fishing in other fresh water lakes and streams in said County.

Was taken up.

Mr. Donegan moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 293 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 293 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Donegan moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 293 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 293 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 293 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Willis, Zim—24.

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. 511:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County to issue time warrants in payment of amounts due the City of Pensacola for road and bridge taxes collected or recovered by said county, which said county has failed to pay to said city as provided by the law authorizing the levy and collection of such taxes.

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

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 511 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Watson, Willis, Zim—22.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed.

Mr. Jones offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 511:

In title, strike out the word "recovered" and insert in lieu thereof the word "received."

Mr. Jones moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

So the Bill was declared passed, title as amended.

Senate Bill No. 512 was taken up and was informally passed over.

House Bill No. 246:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to establish the municipality of Safety Harbor, Florida, to authorize the issuance of bonds, to provide for an organization of a commission form of government, to fix its territorial limits, and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Was taken up.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 246 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 246 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 246 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 246 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 246 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—21.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 170:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the town of Ozona, Pinellas County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the town of Ozona, 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.

Was taken up.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 170 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 170 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 170 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 170 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 170 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—21.

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. 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."

Was taken up.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 446 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 446 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 446 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 446 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 446, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Igou, Johnson, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Watson, Wells, Willis—19.

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. 394:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 5987, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1909, being An Act to organize a county court in the county of Hillsborough; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers, and to fix the compensation of its judge.

Was taken up.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 394 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 394 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Himes moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 394 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 394 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 394 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Cooper, Donegan, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson,

Igou, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Watson, Wells, Willis—20.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bills Nos. 408, 394, 419, 420, 406, and 459, were taken up and were informally passed over.

Senate Bill No. 460:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of Clearwater, Pinellas County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Clearwater, 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.

Was taken up.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 460 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 460 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 460 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 460 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 460, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis—21.

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. 459:

A Bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation, organization and maintenance of reclamation districts for the purpose of reclaiming and protecting marsh, wet or overflowed lands, or lands subject to overflow by the tides, from the effects of water, in the County of Hillsborough, not within the corporate limits of any city or town, for sanitary or agricultural purposes, or when the same may be conducive to the public health, convenience or welfare, or of public utility or benefit, by the erection of sea walls, levees, and filling in, or otherwise; to define the privileges, powers, duties and liabilities of such reclamation districts, the officers and agents thereof; to provide for the assessment of the benefits accruing from said work upon the property in said reclamation districts, and giving to said reclamation districts full power to acquire such lands and property as may be necessary and proper for its purposes, and to vest the title to the lands filled in in the owners of the lands in said reclamation districts.

Was taken up.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 459 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 459 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 459 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 459 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 459 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Fogarty, Gornito, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—23.

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. 465 was taken up and was informally passed over.

**House Bill No. 737:**

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, and 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."

Was taken up.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 737 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 737 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 737 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 737 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 737, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, 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. 469 was taken up and was informally passed over.

## House Bill No. 761:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of Lake County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money for the erection of school buildings, equipping same, constructing sidewalks and improving the grounds of Special Tax School District No. 21, Leesburg, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 761 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 761 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 761 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 761 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 761 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, ones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis Zim—25.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

## House Bill No. 480:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, approve, validate and confirm special election held in a certain portion of Palm Beach County, Florida, on November 17, A. D. 1914, for the purpose of creating a Special Road and Bridge District, subsequently designated as Special Road and Bridge District No. 4 of Palm Beach County, Florida; and to ratify, approve, validate and confirm any bonds to be issued in pursuance of said special election.

Was taken up.

Mr. Hudson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 480 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 480 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Hudson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 480 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 480 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 480 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

## House Bill No. 479:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to provide for a special election in special road and bridge district of District No. 4, of Palm Beach County, Fla., to provide for the submission to the duly registered voters who are free-holders residing within said district, the question of constructing certain roads in lieu of a certain road hitherto voted to be constructed; to provide for holding said special election in conformity with the law concerning said special road and bridge district in elections; to provide in case said special election is carried in the affirmative, for the issuance of bonds of the par value of \$40,000.00 to pay for the construction of the roads provided for in this Act; to provide for an additional tax levy of five mills for as many years as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act; and to provide that nothing in this Act shall be held to impair the election held within the limits of said special road and bridge district on November 17, A. D 1914.

