

And Senate Bill No. 295 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Baker, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Roland, Singletary, Stokes, Wilson—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. 298:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1187, 1188 and 1191 of the General Statutes of Florida, relating to the Florida Hospital for the Insane.

Was taken up and was read the second time in full.

The Committee offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 298:

In Section 3 add to Section 3 "The compensation of the superintendent shall not exceed three thousand dollars per annum.

Mr. Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. King moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 298 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. 298 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, Mathis, McLeod, Oliver, Wilson—20.

Nays—None.

So the Bill as amended passed, title as stated.

And Senate Bill No. 298 as amended by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 294:

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to taxation and finance.

Was taken up, and was read the second time in full.

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 294—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 294:

A joint resolution proposing and amendment to Section 1 of Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to taxation and finance.

Was taken up, and read the first time by its title.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 294 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 294 was read a second time in full.

Mr. Carlton moved to adopt the substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 294.

Which was agreed to.

And said substitute took the place of the original resolution.

Senate Bill No. 138:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define and punish the offense of obtaining or attempting to obtain any money or property by use of any false or bogus check, token or symbol, or by other means, instrument or device, by a process or method commonly called the confidence game; providing a penalty for use of any building on premises, and providing rules of evidence in such cases and arrests with or without warrants.

Was taken up, and was read the second time in full.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that Senate Bill No. 138 be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary A.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 138 was referred to Committee on Judiciary A.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned to 10:30 o'clock A. M. Friday, May 16, 1919.

Friday, May 16, 1919

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singeltary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—28.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 15 was corrected and approved as corrected.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 284:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring and directing the Commissioner of Agriculture of the State of Florida to have printed the Field Notes of the Surveys of the State of Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

W. E. BAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 284 contained in the above report, was placed on the table under the rules.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 71:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Boards of Public Instruction to acquire lands for use in farm demonstration work.

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

Very respectfully,

W. E. BAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 71, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Turner, Chairman of the Committee on Fisheries, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Fisheries, to whom was referred—
House Bill No. 155:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing a closed season for salt water crawfish in the waters of the State of Florida, and providing a penalty for taking the same from the waters of the State of Florida, for commercial purposes, during certain periods, and for having any salt water crawfish in possession by any person, firm or corporation during said periods, and to prohibit the trans-

portation of the same during the closed season, and providing a penalty therefor.

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

Very respectfully,

J. W. TURNER,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 155, contained in above report, was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 6:

Whereas, The State Board of Health has what is known as a Health Train, consisting of three or more coaches, etc.

Have had the same under their consideration and recommend that amendment be amended as follows:

Strike out "Return proceeds from sale to the general fund of the State Board of Health," and insert in lieu thereof "Return proceeds from sale to the General School Fund."

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

Very respectfully,

W. L. HUGHLETT,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 6, with proposed amendments, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 59:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the sanitation, healthfulness and cleanliness of swimming pools, public bath houses, swimming and bathing places; regulating the granting and revocation of permits therefor from the State Board of Health, providing for the inspection of such places; declaring places and things in violation of this Act to be nuisances, dangerous to health and providing for the abatement of the same; making violation of this Act misdemeanors; and providing for the punishment of the same.

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

Very respectfully,

W. L. HUGHLETT,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 59, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 84:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the governing and making of morbidity reports and imposing certain duties on physicians and other persons, and conferring certain powers on the State Board of Health.

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

Very respectfully,

W. L. HUGHLETT,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 84, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 374:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate affidavits and acknowledgements taken in foreign countries by soldiers and sailors before officers authorized by the Military Laws of the United States to perform the duties of Notary Public.

