

House Bill No. 371 was taken up, and Mr. Wilson moved that same be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

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

Mr. Hulley moved to waive the rules and recall House Bill No. 420 from the Committee on Engrossed Bills for amendment.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 420:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a reservation for the protection and propagation of and to regulate the means and methods of capturing fish in the waters of New Smyrna Inlet, Indian River, North Halifax River, Spruce, Tomoka, Bulow and Smith Creeks and the bays and tributary waters thereof, lying and being in the County of Volusia, State of Florida; to prohibit the use of certain nets and appliances and to provide for the seizure and summary destruction of such nets and appliances; to provide for the payment of a portion of the fines imposed for the violation of the provisions of said Act to the Sheriff of said county; to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of said Act.

Was taken up.

Mr. Hulley moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 420 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. 420 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, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—28.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was referred to Committee on Engrossed Bills for engrossing of amendments.

House Bill No. 386:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Escambia County, State of Florida, to

make appropriation from any fund available, or to issue certificates of indebtedness against Escambia County for the necessary funds to aid in the expense of dipping cattle in said county for the years 1918-1919.

Was taken up.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 386 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 386 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 386 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. 386 was read a third time in full.

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

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

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. 343 was taken from the Local Calendar and referred to the Committee on County Organization.

Mr. Eaton moved to waive the rules and recall House Bill No. 500 from the Committee on Engrossed Bills for further consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 500:

A bill to be entitled An Act limiting the amount of tonnage by motor vehicle and restricting the use of trailers, and log, timber, turpentine or other carts, wagons or vehicles and well machines over certain roads in Polk County, Florida, and regulating the speed of and the use of wagons, carts, machines, automobiles or other vehicles over the roads of said county.

Was taken up.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 500 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. 500 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, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—25.

Noys—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

House Bill No. 523:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of An Act of the Legislature of the State of Florida, approved April 21, 1919, entitled "An Act providing for the protection of the public roads of Orange County and prescribing the manner and mode of use of said public roads by motor trucks and trailers and other vehicles, and regulating the operation of such vehicles on said public roads and providing that violation thereof shall be deemed a misdemeanor.

Was taken up.

Mr. Crawford moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 523 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Mr. Crawford moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 523 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. 523 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Ma-

lone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—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. 546:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize Special Tax School Districts in the County of Orange and State of Florida to borrow money for the exclusive use of public free schools within such districts; providing the procedure therefor and for the levy, assessment and collection of a tax to pay the interest on and principal of money so borrowed.

Was taken up.

Mr. Crawford moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 546 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 546 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Crawford moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 546 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. 546 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, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner—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. 610:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida, to organize and constitute a special road and bridge district; to authorize such district to assume and pay off the outstanding indebtedness of all other special road and bridge

districts included within its boundaries; providing for the appointment of banks as bond trustees for such district; and repealing all conflicting laws and parts of laws.

Was taken up.

Mr. King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 610 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 610 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. King moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 610 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. 610 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, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—23.

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. 611 and 612 were taken up and consideration of same was informally passed over.

House Bill No. 623:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize Leon County to borrow money to pay the expense of its work for the tick eradication, and to issue interest bearing warrants for such loans.

Was taken up.

Mr. Lowry moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 623 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 623 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Lowry moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 623 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. 623 was read a third time in full.

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

Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Singletary, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Carlton called up—

House Bill No. 612:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending the charter of the City of Tampa and otherwise affecting its government, jurisdiction and powers.

Was taken up.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 612 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 612 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 612 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. 612 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, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Wilson moved that Senate Bill No. 368 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 368:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate depositories for county and district bond funds, and to abolish the office of Bond Trustee in the Counties of Manatee and DeSoto.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 368 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 368 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 368 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. 368 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, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Butler moved that Senate Bill No. 365 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 365:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the making of certain contracts by the Board of County Commissioners in counties having a population of more than ninety thousand.

Was taken up.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 365 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 365 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and

that Senate Bill No. 365 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. 365 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, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 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—

House Bill No. 568:

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.

Also—

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 having any salt water crawfish in possession by any person, firm or corporation during said periods, and to prevent the transportation of the

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

Also—

House Bill No. 311:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners in counties having a population of forty (40) thousand and up to fifty (50) thousand persons.