Was taken up.

Mr. Hudson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 479 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 479 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Hudson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 479 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 479 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 479 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—22.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 406:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to create, establish and organize a municipality in the County of Pasco and State of Florida, to be known and designated as Dade City; to define its territorial boundaries, jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Dade City.

Was taken up.

Mr. Stringer moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 406 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 406 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Stringer moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 406 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 406 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 406, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, McClellan, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 219:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chap 5769 of the Laws of Florida which prescribes the time for holding the four respective terms of the County Court in and for the County of Manatee and State of Florida.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 219 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 219 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 219 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

## House Bill No. 105:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to issue county warrants not to exceed sixty thousand dollars on the road fund of said county for the purpose of raising funds to pay for the construction of a bridge across the St. Lucie River at Stuart, in Palm Beach County, Florida, and providing the rate of interest which said warrants shall bear, and how and where payable and the period for which said warrants shall run.

Was taken up.

Mr. Hudson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 105 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 105 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Hudson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 105 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 105 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 105 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Willis, Zim—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

## House Bill No. 515:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to validate, ratify and confirm all proceedings in connection with the creation and organization of Special Tax School Districts in Pinellas County, Florida; and all elections held in said districts for the selection of school trustees, and for

fixing the tax millage to be levied and collected therein, and all proceedings in connection with the issuance of bonds of said districts that have been issued, or bonds to be issued, in so far as the validity of said bonds shall be conditioned upon the valid organization and validity of said districts.

Was taken up.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 515 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 515 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 515 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 515 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 515 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Willis, Zim—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

## House Bill No. 516:

A Bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 6784 of the Laws of Florida, 1913, and enlarging the powers of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 516 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 516 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 516 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 516 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 516 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Willis, Zim—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 652 was taken up and was informally passed over.

Senate Bill No. 496:

A Bill to be entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of South Jacksonville, a municipality in Duval County, Florida, and extending and amplifying the jurisdiction, powers and duties of said city.

Was taken up.

Mr. Farris moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 496 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 496 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Farris moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 496 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 496 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 496 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Willis, Zim—21.

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. 497:

A Bill to be entitled An Act entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Arcadia, in the County of DeSoto and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Arcadia, and to define its territorial boundary and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Was taken up.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 497 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 497 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 497 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 497 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 497 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Willis, 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. 499:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Orlando to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

Was taken up.

Mr. Donegan moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 499 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 499 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Donegan moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 499 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 499 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 499, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Willis, 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. 500:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to empower the Board of County Commissioners of DeSoto County, Florida, to make changes in roads and manner of improving same in the Punta Gorda Special Road and Bridge District.

Was taken up.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 500 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 500 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 500 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 500 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 500 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Willis, Zim—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bills Nos. 534 and 564 were taken up and were informally passed over.

House Bill No. 565:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Mayor and Council of the City of Plant City, Florida, to issue Bonds of said city, for the purpose of completion of a waterworks system for said city, and for other purposes.

Was taken up.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 565 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 565 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 565 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 565 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 565 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou,

Johnson, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Willis, Zim—22.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Farris moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 564 was read the second time.

Mr. Farris moved to waive the rules and that the motion to reconsider be now taken up for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The vote was reconsidered.

House Bills Nos. 569, 542 and 593 were taken up and were informally passed over.

House Bill No. 401:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to enlarge the powers of the Town of Largo, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 401 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 401 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 401 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 401 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 401 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 776:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Hamilton County, Florida, to pay interest on outstanding warrants, to borrow money, to validate certain outstanding warrants, and to transfer certain funds.

Was taken up.

Mr. Greene moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 776 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 776 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Greene moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 776 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 776 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 776 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown Cooper, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—26.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 775:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to validate and legalize the establishment and creation of Special Road and Bridge District No. 1, in Lee County, Florida, and to validate and legalize all future assessments to be made against the land described within the boundaries of said Special Road and Bridge District No. 1, and to authorize the issuance of bonds and the validation thereof.