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN L. MOORE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 374, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Wilson, Chairman of the Committee on County Organizations, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on County Organizations, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 343:

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

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

Very respectfully,

A. M. WILSON,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 343, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. MacWilliams, Chairman of the Committee on Drainage, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Drainage, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 41:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate any and all contracts heretofore made by the County Commissioners of Orange County, Florida, for ditches, drains, canals and water courses, or lateral ditches, in territory or a drainage district at the time of letting said contracts a part of Orange County and now a part of Seminole County, Florida, and declaring and making all assessments incurred for expenses for work done under said contract legal and making all script heretofore issued or that may be issued hereafter under any such contract, either to borrow money upon or to pay for work done under any and all of said contracts, legal, valid and binding liens.

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

Very respectfully,

W. A. MACWILLIAMS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 41, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Oliver, Chairman of the Committee on Banking, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Banking, to whom was referred—
Senate Bill No. 182:

A bill to be entitled An Act concerning Industrial Banks, defining the same, and providing for their incorporation, powers, supervision and taxation.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 230:

A bill to be entitled An Act relative to the payment of deposits in Trust.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 234:

A bill to be entitled An Act concerning bank transactions after 12 o'clock Saturdays.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 231:

A bill to be entitled An Act to limit the liability of a bank for non-payment of a check through error.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 233:

A bill to be entitled An Act concerning forwarding checks direct to payor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 232.

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the liability of a bank to its depositor for payment of forged or raised checks.

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

Very respectfully,

N. L. OLIVER.

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 182, 230, 234, 231, 233 and 232, contained in the above report, were placed on the table under the rule.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 71:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for and regulate Primary Elections in this State, and to impose penalties for the violations thereof.

Have examined the same and find it correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. A. McLEOD,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 71, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with House amendment)—

Senate Bill No. 235:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Article 10 of Chapter 5868, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1907, approved May 22d, 1907, same being entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Wauchula, Florida, and organize a city government for the same, and to provide its jurisdiction and powers.

Have examined Senate Bill No. 235, with House amendment, and find the same correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. A. McLEOD,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 235, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 322:

A bill to be entitled An Act curing certain defects in constructive service in Chancery cases.

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 322, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 369:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal An Act entitled An Act to provide for stay of execution of sentence to fine in Justice of the Peace Courts and County Judges' Courts, being Chapter 5923, Laws of Florida, approved June 8, 1909.

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 369, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 331:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to pleading, practice and procedure in the courts of this State.

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 331, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 99:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the compensation of County Commissioners of Okeechobee County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 99, contained in the above report, was placed on the table under the rule.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 325:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing rules of practice in County Judges' Courts.

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

Very respectfully,
DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 325, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 329:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for service by publication upon unknown parties in interest in property involved in certain chancery suits and for decrees and other proceedings after such service.

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

Very respectfully,
DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 329, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 317:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the cancellation and satisfaction of mortgage, liens, judgments and decrees, and providing a penalty for the failure to make such cancellation and satisfaction.

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

Very respectfully,
DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 317, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 327:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to suits in chancery for the foreclosure or enforcement of any lien or other relief as against or affecting the title to real estate of which courts of chancery have jurisdiction.

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

Very respectfully,
DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 327, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla. May 16 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 328:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2486 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida of 1906 relating to the identity of the grantor or grantors in acknowledgments of the execution of deeds and mortgages, and curing acknowledgements heretofore taken.

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 328, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 330:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1445 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, entitled, "Notice of Hearing Demurrer."

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 330, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 318:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe rules of evidence in suits involving the title to, or right of possession of land, and to make proof of certain facts prima facie evidence of title, or right of possession.

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 318, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 100:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish distinction between principals in the first and second degree and accessories before the fact and prescribing how they may be tried.

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 100, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Callins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 568:

(With Senate amendments adopted May 15th.)

A bill to be entitled An Act to define the ownership in certain islands and marsh, wet, or low lands in or along the St. Johns river in Putnam County, Florida, and to authorize the survey and disposition of the same.

Have examined House Bill No. 568, with Senate amendments adopted, and find it correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. A. McLEOD,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 568, contained in the above report, was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives as having passed the Senate with amendments thereto.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS.

A telegram from the citizens of St. Lucie County urging the Senate to pass House Bill 608, was read.