Also—

House Bill No. 574:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the method and manner of opening, establishing, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in the County of Calhoun, State of Florida, and providing punishment for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 577:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of An Act entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of the County of Okeechobee to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of grading, hard surfacing, repairing or improving the roads, and erecting, building, or repairing bridges in the County of Okeechobee, Florida, approved by the Governor April 29, 1919, and known as House Bill No. 100.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 568, 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. 568 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 568 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Johnson moved to waive the rules and place House Bill No. 568 back on its second reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was read the second time in full.

House Bill No. 568 was placed on the Calendar of General Bills on Third Reading.

And House Bill No. 155, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Fisheries.

And House Bill No. 311, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference.

And House Bill No. 574, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on House Local Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 577, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 577 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 577 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Huglett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No 577 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. 577 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, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, 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 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—

House Bill No. 581:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating and incorporating a Special Taxing District in Palm Beach County, Florida, to be known as "Palm Beach Bridge District;" prescribing and defining the powers and purposes of said district; authorizing the County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to acquire or construct and maintain a bridge across Lake Worth in said district, for and on account of said district, and to acquire suitable sites for the ends and abutments of, and approaches to, said bridge, including a right-of-way for a public highway connecting the said bridge with other public highways in the district; providing for the issuance of bonds of said district, and for the levy and collection of taxes for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds, and providing for the levy and collection of additional taxes for repair and maintenance of the said bridge and highway; and providing generally for the powers and duties to be exercised and performed by the said district and for and on its behalf.

Also—

House Bill No. 583:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the issue of bonds of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida, to fulfil the municipal guaranty of certain certificates of indebtedness issued or about to be issued against property assessed for improvements and providing for the details of their issue and the manner of their payment and validating the guaranty in such certificates now outstanding and providing for the ratification of same.

Also—

House Bill No. 399:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the release of H. J. Brett, C. D. Meigs, L. E. Bowers, and others, sureties upon the bond of J. A. Stewart, a contractor who contracted for and undertook the construction of a bridge in Okaloosa County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 593:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the road fund and other funds of Sub-road District No. 7 of Alachua County, Florida, and touching the duties of the Road Trustees for said district.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 581, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 581 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 581 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 581 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. 581 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, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner—28.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 583, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 583 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 583 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 583 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. 583 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw,

Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—27.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 399, 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. 593, 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 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—

House Bill No. 578:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, to adopt a Commission form of Government, providing for the holding of an election of Commissioners after the adoption of such Commission form of Government; prescribing the powers and duties of the Commissioners; providing the time when such Commission Government shall become effective, and providing for the election of a Chief of Police.

Also—

House Bill No. 579:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to fishing in the waters of Lake Worth and its inlets in Palm Beach County, Florida, and to provide a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act, and to provide what shall be prima facie evidence of a violation of the provisions of

this Act, and to prohibit the use of certain devices in fishing in said waters, and to repeal other laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 580:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, to maintain the canal known as the "Stub Canal," which extends from the City of West Palm Beach to the West Palm Beach State Drainage Canal; to extend the police power of the City of West Palm Beach over the said "Stub Canal" and over all territory within one-half mile of said "Stub Canal," and to authorize said City of West Palm Beach to construct, maintain and operate a telephone line from the City of West Palm Beach to Lake Okechobee in said county.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 578, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 578 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 578 as read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 578 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. 578 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, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Wilson—26.

Noys—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 579, 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. 580, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 580 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 580 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 580 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. 580 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—25.

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 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—

House Bill No. 621:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 35 of Chapter 7239 of the Laws of Florida, being An Act to establish, organize and constitute a municipality in Pasco County, Florida, to be known and designated as the Town

of San Antonio, and to define its territorial boundary, provide for its jurisdiction, powers, privileges, and to abolish the present municipality of San Antonio.

Also—

House Bill No. 626:

A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing the office of Marshall and Tax Collector and Clerk, and providing for the creation of the office of Clerk and Tax Collector and the office of Chief of Police of the City of Kissimmee, and providing for their duties and powers.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 625 and 626, contained in the above message, were read the first time by their titles 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 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—

House Bill No. 655:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that the roads to be constructed in the Shell Bluff Special Road and Bridge District in Flagler County, Florida, with the proceeds of the sale of Ninety-nine Thousand Five Hundred (\$99,500.00) Dollars of bonds of said District, may be paved a width of nine (9) feet.