Was taken up.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 775 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 775 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Fogarty moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 775 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill 775 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 775 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—26.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Stringer moved that the Senate do reconsider the vote by which the Senate passed Senate Bill No. 446.

Mr. Stringer moved to waive the rules, and that the motion to reconsider be now taken up for consideration. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the vote was reconsidered.

Mr. Johnson moved to indefinitely postpone Senate Bill No. 446.

Which was agreed to.

And the Bill was indefinitely postponed.

Senate Bill No. 504:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal corporation of the Town of Hilliard, Nassau County, Florida, incorporated May 26th, 1911, to provide for the protection of all creditors of the said town of Hilliard, Nassau County, Florida, and to provide that such Act shall take effect upon its ratification by the affirmative

vote of a majority of the votes within the limits of said town of Hilliard.

Was taken up.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 504 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 504 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 504 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 504 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 504 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—27.

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. 509:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the carrying of Intoxicating Liquors to churches, school houses, picnics, or other public gatherings, or the drinking of the same within one-quarter of a mile of such places in Bradford County, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Adkins moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 509 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 509 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Adkins moved that the rules be further waived and

that Senate Bill No. 509 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 509 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 509 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Zim—24.

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. 513:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Bay County to issue and sell certain interest-bearing Time Warrants; providing for the application of funds derived from such sale, and providing funds for the payment of such Warrants and other outstanding Warrants on the Road Fund.

Was taken up.

Mr. McClellan moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 513 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 513 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. McClellan moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 513 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 513 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 513 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton,

Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, 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. 514:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to establish the Municipality of Frostproof, Florida, to authorize its issuance of Bonds; to provide for and organize a Commission Form of Government; to fix its territorial limits and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Was taken up.

Mr. Drane moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 514 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 514 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Drane offered a substitute to Senate Bill No. 514, the title of which was read as follows:

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 514:

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

Mr. Drane moved that the rules be waived and that Substitute for Senate Bill No. 514 be read the second time by its title.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Substitute for Senate Bill No. 514 was read the second time by its title.

Mr. Drane moved to adopt Substitute for Senate Bill No. 514 in lieu of the original bill.

Which was agreed to.

And the substitute was adopted.

Mr. Drane moved to waive the rules and that Substitute for Senate Bill No. 514 be read the third time and be put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 514 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Substitute Bill No. 514 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Drane, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—22.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Gornto moved to waive the rules and to take up House Bill No. 569 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 569:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Plant City, Florida, to appropriate money from the general revenue fund of said city for publicity and advertising purposes, and to provide the manner of expending such appropriations, and for other purposes.

Was taken up.

Mr. Gornto moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 569 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 569 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Gornto moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 569 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 569 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 569 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Drane, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—23.

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. 515:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to define what shall be a Natural Oyster and Clam Bar, in the waters of the Gulf Coast of Wakulla County, State of Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Roddenberry moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 515 be read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wells moved as a substitute to the motion that the further consideration of Substitute for Senate Bill No. 515 be informally passed over.

Which was agreed to.

House Bill No. 625:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to validate and legalize the establishment and creation of the Murdock Drainage District in DeSoto County, Florida, and to validate and legalize the assessment of the lands therein embraced, and all future assessments to be made against said land for said drainage purposes, and to authorize the issuance of bonds and the validation thereof, and to authorize the retirement of all warrants now outstanding or to be hereafter issued.

Was taken up.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 625 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 625 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and

that House Bill No. 625 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 625 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 625 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 781 was taken up and was informally passed over.

House Bill No. 607:

A Bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any person owning hogs to permit them to run at large in Township 46, Ranges 23, 24, 25 and 26 East, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Was taken up.

Mr. Gornto moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 607 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 607 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Gornto moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 607 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 607 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 607 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adkins, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hud-

son, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Zim—19.

Nays—Senators Igou and Middleton—2.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bills Nos. 165, 129, 400, 595 and 600 were taken up and informally passed over.

House Bill No 452:

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

Was taken up.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 452 be read a second time by its title.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 452 was read a second time by its title.

Mr. Cooper moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 452 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 452 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 452 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 790 was taken up and was informally passed over.