Mr. Huglett moved that the petition be spread upon the Journal.

Mr. Johnson moved as a substitute that the petition be ordered filed.

Which was agreed to.

And the petition was ordered to be filed.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Carlton—

Senate Bill No. 376:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 277 Gen-

eral Statutes of Florida relating to primary elections in municipalities, and making applicable thereto provisions of law governing the holding of primary elections for the State and counties, and punishments for violations thereof.

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

By Mr. Singletary—

Senate Bill No. 377:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating State Auditing Districts of the State of Florida; providing for the appointment of a State Auditor, Assistant State Auditors and Auditing Clerk and fixing their duties, powers and compensation.

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

By Mr. McLeod—

Senate Bill No. 378:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 5452, Acts of 1905 and Section 3 of Chapter 5661, Acts of 1907, amending Section 3 of Chapter 5452, Acts of 1905, relative to commercial feeding stuffs, requiring dealers to file names with Commissioner of Agriculture annually, also name of manufacturer and brand of feeding stuff handled by him, requiring labels setting out requirements of name, prohibiting mouldy and damaged feeding stuffs, providing for and requiring seizures and sale by sheriffs of deficient feeding stuffs, proviso against sale, penalties and disposition of moneys derived from sales.

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

By Mr. Lowry—

Senate Bill No. 379:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of L. S. Crump for loss of compensation during his suspension from office as County Commissioner of the First District in and for Leon County, Florida.

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

By Mr. Stokes—
Senate Bill No. 380:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to, authorizing and regulating certain suits in chancery against persons if alive, and if dead, against claimants through or under them.

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

By Mr. Butler—
Senate Bill No. 381:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a State school for delinquent negro girls, to provide for its management and maintenance, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

State of Florida,
Executive Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 10, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate,
Senate Chamber.

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 8):

An Act extending the powers and jurisdiction of the City of Tampa by authorizing the said city in the establishment and operation of municipal waterworks, to acquire by the exercise of the right of eminent domain the property of any person, firm or corporation engaged in supplying the City of Tampa with water.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 150):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Umatilla, Lake County, Florida, and to organize a town government for the same, and to provide

its jurisdiction and powers; to erect the same into an independent road district of Lake County.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 254):

An Act pertaining to the qualification of soldiers and sailors as electors in Jacksonville, Florida, and providing for their registration and the registration of those becoming 21 years of age since the last preceding State election.

Also—

(Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16):

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 194):

An Act to authorize the city of Palatka to operate and maintain a public library; to levy a tax for the support thereof; to appoint trustees therefor, and to fix their powers and duties.

Very respectfully,

SIDNEY J. CATTS,
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate,

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 326:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 6695, Laws of Florida, 1913, entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Hastings, St. Johns County, Florida, and to establish, organize and incorporate a town and municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Hastings, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of the same.

With amendment as follows:

In first line of title, after the word "amend," insert the following: "Section thirty-four (34), Article 7, of."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 326, with amendment thereto, contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the Senate do concur in House amendment No. 1, as contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate concurred in the amendment.

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

And the bill 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 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 29:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for proceedings supplementary to an execution.

In Section 5 strike out the words, "three years," and insert in lieu thereof the following, "one year."

At the end of Section 6 add the following: "Provided further, that nothing in this Act shall authorize the seizure of or other interference with any personal property which has passed into the hands of a bona fide purchaser for value and without notice."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 29, with House amendments thereto, contained in the above message, was read.

By unanimous consent the consideration of the same was informally passed over.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 324:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate the acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners in and for Putnam County, Florida, in constituting Special Road and Bridge District No. 4, of Putnam County, Florida, and validating all contracts and agreements for State aid for the construction of permanent roads and bridges therein, and all proceedings of said board in issuing bonds of said district to the amount of \$160,000.00 based on such contracts and agreements.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 297:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any person to have in his custody or possession any unlawful fishing net and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 23:

A bill to be entitled An Act making an appropriation to pay the E. O. Painter Printing Company for extra volumes of Florida Supreme Court Reports reprinted under

contract of said company, with the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 24:

A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriation to pay the E. O. Painter Printing Company for freight paid by said company on certain Supreme Court Reports."