Also—

House Bill No. 607:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate an election held in County of Okeechobee, State of Florida, on the 3rd day of May, A. D. 1919, to determine whether or not the County of Okeechobee shall issue road bonds in the amount of \$300,000, as proposed by a resolution of

the said Board of County Commissioners, should be issued for the purpose of constructing paved, macadamized or other hard-surfaced highways within said county as therein provided; to declare and render valid the said election and the results as shown by the returns thereof; to cure all irregularities, illegalities, defects or omissions in all proceedings prior to the delivery of said bonds; to legalize and validate the advertisement of said bonds for sale, and all proceedings had in reference to same, and to authorize the issue of said bonds, drawing interest at 6% per annum, payable semi-annually, and the sale of the same.

Also—

House Bill No. 563:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and establish a Juvenile Court in and for Hillsborough County, Florida; to provide for a judge of said court and to define his powers and duties; to provide for the expense of said the appointment of probation and assistant probation of court and compensation of said judge, and to provide for officers and a clerk of the Juvenile Court,

Also—

House Bill No. 566:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes for the Town of Lake Maitland.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 655, 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.

And House Bill No. 607, contained in the above message, as read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be waived and 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 only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 607 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. 607 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, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Stokes, Turnbull, Wilson—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 563, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 563, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 563 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 563 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. 563, 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, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Stokes, Turnbull, Wilson—23.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 566, 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 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—

House Bill No. 479:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring firms or corporations running or operating log, timber or turpentine cart or carts, wagon or wagons, traction engine, motor truck or trailers on or over any public roads in the County of Broward and persons habitually hauling heavy loads of any kind on or over such roads, to keep that portion of the road used by them in repair; providing a penalty for failure to do so; providing for civil action to recover damages, including attorney's fee, by the County Commissioners in a civil action, and providing for the issuing of temporary and permanent injunctions and other orders by the Circuit Court to prevent damage to public roads.

Also—

House Bill No. 614:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing pensions for employes of the City of Jacksonville.

Also—

House Bill No. 620:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 37, of Chapter 7722, of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1917, approved May 1st, 1917, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legislate and validate the ordinances of said City of West Palm Beach and official acts thereunder; and to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers;" relating to the right of suffrage and the qualification of electors of the City of West Palm Beach, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 656:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and requiring

the City Commission of the City of Jacksonville, Florida, to build, equip, operate, and maintain, from the profits of the electric light and water plants, owned by the City of Jacksonville, Fla., a line or lines of tracks, spurs, cars, and necessary appurtenances, including power houses, poles and wires, for the operation of a line of electric interurban cars, beginning on the Broad Street Viaduct at a point where the bridge to South Jacksonville, over St. Johns River, connects with said Broad Street Viaduct, thence over said bridge to and through South Jacksonville, Fla., thence to Pablo Beach, Atlantic Beach, and other points and beaches at or near the Atlantic Ocean, and providing for the issuance of bonds for said purpose.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 479, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be waived and 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 only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 479 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. 479 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, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 614, contained in the above mes-

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

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 620 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 620 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 620 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. 620 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, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 656, 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 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:

House Bill No. 654:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining what are improved highways in the County of Volusia and State of Florida; making regulations for the protection of said highways;

prescribing the weight of vehicles that may be used and the speed at which they may be operated on said highways; and fixing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 543:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the appointment of Bond Trustees for the City of Orlando, and prescribing their duties and powers.

Also—

House Bill No. 267:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the care, maintenance, and control of State convicts, and providing for the carrying out of the provisions of this Act and making an appropriation therefor.

Also—

House Bill No. 591:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the County of Lake, State of Florida, on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1918, to determine whether compulsory systematic tick eradication work and the compulsory dipping of cattle should be conducted in said county.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 654 and 543, contained in the above message, were read the first time by their titles and placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 267, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Prisoners and Convicts.

And House Bill No. 591, 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 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—

House Bill No. 514:

A bill to be entitled An Act to confer additional powers on the City of Miami and granting certain lands and lands under water to said city for certain purposes.