By unanimous consent, the following Bills were introduced:

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Roland—  
Senate Bill No. 524:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to enable Alachua County to make an annual appropriation to aid the Alachua County Fair Association to provide a County Fair.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Roland moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 524 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 524 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Roland moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 524 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 524 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Igou—  
Senate Bill No. 525:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of Lake County, Florida, to issue interest bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money for the erection of school build-

ings, equipping same, constructing sidewalks and improving grounds of Special Tax School District No. 6, Umatilla, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 525 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 525 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived, and that Senate Bill No. 525 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 525 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the Bill the vote was.

Yeas—Mr. President, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Igou—  
Senate Bill No. 526:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, to pay out of the road and bridge fund of said county, certain amounts to members of the Board of County Commissioners of said county serving as such during the year 1914.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 526 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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And Senate Bill No. 526 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived, and that Senate Bill No. 526 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 526 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Zim—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Calkins—  
Senate Bill No. 527:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Nassau County to employ a County Agriculture Demonstration Agent, and providing for his compensation.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 527 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 527 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived, and that Senate Bill No. 527 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 527 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—22.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Calkins—  
Senate Bill No. 528:

A Bill to be entitled An Act for the protection and preservation of the mud or marsh hens in Nassau County, Florida, and designating the time they can be hunted and killed, and when they cannot be hunted, killed or molested, and limiting the number that may be killed by any one person or party in any one day, and declaring violations thereof to be a misdemeanor.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 528 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 528 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 528 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 528 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roland, Stringer, Wells, Willis, Zim—21.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Gornto—  
Senate Bill No. 529:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 8, of Article 3, of Chapter 5359, Laws of Florida, 1903, being An Act entitled An Act to organize a municipal government for the Town of Perry, Florida, and to provide for its government, as amended by Chapter 5842, Laws of Florida, 1907.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Gornto moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 529 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 529 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Gornto moved that the rules be further waived, and that Senate Bill No. 529 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 529 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Donegan—  
Senate Bill No. 530:

A Bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Osceola County to employ a County Agricultural Demonstration Agent, and providing for his compensation.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Donegan moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 530 be read a second time by its title only.  
Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 530 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Donegan moved that the rules be further waived, and that Senate Bill No. 530 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 530 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Farris, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Wells moved that Senate Bill No. 515 be referred to the proper committee.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 515 was referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Hudson moved to waive the rules and take up Senate Bills Nos. 474 and 475 for consideration.

Mr. Johnson moved as a substitute that Senate Bills Nos. 474 and 475 be passed over informally.

Which was not agreed to.

Pending the consideration of the motion of Mr. Hudson—

Mr. Wells moved to adjourn.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Hudson moved to waive the rules and to make Sen-

ate Bills Nos. 474 and 475 a special order for 11 o'clock A. M. to-morrow.

Mr. Himes moved as a substitute that the motion to make Senate Bills Nos. 474 and 475 be made a special order at 11 o'clock to-morrow.

Pending the consideration of which—

Mr. Drane moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurred upon the substitute motion of Mr. Himes.

Which substitute motion prevailed.

Mr. Calkins moved that all Senate Bills of a local nature passed by the Senate be certified to the House of Representatives at once.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Igou moved to adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate stood adjourned to ten o'clock A. M. Wednesday, May 19, 1915.

### Wednesday, May 19, 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, Brown, Calkins, Cooper, Donegan, Drane, Farris, Fogarty, Gornto, Greene, Himes, Hudson, Igou, Johnson, Jones, McClellan, McEachern, McGeachy, Middleton, Plympton, Roddenberry, Roland, Stringer, Terrell, Watson, Wells, Willis, Zim—29.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of the Senate of May 18 was corrected.

The Journal of the Senate of May 18, as corrected, was approved.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 19, 1915.

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

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 355.)

An Act authorizing the State School Book Commission of the State of Florida to extend the time limit of five years for renewing contracts for purchase of school text books to July 1, 1917.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 177.)

An Act to amend Section 976 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to "Fees for Feeding Prisoners."

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 106.)

An Act to provide for the punishment of any person or persons responsible for, or contributing to, the delinquency or dependency of children.