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 324, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 297, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 23, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 24, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

By consent—

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

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 298:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1187, 1188 and 1191 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the Florida Hospital for the Insane.

Have examined the same and find it correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. A. McLEOD,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 298, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

By consent—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 90:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for the support and maintainance of the State Institutions for Higher Education created and required to be maintained by Chapter 5384, of the Laws of Florida, approved June 5th, 1905, now known as the University of Florida, the Florida State College for Women, the Florida School for the Deaf and Blind, and the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes; and for the support and maintenance of summer schools created by Chapter 6498, Laws of Florida, approved June 5th, 1913.

Amendments being as follows:

Amendment No. 1—In Section 1, line 12, after the words "Salaries, Janitors, Printing, Repairs, Addition Instructors, etc.," strike out the figures \$142,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$156,000.00.

Amendment No. 2—In Section 1, line 14, after the words "Current Expenses for Library and Laboratories" strike out the figures \$10,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$15,500.00.

Amendment No. 3—In Section 1, after line 16, insert the following: New Equipment for Laboratories and Libraries, \$20,000.00.

Amendment No. 4—In Section 1, line 19, strike out \$180,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$195,000.00.

Amendment No. 5—In Section 1 after line 26 insert: "Extension to Reynolds Hall Dormitory \$30,000.00."

Amendment No. 6—In Section 1, line 44, strike out \$110,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$120,000.00.

Amendment No. 7—In Section 1, line 50, strike out the words and figures "Completion of Negro Building \$15,-

000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: Building for Primary Pupils \$45,000.00.

Amendment No. 8—In Section 1, line 57, strike out \$6,000.00 and insert in lieu thereof the following: \$8,000.00.

Amendment No. 9—In Section 1, lines 1 and 2, strike out the words and figures "Six Hundred and Seventy-eight Thousand (\$678,000.00) Dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Eight Hundred Four Thousand Five Hundred (\$804,500.00) Dollars."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 90, with House amendments thereto, contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

And House Amendment No. 1, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in said amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And House Amendment No. 2, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And House Amendment No. 3, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And House Amendment No. 4, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And House Amendment No. 5, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And House Amendment No. 6, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And House Amendment No. 7, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And House Amendment No. 8, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And House Amendment No. 9, as contained in the foregoing message, was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 90, as amended by the House of Representatives, as concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And the concurrence of the Senate in the House amendments was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

By consent—

Mr. Butler introduced—

Senate Bill No. 382:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 643 and 644 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida granting certain rights to riparian owners and relating to riparian rights and riparian proprietors.

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

By consent—

Mr. Butler introduced—

Senate Bill No. 383:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant certain rights to riparian owners.

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

By consent—
The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 4:

A bill to be entitled An Act to refund to owners of automobiles with a seating capacity of not more than five persons all license taxes collected by the Comptroller for the year 1918 in excess of \$5.00 for the full year and two dollars and fifty cents for the half year on such automobiles, and making an appropriation for that purpose and other provisions relating thereto.

The amendments are as follows:

1. At end of Section 1, add: "Provided such refund shall be made directly to party entitled thereto and not through any attorney or collection agent or agency."

2. "Or to his or her legal representative."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 4, and amendments thereto, contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

House amendment No. 1 as contained in the foregoing message was read.

Mr. McLeod moved that the Senate do not concur in the House amendment and that the Senate do request the appointment of a committee of conference.

Mr. MacWilliams asked for a division of the motion of Mr. McLeod.

The question was put upon the motion of Mr. McLeod that the Senate do not concur in the said House amendment.

The Senate refused to concur in said amendment.

The question was put upon the motion to appoint a conference committee.

The Senate refused to ask for the appointment of a conference committee.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the House of Representatives be requested to recede from the said amendment to Senate Bill No. 4:

Which was agreed to.