Also—

House Bill No. 519:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to issue warrants for the purpose of paying one-third of the expense and costs of paying the streets of City of Quincy, around the square in said City of Quincy, upon which the court house of said County of Gadsden is situated, said court house square belonging to said County of Gadsden.

Also—

House Bill No. 539:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the open and closed season for hunting, trapping or killing game and game birds in Leon County, Florida, and providing penalty therefor.

Also—

House Bill No. 541:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to back taxes, tax liens and tax sale certificates issued by and sold to the City of Palmetto, Manatee County, Florida, providing for the payment, cancellation and surrender thereof and fixing the interest to be collected thereon in lieu of existing interest, and providing for the bringing of suits by the City of Palmetto to enforce payment of outstanding tax certificates issued by said city.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 514, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 514 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

And House Bill No. 514 was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

And House Bill No. 519, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 519 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 519 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 519 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. 519 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, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 539, 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. 541, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 541 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 541 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 541 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. 541 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Baker, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—23.

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 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—

House Bill No. 596:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the call for election and the election held in pursuance of such call in the Bradentown and Wilhelmsen Special Tax School Districts of Manatee County, Florida, on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1917, determining that the property embraced in said districts be constituted one special tax school district, who should be trustees for said district and the number of mills of district tax to be levied and collected annually for the two succeeding years.

Also—

House Bill No. 603:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction for Monroe County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of securing money wherewith to purchase sites for and to repair, construct, equip and furnish buildings, struc-

tures and grounds for school uses in said county, and to provide for the validation of said warrants.

Also—

House Bill No. 397:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Okaloosa County, Florida, to have opened and maintained drains, and drainage ditches through public or private lands, beyond the right of way of the public roads in said county, and to provide the manner of paying damages therefor to the owner of such lands.

Also—

House Bill No. 398:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare all roads in Okaloosa County, Florida, to be public roads, upon receipt by the Board of County Commissioners of the report of the viewing committee appointed to lay out such road, and to fix the compensation of viewing committees for viewing and laying out proposed public roads in said county; and to amend Section 2, Chapter 7570, Laws of 1917.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 596, 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. 603, 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. 397, 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. 398, 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. 398, 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 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—

House Bill No. 508:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the road funds and other funds of Sub-road District No. 3 of Alachua County, Florida, and touching the duties of the road trustees for said district.

Also—

House Bill No. 653:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 33 and 35 of Chapter 6798, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Winter Garden, in the County of Orange and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Winter Garden, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its judicial powers and privileges," approved May 31st, A. D. 1913, and to provide for fixing and levying an annual tax in the Town of Winter Garden for municipal purposes.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 508 and 653, contained in the above message, were read the first time by their titles and placed on the Calendar of House Local Bills on Second Reading.

By Consent—

Mr. Wilson introduced—

Senate Bill No. 370:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 1, 36 and 51 of Chapter 7673 (No. 415) Laws of Florida, enacted 1917, being the Charter of the Town of Moore Haven, DeSoto County, Florida; also granting additional powers and privileges to said municipality.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 376 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 370 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 370 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. 370 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, Baker, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, 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.

Mr. Baker was excused from attendance on the body for the balance of the afternoon.

Also—

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—

Senate Bill No. 277:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of New Smyrna to issue certain interest bearing time warrants or city script for the purpose of raising funds with which to improve the canal on Canal Street, within said city, and providing the rate of interest which said warrants or script shall bear, how and

when the same shall be made payable, and the period for which the same shall run, and providing for the payment thereof, and the raising of funds for such payment, and authorizing the assessment of a portion of the cost of such improvements against abutting property and for the enforcement of collection of such assessments.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 268:

A bill to be entitled An Act to enlarge the powers of Monroe County, Florida, relative to issuing bonds for the building, construction and operation of a fresh water trunk pipe line for the purpose of supplying fresh water to settlers, cities and towns within said county and to make rules and regulations relative to the distribution of said fresh water at its trunk pipe line and for other purposes incident thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 277, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 268, 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 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—