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

House amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill as contained in the foregoing message was read.

Mr. McLeod moved that the Senate do not concur in said House amendment, and that the House of Representatives be requested to recede from said amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate refused to concur in said amendment.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
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. 431:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and incorporate a special taxing district in Brevard and Saint Lucie Counties, Florida, to be known and designated as Sebastian Inlet District; prescribing the boundaries thereof; to provide for the government and administration of said district; to define the powers and purposes thereof; to authorize said board to construct and maintain an inlet in said district to connect the waters of the Atlantic Ocean with the waters of the Indian River; to construct all other work necessary or proper in connection with said inlet; to provide for the acquiring and condemnation of any property needed for district purposes; to empower the Board of Commissioners of said district to levy and collect taxes for district purposes; to authorize

said board to borrow money and issue and sell bonds to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to provide for the election of said commissioners and an election to determine whether bonds of the district shall be issued; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and prescribing penalties therefor; and generally to provide for the construction and maintenance of an inlet in said district to connect the waters of the Atlantic Ocean with the waters of the Indian River.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 431, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
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. 685:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Palatka to spend money for cemetery purposes, band purposes and publicity purposes.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 685, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 685 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 685 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 685 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 685 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Crawford, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Wilson—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following messages from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
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. 687:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal corporation of the Town of Hilliard, Nassau County, Florida, incorporated under the provisions of Chapter 6355, Acts of 1911.

Also—

House Bill No. 684:

A bill to me entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, to issue certain interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, repair and maintain public roads in any County Commissioner's District of said county, and providing for the levy of a special tax against the real and personal property in the County

Commissioner's District in which the funds derived from the sale of such warrants shall have been expended or authorized to be expended.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 687, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 684, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
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. 599:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the qualifications of electors in all municipal elections to be held in and for the City of St. Petersburg, Pinellas County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 600:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the qualifications of electors in all municipal elections to be held in and for the Town of Dunedin, Pinellas County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 513:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Dade County, Florida, to make an appropriation, or to issue certificates of indebtedness, not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars, to aid in the expenses of erecting a suitable memorial to the citizens of Dade

County, Florida, who enlisted in the Army or Navy of the United States during the war with Germany.

Also—

House Bill No. 512:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Miami, Florida, to make an appropriation, or to issue certificates of indebtedness, not to exceed five thousand dollars, to aid in the expenses of erecting a suitable memorial to the citizens of the City of Miami, Florida, who enlisted in the army or navy of the United States during the war with Germany.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 599, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 600, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 513, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 512, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
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. 25:

A resolution providing for a committee to recommend a law to the Legislature of 1921 providing for the handling and sale of seed.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 25, contained in the above message, was read the first time and laid over under the rules.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 15, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
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 Concurrent Resolution No. 12:

A resolution urging the purchase of Victory Bonds.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
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. 350:

A bill to be entitled An Act to enlarge the power of the Town of Jennings, insofar as to authorize said Town of Jennings to proceed by suit in Chancery to foreclose

and enforce liens for delinquent Town Taxes for the years of 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918, due and past due for said years to the said town of Jennings or taxes evidenced by tax sale certificates held by said Town of Jennings for amount therein, respectively, involved, with accrued interest thereon.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 350, 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 16, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,
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. 242:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to dogs, and the protection of live stock and poultry from damage by dogs; providing for the licensing of dogs; regulating the keeping of dogs, and authorizing their destruction in certain cases; providing for the protection of licensed dogs, and for dogs temporarily imported for trial, show and breeding purposes; prescribing certain privileges for hunting dogs, and dogs owned or used by the State and the several counties and municipalities of the State in the apprehension of criminals; providing for the assessment of damages done by dogs, and payment thereof by the proper county to the owners of live stock and poultry, and of damages to licensed dogs; imposing powers and duties on certain State, county, city and town officers and employees, and providing penalties.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 242, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

Mr. Hulley moved to waive the rules, and that Senate Bill No. 354 be made a special order for 12:00 o'clock M. today.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Stokes moved to waive the rules and that Senate Bill No. 354 be made a special order for 3:30 o'clock p. m. today.