Senate Bill No. 283:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3, of Chapter 7415, Laws of Florida, A. D. 1917, entitled: "An Act relating to the road fund and other funds of Sub-road district No. 2, of Alachua County, Florida, and touching the duties of the Road Trustees for said district," approved May 30th, 1917.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 285:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the election held in and by the Town of Florence Villa on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1918, to determine whether or not said town should issue bonds in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars for the purpose of improving the roads, streets and alleys in said town, and to legalize and validate the proceedings of the town council with reference to the issuance of said bonds, both preceding and following said election; and ratifying, conforming and validating said bonds.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 312:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm all proceedings for establishing Sugar Bowl Drainage District in Manatee County, Florida, and to validate bonds and to confirm and validate all assessments made in Sugar Bowl Drainage District for raising funds to carry out "The Plan of Reclamation."

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 283, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 285, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 312, 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 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—

Senate Bill No. 140:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and incorporate the Winter Haven Lake Region Boat Course District, in

Polk County, Florida, as and into a special taxing district by the said name, to fix its territorial lines and boundaries, prescribing its powers, privileges, duties and liabilities, and to provide for the government and administration of said district, define the powers of the Board of Commissioners thereof, naming the first Board of Commissioners of said district, and to authorize said district to acquire, own, hold and control rights-of-way for, and to acquire, construct, own maintain, operate and control canals and locks to connect the lakes within and adjacent to said district, and all other works necessary or proper in connection therewith or for the protection thereof, providing for the levying of taxes upon the property in said district, and the collection of the same, and authorizing said district to borrow money and to issue bonds and dispose of same, to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act and provide the necessary funds for the purposes of said district, giving to such district full power to acquire such lands and property as may be necessary and proper for its purposes; and to protect and prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and to provide a penalty for the violation of such provisions.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 174:

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

Also—

Senate Bill No. 292:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to refund certain taxes that were illegally collected, to provide for payment of interest and sinking fund on unsold St. Johns River Bridge Bonds.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 299:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, to

reimburse T. J. Busey, R. L. Bratcher, W. A. Jones, F. J. Jones and Myron E. Baggett, for the loss of certain cattle.
Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 140, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 174, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 292, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 299, 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 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—

Senate Bill No. 300:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the recording of marks and brands of stock butchered and offered for sale in Manatee County and DeSoto County, and providing that a failure to do so shall be deemed a misdemeanor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 302:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate all contracts heretofore made by the Town of Winter Haven, Florida, for, as well as ordinances, resolutions and acts relating to paving the streets of said town; and also constructing sewers in said town; curing all irregularities in all proceedings relating to said work, and declaring all assessments made and the certificates of indebtedness therefor against the abutting property to pay the cost of such work, or any part thereof, valid and binding liens.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 303:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the catching of food fish in Lake Pythias, located in Township 33 South, Range 28 East, in DeSoto County, Florida, other than with hook and line, and to prohibit the selling of any fish caught with hook and line, and to prohibit the shipment of same.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 117:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the election held in Eustis Special Tax District No. 10 of Lake County, Florida, on the 15th day of March, 1919, and to legalize and validate the issue of Special Tax School District bonds voted at said election, and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, to levy and assess a special tax upon the property of said district for the payment of principal and interest of such bonds voted in such district; and to validate the establishment of said district.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 151:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define the riparian rights in relation to lands in Lake Eustis and to declare the rights of owners of riparian lands in Lake Eustis within the incorporate limits of the Town of Eustis, Florida, said land possessed of riparian rights.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 300, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 302, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 303, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 117, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 151, 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 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—

Senate Bill No. 286:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 27 of Chapter 7128 of the Laws of Florida of 1915, entitled: An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Apalachicola, County of Franklin, and State of Florida, and to organize and establish a commission form of government for the same; to prescribe its jurisdiction and power and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 221:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish the municipality of Key West; provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; and repealing Chapter 5812, Laws of 1907, and amendatory Acts thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 224:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize the assessments and levies of taxes for the years 1916, 1917 and 1918 by the Town of Archer.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 245:

A bill to be entitled An Act vesting in the City of Ocala the title to lands within the corporate limits of the said city which have been sold for municipal taxes and have not been redeemed within the time required by law; giving the City of Ocala the right to redeem unpaid State and county taxes on such property; giving the City of Ocala or the holder of a city tax deed the right to maintain ejectment against the former owner or tenant to recover possession of such property; providing for the entry of judgment in such suits and the dismissal thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 269:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the trustees of Sub-road District No. 2 of Alachua County, Flor-

ida, commonly known as the Newberry Sub-road District, and the trustees of Sub-road District No. 9 of Alachua County, Florida, known as the Trenton Sub-road District, to issue bonds for the purpose of building certain roads within said sub-road districts.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 286, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 221, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 224, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 245, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 269, 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 14, 1919.

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

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 229:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating the issue of bonds by Special Tax School District No. 9 in Jackson County, in the sum of \$5,000.00, authorized by the special election held in said district on May 9, 1916, and to provide for the issuance and sale of same for the use and benefit of the Board of Public Instruction of said county.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 266:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the killing or capturing of any fish in the fresh water lakes, ponds, rivers and streams of Jefferson County, Florida, by means of shooting said fish, and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 258:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, confirm and validate the establishment of a Special Tax Road and Bridge District, in Levy County, Florida, Number 7, and known as the Cedar Key Sub-road District, established by an election held by the free-holders of said district on July 13th, 1918; to validate tax levies to meet the obligation of certain time warrants authorized at said election and to further establish and confirm said district and to authorize the construction of hard-surfaced roads in said district.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 229, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 266, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 258, 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 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 adopted—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 23:

A Concurrent Resolution asking for the repeal of the "Daylight Savings Act."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 23, contained in the above message, was read the first time and was laid over under the rule.

Also—

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—

Senate Bill No. 333:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, ratify, approve and confirm certain conveyances of land heretofore made by the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 355:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to fire protection in the Everglades Drainage District of Florida, to punish violations thereof and to define the powers of the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District relating thereto.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 333, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 355, 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 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—

Committee Substitute for—
Senate Bill No. 116:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section Fourteen of Chapter 6878, Laws of 1915, entitled "An Act to appoint Naval Stores Inspectors, to prescribe their duties and fix their compensation; to prevent and prohibit adulteration of spirits of turpentine and naval stores, and to provide for the appointment and duties and compensation of Supervising Inspector of Naval Stores, and to prescribe forfeitures and penalties for violating, and methods for the enforcement of the provisions of this Act."

Also has adopted—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17:

Be It Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That this Legislature adjourn *sine die* June 6th at 12:00 o'clock noon.

Also—

Has indefinitely postponed—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11:

A Concurrent Resolution requesting the United Railroad Administration to include in the materials, to be granted reduced transportation charges for road and street construction paving brick, cement, asphalt, and tar products.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 116, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17, contained in the above message, was read and ordered to be filed.

And Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11, contained in the above message, was read and ordered to be filed.

Also—

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 in-

form the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendment—

Senate Bill No. No. 282:

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

The amendment is as follows:

Add, after Section 14, the following:

Sec. 15. In addition to the powers heretofore given to the Board of Managers of the Town of Ormond by Section 12 of this Act, said Board of Managers are hereby authorized and empowered, by ordinance, to regulate, limit or forbid motor or other vehicular travel over any street, lane, trail, neighborhood road or other highway which shall be wholly or in part less than twenty-one feet in width, within the limits of the Town of Ormond, or over any such street, lane, trail, neighborhood road or other highway which may have been mapped out unused by the public for the ten years next past to the passage of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 282, contained in the above message, together with the House amendment thereto, was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hulley moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment as contained in the foregoing message.

Which was agreed to.

And the bill was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 13, 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, at the request of the Senate, herewith returns—

House Bill No. 19:

A bill to be entitled An Act 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.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Mr Turnbull moved to waive the rules, and that the Senate do reconsider the vote by which it passed House Bill No. 19.

Which motion went over until tomorrow under the rule.

Also—

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 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 22, 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."