Which was agreed to.

And it was so ordered.

ORDERS OF THE DAY.

House Bill No. 415:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 7430 of the Special Acts adopted by the Legislature of Florida, at its 16th regular session entitled, "An Act creating Napoleon B. Broward Drainage District; defining its boundaries, prescribing its powers, privileges, duties and liabilities, naming the members of the first Board of Supervisors, designating the officers and agents of said district, providing for the levying of taxes upon the property in said district, and the collection of the same, and the sale of lands to enforce said collection of such taxes, authorizing the Board of Supervisors of said district to borrow money and to issue bonds and dispose of same, to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act, giving to said district full power to acquire such lands and property as may be necessary and proper for its purposes, and to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and to provide a penalty for violating such provision," approved May 26, 1917, and to increase the powers of said district as to road construction and maintenance and to provide for the obligations of cities, counties and other political sub-divisions in connection with the works of said district, and the manner of payment thereof, and for other incidental purposes.

(Which was pending at adjournment hour yesterday having been read for the third time.)

Was taken up for its passage.

Mr. Singletary moved to waive the rules and that

House Bill No. 415 be placed back on its second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And House Bill No. 415 was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

The hour having arrived for the special consideration of—

Senate Bill No. 218.

A bill to be entitled An Act conferring powers on the State Board of Control to enlarge the extension divisions of the University of Florida, State College for Women, and the Agricultural and Mechanical College for Negroes; and making appropriation therefor.

The bill was taken up and read the second time in full.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 218 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. 218 was read a third time in full.

Pending consideration of Senate Bill No. 218—

Mr. Turnbull moved that the hour of recess be extended to 1:40 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Oliver, Roland, Russell, Stokes, Turnbull, Wilson—21.

Nays—Senators Baker, Bradshaw, Johnson, MacWilliams, McLeod, Plympton, Singletary, Turner—8.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

The following announcement of being paired with Mr. Oliver on the vote was announced by Mr. Baker: Were Senator Oliver present and voting he (Mr. Oliver) would vote yea and were I voting I would vote nay.

The extended hour of recess having arrived, the Senate took recess to 3:00 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION—3:00 P. M.

The Senate reconvened at 3:00 o'clock p. m., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators, Anderson, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, McWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Singletary, Stokes, Turner—26.

A quorum present.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that when the Senate adjourns today it shall adjourn to meet at 10:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow for the consideration of local bills only, and that when the morning session adjourns tomorrow the Senate shall adjourn to meet at 10:30 o'clock a. m. Monday, May 19.

Which was agreed to.

And it was so ordered.

By consent—

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

*Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

House Bill No. 503:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the compensation to be paid jurors in the County Judge's Court of Wakulla County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 503, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

By Consent—

Mr. Lowry, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriation, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 16, 1919.

*Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Committee on Appropriation, to whom was referred—

Committee Substitute for House Bills Nos. 3 and 4:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections one (1), two (2), four (4), six (6), eleven (11), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20) and twenty-three (23), of Chapter 7345 of the Laws of Florida, approved June ninth (9th), Nineteen Hundred and Seventeen (1917), entitled: "An Act to create the State Live Stock Sanitary Board and to prescribe its membership, powers and duties, fix the compensation for the services of its members and to vest in said board the authority to provide for the prevention, suppression and control of dangerous, communicable, contagious, infectious and other diseases of cattle, hogs and other domestic animals, and to establish, maintain and enforce quarantine, to prevent the introduction or spread of infectious, contagious and communicable diseases among such animals, and to adopt and enforce rules and regulations, regarding any and all said matters, and to give said board power and authority in respect thereto, and to authorize County Commissioners to appropriate and expend funds for the work of tick eradication and hog cholera control, and to provide for the appointment of a State Veterinarian and other agents and employees of said board, and to fix the powers thereof, and to prescribe punishment for violations of this Act and of the rules and regulations of said board, and to make the necessary appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this Act."

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

Very respectfully,

D. M. LOWRY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Committee Substitute for House Bills Nos. 3 and 4, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Cash moved that Senate Bill No. 71 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 71:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for and regulate primary elections in this State, and to impose penalties for the violations thereof.

Was taken up and read a third time in full.

Pending roll call upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 71—

The hour for the special consideration of Senate Bill No. 354 arrived.

Mr. MacWilliams moved to waive the rules and that the hour for the special consideration of Senate Bill No. 354 be set up to 4:00 o'clock p. m. today.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The Senate recurred to the consideration of Senate Bill No. 71.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, King, Mathis, Plympton, Roland, Turnbull, Turner—16.

Nays—Senators Andrews, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Wilson—13.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

The hour of 4:00 o'clock p. m. set for the special consideration of Senate Bill No. 354, having arrived—

Senate Bill No. 354:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the liability of an employer to make compensation for injuries received by an employee in performing services arising out of and incidental to his employment in the course of his employer's trade, business or occupation in certain trades, business and occupations, abolishing in certain cases the defenses of assumption of risk, contributory negligence

and negligence of a fellow servant in actions for personal injury and death, establishing a schedule of compensation, regulating procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder and providing for methods for payments of compensation thereunder.

Was taken up.

Mr. Johnson moved that Senate Bill No. 354 be read by Sections for the purpose of amendment by Sections as read.

Which was agreed to.

And said bill was read by Sections.

Section One was read—

Mr. Johnson offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 354:

In Section 1, strike out lines 3 to 24, inclusive.

Mr. Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 354:

In Section 1, line 35, strike out the words "syrup mills" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "syrup mixers or refiners."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Section 2 was read.

Mr. Hulley offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 354:

In Section 2, line 6, strike out the parenthetical mark before the word "Railway" and the parenthetical mark after the word "railroads."

Mr. Hulley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Section 3 was read.

Section 4 was read.

Section 5 was read.

Section 6 was read.

Section 7 was read.

Section 8 was read.

Section 9 was read.

Section 10 was read.

Section 11 was read.

Section 12 was read.

Section 13 was read.

Section 14 was read.

Section 15 was read.
 Section 16 was read.
 Section 17 was read.
 Section 18 was read.
 Section 19 was read.
 Section 20 was read.
 Section 21 was read.
 Section 22 was read.
 Section 23 was read.

Mr. Hulley offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 354:

In Section 23, line 1, strike out from the word "every" down to and including the word "except" in line two of the section, and insert in lieu thereof the following: Every employer who accepts the provisions of this Act in relation to the payment of compensation except the State, any incorporated village of city, or other political subdivision thereof or incorporated public board or commission in this State authorized by law to hold property, under any contract of hire, express or implied, oral or written.

Mr. Hulley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Section 24 was read.
 Section 25 was read.
 Section 26 was read.
 Section 27 was read.
 Section 28 was read.
 Section 29 was read.
 Section 30 was read.
 Section 31 was read.
 Section 32 was read.
 Section 33 was read.
 Section 34 was read.
 Section 35 was read.
 Section 36 was read.
 Section 37 was read.
 Section 38 was read.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, pending the reading of Section No. 39 of Senate Bill No. 354—

The Senate adjourned to 10:30 o'clock a. m. Saturday, May 16, 1919.

Saturday, May 17, 1919

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—22.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 16 was corrected and approved as corrected.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

Senate Chamber,
 Tallahassee, Fla., May 16th, 1919.
Hon. James E. Calkins,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 193-242:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing an annual franchise tax for domestic and foreign corporations and also providing for the forfeiture of the charters of domestic corporations and the cancellation of permits granted to foreign corporations to do business in this State for failure to comply with the terms of this Act.

Have examined the same and find it correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. A. McLEOD,
 Chairman of Committee.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill Nos. 193-