Following is the amendment:

After the title and before Section One, insert the following: "Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 235, and the House amendment thereto, contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Wilson moved that the Senate do concur in the amendment as contained in the foregoing message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 245 as amended was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

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—

Senate Bill No. 191:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church of Key West, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 275:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 7105, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, as amended by Chapter 7583, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1917, the same being An Act to provide for the method and means of opening, establishing, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Santa Rosa County, Florida, and to provide a road and bridge fund for the said county, and for collection and assessment of the same.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 191, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 275, 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 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 indefinitely postponed—

Senate Bill No. 216:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of the improved highways of Volusia County, to regulate the use of said highways, to place the use of said highways under the control of the Board of County Commissioners, to prescribe the weight, length, width and speed of vehicles which may use said highways, and to prescribe penalties for the violation thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 287:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Escambia County, State of Florida, to make appropriation from any fund available, or to issue certificates of indebtedness against Escambia County for the necessary funds to aid in the expense of dipping cattle in said county for the years 1918-1919.

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 14, 1919.

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

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to in-

form the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed, with amendments—

Senate Bill No. 81:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 6073 of the Laws of Florida, the same being An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Mayport, in Duval County, Florida; to legalize the ordinances of said town and official acts thereunder; to create and establish the municipality of the City of Mayport, in Duval County, Florida, and to provide its jurisdiction

The amendments are as follows:

In Section 2, line 1, strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3."

In Section 3, line 1, strike out the figure "3" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "4."

Insert after Section 1 the following:

Sec. 2. That all property and assets of said city belonging to it shall be subject to legal process for the payment of any debt owing by said city; and if it shall be necessary, in order to pay any debt, to levy any tax or taxes on the property in the territory or limits of said city, the same shall be assessed and levied by order of the County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, and shall be assessed by the County Assessor of Taxes and be collected by the County Tax Collector, and disbursed by him to the proper parties upon order of the Board of County Commissioners. The proceedings in the assessment, collection, receipt and disbursement of said taxes shall be like the proceedings concerning county taxes as far as applicable. The process in any suit brought upon any account due or owing by said city may be served upon the person who was Mayor or upon any person who was a member of the City Council at the time this Act became a law, and said suit may be proceeded with and judgment secured and entered up in the same manner against said city as if this Act had not become effective. Provided, however, that any suits brought under the provisions of this section must be brought within one year from the time this Act becomes a law.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
J. G. KELLUM,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 81, together with the House amendments thereto, contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 as contained in the foregoing message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Butler moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 as contained in the foregoing message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 81 as amended was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 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. 48:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the assistance of poor mothers or other poor women having children dependent upon them for support and care, under the age of sixteen years, and to provide the necessary means of carrying the law into effect.

Amendment No. 1. In Section 3, lines 3 and 4, of paragraph four of conditions, strike out "one year in State" and "six months in county," and insert in lieu thereof, "four years in State" and "one year in county."

Amendment No. 2. In Section 3, line 3, of paragraph 1, strike out " $\frac{1}{4}$ of one mill" and insert in lieu thereof " $\frac{1}{2}$ of one mill."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,
J. G. KELLUM,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 48, together with the House amendments thereto, contained in the above message.

By consent was laid over until tomorrow.

Also—

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—

Senate Bill No. 246:

A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section Nine of Chapter 7676 of the Laws of Florida, Being An Act entitled 'An Act reducing the membership of the City Council of the City of Ocala to five members; providing for their election and recall by the voters of said city at large; providing for the city manager plan of government of said city; further abolishing the present Board of Bond Trustees for said city, and providing for a new board to be known as the sinking fund commission of the City of Ocala, and prescribing the membership of said board, their election, powers and duties; to provide for the issuance of bonds and negotiable securities by said city; defining the corporate limits of said city; providing for the office and election of Mayor for said city, a City Manager, a City Clerk and Assessor of Taxes, Chief of Police, policemen, and such other officers as the Council of said city may provide for; providing for the issuance of special assessment certificates by said city, and for their enforcement and re-assessment; providing for a Recorder's Court in and for said city; and otherwise defining, extending and enlarging the powers of said city, and validating all prior acts thereof."

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bill No. 246, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

And the Senate stood adjourned to 10:30 a. m. Thursday, May 15, 1919.

Thursday, May 15, 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, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Turner, Wilson—32.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 14 was corrected and approved as corrected.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Crosby, Chairman of the Committee on Mining and Mineral Resources, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1919.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Mining and Mineral Resources, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 278:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare the proceeds of phosphate mines, oil wells and mineral deposits to be personal property in this State, and to provide for taxing the same.

Have had the same under consideration and beg to submit the following substitute: