

Joseph H. Jones, to be State Attorney of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit.

David Sholtz, to be State Attorney in the Seventh Judicial Circuit.

N. T. Joughin, W. V. Cole, J. C. McNeill, W. M. Fielder and Louvin Gates, to be Commissioners for the Port of Tampa for two years.

S. Watt Lawler, Jr., to be State's Attorney for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Florida.

Walter Warrington to be Harbor Master for the Port of Jacksonville, Florida.

John Bradley to be Harbor Master for the Port of Boca Grande, Florida.

C. O. Coran, E. R. Standish, N. Cicero Platt, U. S. Whitaker and V. L. Tillis, Commissioners of Pilotage for Boca Grande, Florida.

Wednesday, June 4, 1919

The Senate met at 3:30 o'clock p. 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, Igon, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—30.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of June 4 was corrected and approved as corrected.

The daily Senate Journal of Saturday, May 31, 1919, is hereby corrected by inserting on page thirty-nine immediately above line 1 of said page thirty-nine, the following amendment which was offered and adopted on that day and which does not appear in the Daily Journal of that date:

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 678:

In Section 71, strike out lines 6, 7, 8 and 9, printed bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In counties with an aggregate taxable valuation of four million dollars or less on the first five thousand dollars ten per cent (10%); on the next four thousand dollars five per cent. (5%)." "

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

Also on page thirty-nine of the Daily Journal of Saturday, May 31, 1919, insert between lines eleven and twelve the following amendment which was offered and adopted that day and which does not appear in the Journal of that date, to-wit:

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 678:

In Section 41, line 26, printed bill, after the word "Him" add the following: "But upon the payment of the taxes, he shall secure a receipt from the Tax Collector and deliver the same to the person paying the tax."

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

These amendments are attached to the bill as adopted and also appear upon the Secretary's book of proceedings, as offered by Mr. Anderson and adopted by the Senate.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Cash, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1919.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 419:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 347 of the General Statutes relative to duties of Boards of Public Instruction.

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

Very respectfully,

W. T. CASH,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 419, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Eaton moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return Senate Bill No. 319.

Which was agreed to.

And the Secretary was instructed to request return of said bill.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. MacWilliams—

Senate Bill No. 507-A:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing sales and conveyances by the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District of Lands covered by tax certificates in the name of said board, and validating any such sales and conveyances heretofore made.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 507-A be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 507-A was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the rules be further waived, and that Senate Bill No. 507-A 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. 507-A was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, 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.

By Mr. King—

Senate Bill No. 508:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate the town assessment rolls of the Town of Crystal River in Citrus County, for the years 1917 and 1918.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 508 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 508 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. King moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 508 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. 508 was read a third time in full. Upon the call of the roll on the passage of the bill, the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—29.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Cash—

Senate Bill No. 509:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 25 of Chapter 7372, Laws of 1917, being An Act entitled "An Act providing for the certification and examination of teachers; prescribing the requirements for the different teachers' certificates; creating a State Board of Examiners, prescribing their duties and providing for their compensation and expenses."

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Cash moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 509 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Mr. Cash moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 509 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Wilson—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Hulley—

Senate Bill No. 510:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to W. H. Allman and providing for the payment thereof.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hulley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 510 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 510 was read a second time in full.

Mr. Hulleve moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 510 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. MacWilliams moved to waive the rules and that Senate Bill No. 510 be referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 510 was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Stokes—

Senate Bill No. 511:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1411 General Statutes of Florida, relating to service of process upon corporations.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 511 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 511 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 511 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. 511 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, 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.

By Mr. Lowry—

Senate Bill No. 512:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for the salaries of the Circuit Judge and State Attorney of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit in and for the State of Florida, and the Judge and State Attorney of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit in and for the State of Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Lowry moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 512 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 512 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Lowry moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 512 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. 512 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, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hul-

ley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Plympton, Roland, Stokes, Turner—21.

Nays—Senator Wilson—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Stokes—

Senate Bill No. 513:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect English pheasants in Escambia County, in this State.

Which was read the first time by its title.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 513 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. 513 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, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Stokes, Wilson—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Mathis—

Senate Bill No. 514:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make the Secretary of State of the State of Florida the Official Custodian of the State Flag; empowering him to manufacture and sell reproductions of the State Flag; or contract therefor; providing for fixing price for same; making appropriation therefor, and providing penalties for violation of this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be further waived, and that Senate Bill No. 514 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. 514 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, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, 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.

By Mr. Crosby—

Senate Bill No. 515:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the estate of G. M. Condrey, late of Coleman, Sumter County, Florida.

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

By Mr. Hulley—

Senate Bill No. 516:

A bill to be entitled An Act to appropriate the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars per annum to be divided equally between Florida State Fair and Exposition Association, Inc., and South Florida Fair and Gasparilla Carnival, Inc., to aid in making displays of the agricultural, horticultural, forestry, live stock, mineral, industrial and other resources of the State of Florida and to influence and increase competition among the producers that will tend to improve the quality and character of all products of the State of Florida, and give publicity to same, and induce attendance of exhibitors and patrons at the annual exhibitions of Florida State Fair and Exhibition Association, Inc., and South Florida Fair and Gasparilla Carnival, Inc., and to authorize the payments therefor.

Which was read the first time by its title.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

And—

By consent—

Further consideration of same was informally passed over.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following message from the Governor was read:

State of Florida,
Executive Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1919.

*Hon. Jas. 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. 46):

An Act to amend Section 5, Section 6 and Section 7 of Chapter 7376, Laws of 1917, being An Act entitled An Act assenting to and accepting the provisions of An Act of Congress approved February 23, 1917, to provide for the promotion of vocational education, etc., and making an appropriation to carry out the purpose of said Chapter 7376 as amended.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 48):

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 this law into effect.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 86):

An Act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 6824, Laws of Florida, 1915, being An Act to make appropriation for the putting and keeping in order of the grounds adjacent and belonging to the site of the Olustee Monument, and

for the proper care and protection for the monument itself; and to provide for the payment of such appropriation.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 102):

An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of counties now have or may hereafter have a population exceeding eighty thousand (80,000).

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 124):

An Act to amend Chapter 6132, Laws of Florida, entitled An Act to amend Chapter 5867, Laws of Florida, being An Act to make an appropriation for the support of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in Jacksonville, Florida, approved June 2, 1911.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 181):

An Act to legalize the town government of Inverness, Florida, to fix the corporate limits, and to provide a common seal therefor, and to grant a charter to said municipality.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 218):

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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 309):

An Act to provide for the payment of the expense incurred by companies H and G of Tampa and Company E of Plant City all of the Second Regiment, Major V. V. Collins Battalion of the State Militia and National Guard of Florida, on its tour of duty from Tampa to Jacksonville and from Jacksonville to Bradentown, by direction of the Governor of Florida to uphold, protect and enforce the administration of justice according to law and to provide compensation to the commissioned and non-commissioned officers and men who actually did duty on that occasion and appropriating moneys therefor.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 310):

An Act defining and fixing the territorial limits and boundaries of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of Florida;

creating the Twelfth Judicial Circuit; providing for a Circuit Judge and Attorney in the Twelfth Judicial Circuit; and providing and fixing the time for holding the terms of the Circuit Court in said circuits.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 313):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Jennings, in Hamilton County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of Jennings and official Acts thereunder; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the Town of Jennings, Hamilton County, Florida; and to fix and provide its territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 316):

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

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 338):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Gary, in the County of Hillsborough and State of Florida, and to change the name thereof to East Tampa, and to organize, incorporate and establish a municipal government for the same; and to prescribe the powers and jurisdiction thereof, and to repeal Chapter 7652 of the Laws of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 339):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Tavares, 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. 343):

An Act to permit the taking and gathering of oysters from the public oyster bars or reefs in Wakulla County, Florida, from April 20th to September 30th of each year, and to permit the sale of same in said county.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 347):

An Act to prescribe the time for convening the Spring

Term of the Circuit Court, in and for Putnam County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 375):

An Act to authorize, empower, direct and require the County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, and the Bond Trustees of New Smyrna Special Road and Bridge District of Volusia County, Florida, to transfer the sum of \$5,000.00 from the interest fund of said New Smyrna Special Road and Bridge District to the maintenance fund of said New Smyrna Special Road and Bridge District, and to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, and the Bond Trustees of said New Smyrna Special Road and Bridge District to expend said sum so transferred in the repair and maintenance of the public highways of said New Smyrna Special Road and Bridge District.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 409):

An Act to incorporate the Town of Indian Beach, in the County of Manatee.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 410):

An Act relating to the Commissions of the Tax Collectors for collecting taxes of the Bunnell Drainage District of Flagler and Volusia Counties, Florida, and relating to the bonds of such tax collectors.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 417):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants in the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) for the purpose of completing by hard-surfacing, the gap in the road between the end of the hard-surfaced road at Venice, Florida, and at the end of the hard-surfaced road in Englewood Special Road and Bridge District, in Manatee County, Florida, and authorizing a tax levy and matters pertaining thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 424):

An Act creating an additional Judicial Circuit in the State of Florida, to be designated as the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit, and to create the circuit thereof, and

to provide for a Judge and State Attorney in the said court, and to provide for a State Attorney in the Seventh Judicial Circuit, and defining and fixing the territorial limits and the boundaries of the 5th, 7th and the 17th Judicial Circuits, and providing the time for holding the terms of court in said Judicial Circuits, and prescribing the effect on pending cases in said court.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 431):

An Act to create and establish the Tatum Road and Drainage District; to define its boundaries and to prescribe its powers, privileges, duties and liabilities; to name the members of its first Board of Supervisors and to designate the officers and agents of said district; to provide for the levying of taxes upon the property in said district and for the collection of the same, and for the sale of lands to enforce the collection of such taxes or assessments; to authorize the Board of Supervisors to borrow money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to give the Board of Supervisors full power and authority to acquire such lands and property as may be necessary and proper for its purposes; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and to provide a penalty for violating such provisions; to provide for the obligations of towns, cities and other municipalities in connection with such works in the district, and to provide for the payment thereof; to provide for the construction of roads, bridges, culverts, canals, drains, ditches, dikes, dams, and other internal improvements therein; and for other necessary and incidental purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 442):

An Act legalizing, ratifying and validating the proceeding of the town of Port Orange, Volusia County, Florida, in relation to construction, purchasing, establishing and maintaining, within the corporate limits of said town, a plan for manufacture and distribution of electricity for municipal and public uses; and for issuing of municipal bonds of said town in the sum of Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000) for the said purpose and One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) for street improvements.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 446):

An Act to validate, approve and confirm all of the proceedings taken for the creation, establishment and organization of the Halifax Drainage District in and for Volusia County, Florida, and to validate, approve and confirm all of the acts and proceedings taken by, for and on behalf of the said district since the creation thereof, and all of the acts and proceedings of the Circuit Court, the Board of Supervisors, the Commissioners and all other officers and agents of the said Halifax Drainage District, acting for and on behalf of said District, in carrying out the affairs of said District; and to validate, approve and confirm any and all tax levies and assessments which have been made by the Board of Supervisors of the said Halifax Drainage District for and on behalf of said district upon the taxable property located within said district.

Very respectfully,

SIDNEY J. CATTS,
Governor.

Also the following message from the Governor was read:

State of Florida,
Executive Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1919.

Hon. Jas. 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. 96):

An Act for the relief of Henry Langhout, and providing for proof to be made to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Alachua County in connection therewith.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 298):

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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 183) :

An Act making appropriations for the prevention, eradication and control of especially injurious insects, pests, plant and honey bee diseases, which may have been or may be introduced into the State of Florida, for quarantine, nursery and honey bee inspection; to be used and expended under the direction of the State Plant Board as herein provided; and making the unused part of the appropriation made under the provisions of Chapter 7281, Acts of 1917, a continuing appropriation for the purpose of eradicating, preventing and controlling citrus canker.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 353) :

An Act for the relief of P. B. Bird, of Jefferson County, Florida, and providing for the refund of certain taxes paid by the said P. B. Bird to the County of Jefferson, and the State of Florida, and making appropriation for said purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 427) :

An Act granting additional rights, powers, and privileges to the Town of Avon Park, DeSoto County, Florida, in addition to its present town charter granting said Town the right to borrow additional sums of money, and prescribing the manner in which same shall be repaid, together with the interest thereon, and the purposes therefor.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 428) :

An Act to provide for the collection of delinquent taxes due the Town of Avon Park.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 422) :

An Act to amend Section (45) forty-five of the charter of the City of Tampa relating to the assessment of taxes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 434) :

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, to borrow fifty per cent. of the estimated annual revenue of the road and bridge fund and the agricultural fund of said county, and to issue time warrants for such indebtedness, payable not more than six months from their date and bearing not more than six per cent. per annum interest.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 438) :

An Act amending the charter of the City of Tampa.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 456) :

An Act to validate, legalize and confirm an election held in the City of Orlando, a municipal corporation in the County of Orange and State of Florida, on the 26th day of May, A. D. 1919, to determine whether or not the said City of Orlando should issue its negotiable coupon bonds in the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand (\$150,000.00) dollars, for paving and improving certain streets in said city, to authorize the issuance of said bonds and to legalize, validate and confirm the same, and to legalize, validate and confirm all proceedings had in connection therewith or relating thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 457) :

An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Escambia County, in this State, to purchase and furnish free of cost, school books for use of the pupils of the public schools of said county, to authorize said board to prescribe rules and regulations, and to provide certain penalties.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 458) :

An Act constituting and defining Special Tax Road District Number One in Franklin County, Florida, and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of said Franklin County to issue certain interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of raising funds with which to open, lay out, establish, grade, replace, improve, pave and construct public roads and highways within said Special Tax Road District Number One; providing the rate of interest said warrants shall bear; the time and place when and where payable and providing for the levy of a special tax in said road district Number One to pay the interest and create a sinking fund for the redemption of said warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 459) :

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Putnam County, Florida, to change the road material as voted to be used in the construction of roads in

Special Road and Bridge District No. 4, in said Putnam County.

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., June 3, 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 the following amendments—

Senate Bill No. 98:

A bill to be entitled An Act to approve, adopt and enact the Revised General Statutes of Florida, prepared by James E. Calkins, Commissioner, under direction and by authority of the Legislature of Florida, with certain amendments thereto; to provide for printing, publication, sale and distribution thereof, and making appropriations for the printing, publication and distribution thereof.

Which amendments are as follows:

1. On page 11, printed bill, after the word "prison" in line 59, add the following: "or county jail."

2. Add after Section 10, the following: "Sub-Section 19. That Section 2928, relating to limitation of actions other than real actions, is hereby amended to read:

"2928. (1725). Limitations.—Actions other than those for the recovery of real property can only be commenced as follows:

1. Within Twenty Years.—An action upon a judgment or decree of a court of record in the State of Florida and an action upon any contract, obligation, or liability founded upon an instrument or writing under seal.

2. Within Seven Years.—An action upon a judgment or decree of any court of the United States, or of any

State or Territory within the United States, or of any foreign country.

3. Within Five Years.—An action upon any contract, obligation or liability founded upon an instrument of writing not under seal.

4. Within Four Years.—Any action for relief not specifically provided for in this Chapter.

5. Within Three Years.—1. An action upon a liability created by statute, other than a penalty of forfeiture; 2. An action for trespass upon real property; 3, an action for taking, detaining or injuring any goods or chattels, including action for the specific recovery of personal property; 4, an action for relief on the ground of fraud, the cause of action in such case not to be deemed to have accrued until the discovery by the aggrieved party of the facts constituting the fraud; 5, and an action upon a contract, obligation or liability not founded upon an instrument of writing, including an action for goods, wares and merchandise sold and delivered, and on store accounts.

6. Within Two Years.—An action by another than the State upon a statute for a penalty or forfeiture; an action for libel, slander, assault, battery or false imprisonment; an action arising upon account of an act causing a wrongful death.

7. Within One Year.—An action by the State for a penalty or forfeiture under a penal act of the Legislature.

8. In Cases of Mutual Account.—In an action brought to recover a balance due upon a mutual, open and current account where there have been reciprocal demands between the parties, the cause of action shall be deemed to have accrued from the time of the last item proved in the account on either side.

3. Add at the end of Section 10, the following:

Sub-section 18. That Section 3562 (2241) Sub-section 1. Relating to issuance, direction, and form of distress warrants, be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 3526 (2241) Distress Warrant.

1. Direction and Form Of.—Upon filing of such affidavit, the Clerk, or the Judge if the Court have no Clerk, shall issue a distress warrant, directed to the executive officer of the court, commanding him to levy on property liable to be distrained for the rent, or the advances, and collect the amount claimed in the affidavit, or the value

thereof, and to summon the said defendant to appear before the Court at a date fixed in the writ not more than ten days from the issuance of the writ. Provided, that upon the filing of the affidavit provided for in the preceding section and before warrant shall issue, the plaintiff, his agent or attorney, shall also file a bond with two good and sufficient sureties, payable to the defendant, in at least double the debt or sum demanded, or if property, in double the value of the property sought to be levied upon, conditioned to pay all costs and damages which the defendant may sustain in consequence of the plaintiffs improperly suing out said attachment or the action dismissed or result in judgment for defendant.

4. Add at the end of Section 10, the following:

Sub-section 16. That Section 4608, relating to election of Railroad Commissioners is hereby amended to read as follows:

4608 (2882) Election of Commissioners.—There shall be three commisisoners elected by the qualified electors of this State who shall hold office for the term of four years. Said Commissioners shall be elected as follows: One at the general election to be held at the time and place of voting for members of the Legislature in the year A. D. 1920, and every four years thereafter, and two at the general election to be held at the time and places of voting for members of the Legislature in the year A. D. 1922, and every four years thereafter, who shall succeed the members of the Railroad Commission now holding office at the expiration of their terms of office. The Commissioners heretofore elected and holding said office shall remain and continue to be commissioners until the expiration of their terms of office or until lawfully removed.

5. Add at the end of Section 10, the following:

Sub-section 17. That Paragraph Seventh of Section 704, relating to property exempt from taxation, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Seventh—There shall be exempt from taxation, property to the value of five hundred dollars to every widow that has a family dependent on her for support, and to every person who is a *bona fide* resident of the State, and has lost a limb or been disabled in war or by misfortune.

6. At the end of Section 7, add the following:

“Omit all of Sections 1067, 1068, 1069, 1125, 1385, 1645, 2193, 2461, 5551.”

7. “Omit all of Sections 3204 to 3217 inclusive.”

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 98, and amendments thereto, contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Stokes moved that the Senate concur in the amendments of the House to Senate Bill No. 98, as contained in the foregoing message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 98, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 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 receded from House Amendment No. 1 to—

Senate Bill No. 243:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 9 and 10 of Chapter 6178, Acts of 1911, being An Act entitled An Act to create a State School Book Commission, and to procure for use in the public schools of the State of Florida a uniform series of text books, and to define the duties and powers of said commission, to make preparation for carrying this Act into effect, and providing penalties for violation of same, and to amend Sections 1 and 6 of Chapter 7374, Acts of 1917, being An Act entitled An Act to amend Sections 2, 3, 13, 14, 18 and 20 of Chapter 6178, Acts of 1911.

Which amendment is as follows:
Strike out figures "1919" and insert "1917."

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 243, 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., June 3, 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 acceded to the Senate's request on House amendments to—

Senate Bill No. 105:

A bill to be entitled An Act assenting to and accepting the provisions of An Act of Congress, approved July 11, A. D. 1916, and all amendments thereto, the same being entitled An Act to provide that the United States shall aid the States in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes, and providing for the levy of a tax on all taxable property in this State to meet the same and for the repealing of Chapter 7327, Acts of 1917, Laws of Florida, and for the carrying forward of balances of all funds created by same.

And has receded.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 105, 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., June 3, 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. 868:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section seven of An Act entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the town of Lake City, in the County of Columbia, State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute the municipality to be known and designated as the city of Lake City, Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdiction, power and privileges, approved on the 22nd day of May, 1901, known as Chapter 5091, Laws of Florida, and further supplement said Act by enlarging, expanding and otherwise empowering said city of Lake City, Florida, to make contracts appertaining to said city for electricity.

Also—

House Bill No. 869:

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

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 868, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Plympton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 868 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 868 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Plympton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 868 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. 868 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, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Lowry, MacWilliams, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Turner, Wilson—21.

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. 869, 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., June 3, 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 by the constitutional three-fifths vote of all the members elected to the House of Representatives, session of 1919—

House Joint Resolution No. 279:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article IX. of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to taxation and finance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida, That the following amendment to Section 6 of Article IX. of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to taxation and finance is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the next General Election held hereafter, that is to say, that Section 6 of Article IX. of the Constitution of the State of Florida be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 6. The Legislature shall have power to pro-

vide for issuing State bonds only for the purpose of repelling invasion or suppressing insurrection, or for the purpose of redeeming or refunding bonds already issued at a lower rate of interest, or for the purpose of acquiring, building and maintaining a system of good roads and bridges throughout this State under such regulations as may be prescribed by An Act of the Legislature; provided that any bond issues authorized in pursuance hereof for a system of good roads and bridges shall not exceed in amount five (5) per cent. of the total tax assessment of the State at the time of issue."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Joint Resolution No. 297, contained in the above message was read the first time, and, by consent, the further consideration of the Resolution was informally passed over.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 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. 21:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize any corporation to sell and convey all its property and property rights, privileges, franchises, easements and rights of ways, and to authorize any corporation to purchase the same; the method, manner, conditions necessary in making such sale or purchase; and payment to any dissenting stockholder.

Which said amendment is as follows:

Add at the end of Section 3 the following: "Nor shall such sale be valid unless the same is consented to and approved by the Railroad Commission or other Govern-

mental authority under whose jurisdiction such corporation is or may hereafter be placed by law."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 21, with the House amendments thereto, contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the Senate concur in the amendment of the House to Senate Bill No. 21.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 21, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 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. 460:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the pay of members, officers and attaches of the Legislature of the State of Florida for session of 1919, and providing for certain expenses of the same.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 460, 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., June 3, 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. 192:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 2 of Chapter 7735, Laws of 1918, relating to the divesting of and person, persons, firm or corporation of any property right in certain intoxicating liquors held in custody of the Sheriffs, Deputy Sheriffs and constables of this State, and providing for its destruction and disposition of container and for giving notice.

Which said amendment is as follows:

In Section 1, line 5, after the word "held," add the following: "but said advertisement shall be made once in every three months and all liquors in the possession of the Sheriff shall be made in one advertisement."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 192, contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

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

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate 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., June 3, 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 indefinitely postponed—

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.

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., June 3, 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 Concurrent Resolution No. 35:

Appointing a committee to investigate the advisability of establishing a hog cholera serum manufacturing and distributing plant in this State.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 35, contained in the above message, was read the first time.

Mr. Crosby moved that the rules be waived and House Concurrent Resolution No. 35 be read a second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 35 was read a second time.

The question was put upon the adoption of the resolution.

And the Resolution was adopted.

And the action of the Senate 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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 20:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for compulsory school attendance in the State of Florida of all children between certain ages, and requiring every parent, guardian or other person having the custody, control or charge of children to send children to school; to provide for the means of enforcement of this Act, and penalties for violations thereof.

Which amendments are as follows:

1. In Section 1, line 2, strike out the word "residing" and insert in lieu thereof the words, "having citizenship."
2. In Section 1, at the end of line 6, add the words, "or private."
3. In Section 1, line 7, after the word "school," insert the words "which said child attends."
4. In Section 1, line 7, after the word "district," insert the words, "in which the school is located or."
5. In Section 1, strike out all after the word "reside" in line 9, to and including the word "for" in line 26.
6. In Section 1, line 27, after the word "parent" insert the word "or," and in same line of said section strike out the words "or private teacher."
7. In Section 1, line 38, insert the word "or" after the word "parent."
8. In Section 1, line 39, strike out the words, "or private teacher," at the beginning of said line and insert the word "or" at the end of said line.
9. In Section 1, line 40, strike out the words, "or other person."
10. In Section 1, Subdivision Second, in line 3, insert the words, "or private school or tutor," after the word "county."
11. In Section 1, Subdivision Sixth, in line 2, before the word "school," insert the words "public or private."

12. In Section 3, after the word "children" in the 5th line, strike out the remainder of said section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and the County Superintendent, in checking his lists of attendance, may call on the private school principal to verify a child's attendance."

13. In Section 4, line 1, insert the word "public" before the word "school."

14. In Section 4, line 2, insert the word "public" before the word "school."

15. In Section 5, line 2, strike out the words "or private."

16. In Section 7, line 4, strike out the word "sixteen" and insert in lieu thereof the word "eighteen."

17. In Section 7 add, at the end of said Section, the words, "but no child over sixteen years of age is under compulsion to attend school."

18. In Section 9, line 5, after word "children" insert the words "in such district," and strike out the word, "the" before the word "school."

19. In Section 9 strike out all of the said section after the word "school," in line 5, thereof.

20. In Section 10, line 3, strike out the word "school."

21. In Section 13, line 11, after the word "girls" insert the words "or said boy or said girl may be committed to some other correctional school."

22. Strike out Section 5 1-2 from the bill.

23. Strike out Section 2.

24. Renumber Sections so that Section 3 of the bill will be Section 2, Section 4 will be Section 3, Section 5 will be Section 4, Section 6 will be Section 5, Section 7 will be Section 6, Section 8 will be Section 7, Section 9 will be Section 8, Section 10 will be Section 9, Section 11 will be Section 10, Section 12 will be Section 11, Section 13 will be Section 12, Section 14 will be Section 13, Section 15 will be Section 14, Section 16 will be Section 15, Section 17 will be Section 16, Section 18 will be Section 17, Section 19 will be Section 18 and Section 20 will be Section 19.

25. In Section 1, line 6, strike out the words "of not less than," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "substantially."

26. In Section 1, line 3, after the word "children", insert the following: "within the State of Florida."

27. In Section 1, lines 7 and 8, strike out the words "parent guardian, or other person having the custody, control or charge of such."

28. In Section 8, line 11, strike out the words "less than two dollars nor."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

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, borough, town and township officers and employees, and on City Councils of cities of the first and second class; and providing penalties.

Which amendments are as follows:

(1) In Section 4, line 11, strike out the words and figures "Two dollars (\$2.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One Dollar (\$1.00)."

(2) In Section 4, line 13, strike out the words and figures "Four Dollars (\$4.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Two Dollars (\$2.00)."

(3) In Section 13, line 3, strike out the words "trial or breeding purposes."

(4) Strike out Section 16.

(5) In Section 18, strike out the Section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 18. It shall be the duty of every police officer to kill any dog which does not bear a proper license tax which is found running at large."

(6) In Section 19, strike out Section 19 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 19. For services under Sections 18 and 19 of this Act, such officers shall be paid the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) for the killing of a dog. All expenses incurred under this Act, or the preceding Section, and not otherwise provided for, shall be paid by the proper county."

(7) In Section 21 strike out Section 21.

(8) Strike out Sections 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 31.

(9) In Section 33, line 3, strike out the words "breeding, trial or."

(10) Strike out Section 37.

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 538:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the time for completing the Tallahassee Southeastern Railway, and if there shall be a failure to complete within said time to revoke and forfeit its franchise and privilege of being a corporation for the purpose of its creation; and that all of the provisions of this Act shall apply to and affect said Tallahassee Southeastern Railway and its successors and assigns.

Which amendments are as follows:

(1) In line 4 of the title of the bill, after the word

"Creation," insert: "and other grants, rights, franchises, privileges and immunities."

(2) In Section 1, line 5, strike out the figures "1921" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "1923."

(3) In Section 1, line 6, strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three."

(4) In Section 1, line 9, strike out the figures "1921" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "1923."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 588:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the payment of George Lewis, trustee, of certain bonds issued by the State of Florida, July 1, 1861, and January 1, 1862, respectively, together with interest thereon.

Which amendments are as follows:

No. 1. In the title, strike out the words "together with interest thereon."

No. 2. In Section 1, line 23, strike out the words "together with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent. per annum from July 1, 1902, until the issue and delivery of such warrant or warrants."

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., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in the following Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 678:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to assessment and collection of revenue:

Which amendments are as follows:

(1) In Section 4, line 4, printed bill, at the end of paragraph 3, add the following: "Provided that this Section shall not be construed to apply to the lower stories of charitable or benevolent institutions necessarily using the upper stories of their buildings for lodge rooms and who rent the ground floor of such building using said rents, issues and profits for the benefit of such charitable and benevolent purposes."

(2) In Section 4, line 25, printed bill, strike out the words "not exceeding one acre."

(3) In Section 4, line 52, printed bill, after the word "labor" insert the following: "and to every person who may be blind in both eyes."

(4) In Section 9, line 5, printed bill, after the word "belong" add the following: "or be enrolled, registered, or licensed."

(5) In Section 27, line 4, printed bill, strike out the word, "old."

(6) In Section 27, line 7, printed bill, strike out the word "refusal" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "failure."

(7) In Section 41, line 26, printed bill, after the word, "Him" add the following: "But upon the payment of the taxes, he shall secure a receipt from the Tax Collector and deliver the same to the person paying the tax."

(8) In Section 67, lines 1 and 2, printed bill, strike out the words "now owned by or hereafter."

(9) In Section 67, line 2, printed bill, after the word "State" insert the following: "hereunder."

(10) In Section 68, line 11, printed bill, strike out the words "Ten (10%)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Twenty-five (25%)."

(12) In Section 50, line 67, printed bill, after the words "Not to be Found" add "And an affidavit made by some party acquainted with the facts shall be filed and recorded in the office of the Clerk of Circuit Court of said county."

(15) In Section 62, line 33, printed bill, after the word "County," at the end of the line add "and city."

(16) In Section 65, line 14, strike out the words "the right to."

(17) In Section 73, after the last line in Section, add: "Nothing in this Act shall be construed to invalidate any tax due any city or town."

And has refused to concur in the following Senate amendments to House Bill No. 678:

(11) In Section 71, printed bill, strike out lines 6, 7, 8, and 9, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "In counties with an aggregate taxable valuation of four million dollars or less on the first five thousand dollars ten per cent. (10%); on the next four thousand dollars five per cent. (5%)."

(13) In Section 52, line 100, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fifteen."

(14) In Section 57, line 16, strike out the word "ten" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fifteen."

An respectfully requests the Senate to recede therefrom.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate amendments to House Bill No. 678—Nos. 11, 13 and 14, not concurred in by the House of Representatives, as contained and stated in the foregoing message, were laid before the Senate.

Mr. Anderson moved that the Senate do recede from the amendments Nos. 11, 13 and 14, as contained in the foregoing message.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate in receding therefor 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., June 4, 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. 474:

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

Also—

Senate Bill No. 473:

A bill to be entitled An Act in relation to the powers and government of the City of Pensacola; relating to City of Pensacola Dock and Belt Railroad Bonds, the issuance of certificates of indebtedness in anticipation of collection of back taxes; the validation of prior assessments and tax levies and tax certificates issued for non-payment of taxes and to provide for canceling said certificates and the redemption of property sold for non-payment of taxes; the passage and publication of ordinances and requiring judicial notice thereof; amending Section 3 of Chapter 7686, relating to Board of Centennial Commissioners; amending Section 18 of Chapter 6386, relating to licensing and regulating occupations, businesses and amusements; changing salaries of City Commissioners; the extension and improvement of the city's sewerage, drainage and water system; and to further amend and supplement the charter of said city and provide for the exercise of powers vested for municipal purposes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 443:

A bill to be entitled An Act legalizing and validating an election held in Polk County, Florida, constituting Special Road and Bridge District No. 3 of Polk County, Florida, and validating two hundred thousand (\$200,000.00) in bonds of said district.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 474, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 473, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 443, 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., June 4, 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. 290:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to employ a private detective to assist the State Attorney in the detection and punishment of crimes committed in such county, prescribing the powers and duties of such detective and providing for his compensation.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 290, 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., June 4, 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. 486:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of Alachua County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money for the purpose of acquiring sites for and the erection of public school build-

ings and for the furnishing and equipping thereof, and funding the floating indebtedness of said Board of Public Instruction and providing for the payment thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 492:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 6052, relating to the issue of bonds and for the further issue of bonds by the Town of DeFuniak Springs, Florida, for the construction of additions to a system of waterworks and sewerage, providing for the payment of the interest on and the principal of said bonds, and for the further issue of bonds for the purpose of building, repairing and equipping public buildings, waterworks, sewerage, widening, creating or extending streets alleys and parks, building and constructing sidewalks and street crossing, and for the purchasing or establishing of gas or electric light plants and for any other municipal purpose, providing conditions of issuance and limiting amount of said bonds.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 491:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 7641 of the Laws of Florida relating to the impounding and sale of certain domestic animals in the City of DeFuniak Springs, Walton County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 490:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the appointment of a Town Marshal of the Town of DeFunak Springs, Florida, for his suspension or removal from office, and relating to the powers and duties of the Mayor and Town Council of the Town of DeFuniak Springs, Florida, in connection therewith.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 486, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 492, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 491, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 490, 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., June 4, 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. 497:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 7325 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1917, the same being entitled "An Act to create a State Convict Road Force and to authorize the working of certain prisoners on same; to provide for their housing, feeding, clothing, guarding and general care; to provide for their transportation, supervision and the general conditions under which they shall be worked."

Also—

Senate Bill No. 441:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2710 and 2711 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the reserves of banking companies.

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., June 4, 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 failed to pass—

Senate Bill No. 454:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the eradication of certain pests now threatening the camphor industry in this State and to make an appropriation therefor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 342:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2350, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421 and 2423, and to repeal Section 2362 of the General Statutes of Florida relating to estates and decedents.

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., June 4, 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. 440:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it the duty of the State Board of Health to make certain analyses and providing expert testimony.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 485:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 4 and 5 of An Act 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 or disc harrows, automobiles or other vehicles over the roads of said county." Passed by the 1919 session of the Legislature; approved by the Governor May 22, 1919.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 507:

A bill to be entitle An Act to provide for the assessment, levy, equalization and collection of the Halifax Special Road and Bridge District taxes in that portion of said Halifax Special Road and Bridge District included, embraced and situated in Flagler County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 853:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of Bay County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money for building additional school buildings, for the repair of school buildings, equipping same and construction of sidewalks and improving grounds of Special Tax School District No. 2, St. Andrews, Florida.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 440, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 485, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 507, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And House Bill No. 853, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 853 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 853 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 853 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. 853 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, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Stokes, 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., June 4, 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—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 498:

A resolution requesting the Federal Government to send a representative to meet with the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to go into certain lands and regrade and reclassify them, in this State.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Joint Resolution No. 498, 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., June 4, 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. 471:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the County Solicitor for the County of Escambia, and to provide for the collection of certain costs in certain criminal cases in the Court of Record of said County of Escambia for the use and benefit of the fine and forfeiture fund of said county.

Which amendments are as follows: In Section 4 strike out the words "on becoming a law," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "June 20, 1921."

After Section 2 add the following: "Section 2 1-2. No person shall be appointed to or hold the office of Solicitor of the Court of Record of Escambia County, State

of Florida, who has not resided within the State of Florida, and Escambia County, for the twelve months immediately preceding his appointment to said office."

Add the word "qualification" in the title preceding the word "compensation of line one of said title.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 471, with amendments thereto, contained in the above message, was laid before the Senate.

Mr. Stokes moved that the Senate do not concur in House amendments to Senate Bill No. 241, as contained in the foregoing message, and that the House of Representatives be requested to recede therefrom.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate 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., June 4, 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. 466:

A bill to be entitled An Act to empower the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County to borrow and expend money for the repair and rebuilding of the public road running from Millview in said county to Lillian Bridge; to provide for the issuance of time warrants for such moneys and the repayment thereof from the budget and tax levy of 1919.

Which said amendment is as follows:

In Section 1, line 6, strike out the word "eight," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "six."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 446, with House amendments thereto, as contained in the above message, was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Stokes moved that the Senate do not concur in the House amendments to Senate Bill No. 466, as contained in the foregoing message, and that the House of Representatives be requested to recede therefrom.

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate 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., June 4, 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. 504:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the shooting at, dynamiting, netting, attempting to net, trapping; attempting to trap, or attempting to catch by any other means or device except by hook and line, of any fish in the inland waterways of Duval County, Florida, except in the St. Johns River, for a period of five (5) years, and providing punishment for the violation of this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 482:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting fishing with seine or gill net in the fresh waters of Chissihowiska River or its tributaries any where within the boundary lines of Citrus County and declaring any violation of this Act to be a misdemeanor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 496:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to elections held in the City of Tampa, Florida; prescribing the time and manner of registration, regulating the manner of challenging persons offering to vote, requiring production of naturalization certificates, or authenticating copies thereof in certain cases, and declaring the violation of the provisions hereof to be a misdemeanor, except that false swearing shall be perjury.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 487:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate all proceedings had and done in the calling, and holding of an election in Gainesville Special School Tax District No. 26 of Alachua County, Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 6542, Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida, and authorizing and validating the issuance of bonds to the amount of \$150,000.00 by the Board of Public Instruction of Alachua County, Florida, in pursuance thereof.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 504, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 482, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 496, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 487, 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., June 4, 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. 861:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate the acts and proceedings of the County Assessor of Taxes, the Board of County Commissioners, the Tax Collector, the newspapers and the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Broward County, Florida, and any and all officials and other persons in relation to assessment, collection, advertising and sale for non-payment of the taxes for State and County and Special District purposes, levied, assessed, collected, advertised and sold for non-payment within the said Broward County, for the years 1916 and 1917.

Also—

House Bill No. 811:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the catching of food fish in lakes, ponds and streams in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 501:

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

Also—

Senate Bill No. 500:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the County of Manatee, State of Florida, on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1918, to determine whether the 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 Bill No. 861, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 811, contained in the above mes-

sage, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second reading.

And Senate Bill No. 501, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 500, 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., June 4, 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. 879:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering either the Board of County Commissioners of Liberty County, Florida, or the Board of County Commissioners of Wakulla County, Florida, or both jointly, to construct, operate and maintain ferry boats and ferries over and across the Okeechobee River between Wakulla and Liberty counties and to fix the rate of tolls thereon.

Also—

House Bill No. 878:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the use of the public roads of Lake County in the State of Florida, for traffic of an unusual or destructive character.

Also—

House Bill No. 877:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the members of the County Board of Public Instruction in certain counties of this State.

Also—

House Bill No. 876:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of St. Lucie County to reimburse W. T. Jones, sheriff of said county, for certain moneys expended in the apprehension and conviction of one D. E. Griswold.

Also—

House Bill No. 875:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a County Board of Health for Taylor County, Florida, and providing for the members thereof.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 879, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Oliver moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 879 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 879 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Oliver moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 879 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. 879 was read a third time in full.

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

Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Stokes, 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.

And House Bill No. 878, 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. 877, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

And House Bill No. 876, 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. 876 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 876 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 876 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. 876 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—22.

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

Mr. Cash moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 875 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 875 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Cash moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 875 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. 875 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, Bradshaw, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, 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., June 4, 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. 152:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Paragraph 14 of Section 347 of the General Statutes.

Also—

House Bill No. 854:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of Bay County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money for the repair of school buildings, equipping same, retiring certain outstanding indebtedness, construction of sidewalks and improving grounds of Special Tax District No. 4, Millville, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 465:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 3, 8, 10 and 11 of Chapter 7123, Acts of 1915, entitled "An Act to provide the method and manner of working, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Walton County, Florida, and to provide penalties for violations of this Act."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 152, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary A.

And House Bill No. 854, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 854 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 854 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 854 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. 854 was read a third time by its title only.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Bradshaw, Butler, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Wilson—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And Senate Bill No. 465, 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., June 4, 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. 303:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section one (1) of Chapter 7329 of the Acts of 1917, being An Act prohibiting the use of public roads of this State for traffic of an unusual or destructive character.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 425:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of P. M. Cate, of Lake County, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 303, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Andrews moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 303 be read a second time by its title only. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 303 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Andrews moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 303 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. 303 was read a third time in full. Upon the call of the roll on the passage of the bill, the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, King, MacWilliams, Malone, Moore, Oliver, Russell, Singletary, Stokes—17.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And Senate Bill No. 425, 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., June 4, 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. 890:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section ten (10) of Chapter 6469 of the Laws of Florida, entitled An Act

to provide for and regulate primary elections," approved June 3, 1913, as amended by Chapter 6874 of the Laws of Florida, approved June 4, 1915.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 890, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 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. 884:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the nomination of members of the Boards of County Commissioners and the members of the Boards of Public Instruction of the counties in this State by the County at large.

Also—

House Bill No. 883:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the employment of a detective or detectives by the Solicitor of the Criminal Court of Record of Hillsborough County, Florida, and to provide for funds to pay such detectives.

Also—

House Bill No. 882:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act fixing the number of terms of the Circuit Court of the Ninth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida to be held in each county of said circuit and fixing the time for holding the terms of the Circuit Court in the counties composing said Judicial Circuit, approved May 20, 1919.

Also—

House Bill No. 881:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of Leon County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money for the repair of and making additions to school buildings, equipping same and improving grounds of Tallahassee Special Tax School District No. 1, Leon County, State of Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 880:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the times for holding the regular terms of the County Court of Jefferson County, Florida, each year.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 884, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

And House Bill No. 883, 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. 882, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 882 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 882 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be further waived, and that House Bill No. 882 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. 882 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, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Malone, Mathis, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, Wilson.

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. 881, 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. 880, 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., June 4, 1915.

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. 863:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 7041 of the Special Acts of 1915, approved May 29th, 1915, same being: "An Act declaring it unlawful for the owner of or the person having the care, custody or control of any domestic animal or animals on Sections 25, 26, 35, and 36, Township 43 South, Range 21 East; Sections 29 and 30, Township 43 South, Range 22 East; Sections 1 and 2, Township 44 South, Range 21 East; Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36, Township 44 South, Range 22 East; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 34, 35, and 36, Township 45 South, Range 22 East; Sections 1, 2, and 3, Township 46, South, Range 2 East; and Section 6, Township 46 South, Range 23 East, Lee County, Florida; to allow or permit any of such animals to run at large on said lands; providing a method for the collection of any damage or damages caused by such animal or animals running at large, and providing a lien on such animal or animals, and providing a method of enforcing such lien

and providing a punishment for any person or persons violating this Act."

Also—

House Bill No. 862:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1 and 15 of Chapter 7533 of the Laws of Florida; the same being An Act relating to the creation and administration of the Windemere Special Navigable Canal District of Orange County, Florida; and to validate and confirm the petition heretofore presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County under the provisions of Section 1 of said Act; and to validate and confirm the election heretofore held in said Windemere Special Navigable Canal District of Orange County, Florida, on the twenty-second of June, 1918, to determine whether or not the territory described in said Act should be constituted into a Special Navigable Canal District and the proposed canal or canals constructed and paid for as specified in said petition; and confirm and validate the order of the County Commissioners of Orange County constituting said Windemere Special Navigable Canal District; and to confirm and validate the canvas of the returns of said election, and to declare the same to have been in favor of constituting said Special Navigable Canal District, and of constructing the canal or canals and paying for the same as specified in said petition; and to authorize and direct the issue by the said Board of County Commissioners of Orange County of bonds authorized by said election and by this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

J. G. KELLUM,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 863, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

And House Bill No. 863, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 863 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 863 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived

and that House Bill No. 863 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. 863 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, Bradshaw, Butler, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igon, King, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Stokes—21.

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

Mr. Crawford moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 862 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 862 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Crawford moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 862 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. 862 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Andrews, Bradshaw, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hulley, Johnson, King, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Stokes, Turner, Wilson—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Stokes moved that the hour for adjournment be extended to 5:30 o'clock p. m.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Carlton moved that House Joint Resolution No. 279 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Joint Resolution No. 279:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 6 of Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to taxation and finance.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida, That the following amendment to Section 6 of Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to taxation and finance is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the next General Election held hereafter, that is to say, that Section 6 of Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Florida be amended so as to read as follows:

“Section 6. The Legislature shall have power to provide for issuing State bonds only for the purpose of repelling invasion or suppressing insurrection, or for the purpose of redeeming or refunding bonds already issued at a lower rate of interest, or for the purpose of acquiring, building and maintaining a system of good roads and bridges throughout the State under such regulations as may be prescribed by An Act of the Legislature; provided, that any bond issues authorized in pursuance hereof for a system of good roads and bridges shall not exceed in amount five (5) per cent of the total tax assessment of the State at the time of issue.”

Was taken up.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be waived and House Joint Resolution No. 279 be read a second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Joint Resolution No. 279 was read a second time.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Joint Resolution No. 279 be read a third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Joint Resolution No. 279 was read a third time.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Cash, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Mathis, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes—25.

Nays—Senators Andrews, Johnson—2.

So the Joint Resolution having received the constitutional three-fifths vote of all the members elected to the Senate of 1919 was passed.

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

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Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 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. 855:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, approve, validate and confirm all of the proceedings taken for the creation, establishment and organization of Fort Pierce Inlet District, in St. Lucie County, Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 7759 of the Laws of Florida, approved December 9, 1918, and the passage and approval of said law by the Legislature and Governor of the State of Florida; and the election held under the provisions of said law by which C. M. Horton, F. G. McMullen and G. Ringdahl were elected commissioners of said Fort Pierce Inlet District, and by which election the said commissioners were authorized to issue and sell the bonds of said District in the sum of \$80,000.00 for the purposes provided by said law; and all of the Acts and proceedings taken by, for and on behalf of said Fort Pierce Inlet District since the creation thereof and all of the acts and proceedings of the Board of Commissioners of said Fort Pierce Inlet District, acting for and on behalf of said District in carrying out the affairs of said District; and the bonds of the par value of \$80,000.00 of said Fort Pierce Inlet District, bearing date May 31, 1919, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, provided for by resolutions heretofore adopted by said Board of Commissioners of said Fort Pierce Inlet District; and any and all tax levies which have been made

by the Board of Commissioners of said Fort Pierce Inlet District for and on behalf of said District upon the taxable property located within 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. 855, 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. 855 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 855 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 855 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. 855 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Stokes, 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.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 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. 874:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the County of Polk, State of Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of building and equipping dipping vats and pens for the systematic dipping of cattle 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. 874, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 874 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 874 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be further waived, and that House Bill No. 874 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. 874 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes—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., June 4, 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. 202:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate fishing in the waters of Lake Okechobee, and to prescribe penalties for violations thereof.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 423:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for two sifts of firemen connected in working with the fire department of cities of a population of more than fifteen thousand (15,000), according to the last Federal census.

Also—

House Bill No. 886:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Jackson, State of Florida, to aid in the construction and equipment of a modern school building at Graceville, in Special Tax School District No. 25 of said county, by issuing ten-year six per cent time warrants to the amount of seven thousand five hundred (\$7,500.00) dollars, and to provide for the payment of the principal and interest thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 885:

A bill to be entitled An Act empowering the City of Jacksonville to buy, sell, build, equip, maintain, own, and operate, street and suburban railways, ice and gas plants, and providing for the fixing of fares, charges, rates and service, on said railways; providing for the fixing of the prices of the products of said ice and gas plants, and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds to carry out the purposes of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 202, 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. 202 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 202 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hughlett moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 202 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. 202 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Oliver, Plympton, Rowe, 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.

And Senate Bill No. 423, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And House Bill No. 886, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 886 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 886 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 886 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. 886 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Baker, Bradshaw, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Johnson, King, MacWilliams, Mathis, McLeod, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, 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. 885, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of House Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 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. 858:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a simplified method of taking appeals from the Mayor's Court of the City of Tallahassee, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 493:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Jacksonville to establish, operate and maintain at the Port of Jacksonville a free zone, and authorizing the issuance of bonds therefor.

Also—

House Bill No. 856:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Jackson, State of Florida, to aid in the construction and equipment of a modern High School building at Marianna, in Special Tax District No. 1, of said county, by issuing ten year six per cent time warrants to the amount of ten thousand dollars, and to provide for the payment of the principal and interest thereon.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And House Bill No. 858, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of House Bills on Second Reading.

And Senate Bill No. 493, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And House Bill No. 856, 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., June 4, 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. 489:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm the Special Election held in the Aften Special Drainage District in Walton County, Florida, on the 15th day of March, 1919, and to transfer the funds now held by the County Commissioners of Walton County to the Trustee of said Special Drainage District.

Also—

House Bill No. 871:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the building and maintaining of a bridge across Suwannee River at Old Town, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 867:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Shell Fish Commissioner of the State of Florida to issue permits allowing the use of pound nets in the salt waters of Bay County under certain regulations; to impose an annual license tax thereon; and prescribing a penalty for interfering with such pound nets.

Also—

House Bill No. 866:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, to place the funds of bond districts in the County Depositories of said county in lieu of designating bond trustees.

Also—

House Bill No. 865:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the County of Washington, State of Florida, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1918, to determine whether the 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 Senate Bill No. 489, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And House Bill No. 871, 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. 867, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 867 be read a second time by its title.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 867 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 867 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. 867 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, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Mathis, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, 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.

And House Bill No. 866, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 866 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 866 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 866 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. 866 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, Butler, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, MacWilliams, Malone, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Russell, Stokes, Wilson—22.

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

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 865 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 865 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mathis moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 865 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. 865 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, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, MacWilliams, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Stokes, Wilson—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Carlton moved that House Bill No. 883 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 883:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the employment of a detective or detectives by the Solicitor of the Criminal Court of Record of Hillsborough County, Florida, and to provide for funds to pay such detectives.

Was taken up.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 883 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 883 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 883 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. 883 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, Carlton, Crawford, Crosby, Eaton, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, MacWilliams, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Stokes, Wilson—22.

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 844:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 18 of Chapter 5970 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1909, approved April 30, 1909, entitled An Act providing for the creation of Palm Beach County, in the State of Florida, and for the organization and government thereof; relating to redemption of lands in Palm Beach County, Florida, which have been certified or sold for taxes to the State or individuals, including and prior to the year 1907.

Which amendment is as follows:

After last word and figures "year 1907" insert the following: "Together with any and all taxes collected prior to April 1st, 1920, in connection with such purchases and redemptions."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 244:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the inspection, measurement, analysis and fixing the standards of certain oils and gases sold in this State, to authorize the collection of an inspection fee and disposition thereof; to provide for the appointment of an Assistant State Chemist, oil inspectors, clerical help and prescribe their duties, and to define the powers and duties of State Attorneys and the Commissioner of Agriculture in connection herewith.

With following amendments:

In Section 4, line 4, strike out after the words "exceed four in number," and insert in lieu thereof the follow-

ing: "three in number, one of whom shall reside at Pensacola, one at Jacksonville and one at Tampa."

Insert after Section 2, Section 2 1-2, which section shall read as follows:

Section 2 1-2. Any person purchasing any gasoline, illuminating or heating oils from any manufacturer or vendor in this State for his own use may submit fair samples of said gasoline, illuminating or heating oils to the Commissioner of Agriculture to be tested or analyzed by the State Chemist. In order to protect the manufacturer or vendor from the submission of spurious samples the person selecting the same shall do so in the presence of two or more disinterested persons, which samples shall not be less than one pint in quantity, and bottled, corked and sealed in the presence of said witnesses, and said sample shall be placed in the hands of disinterested person, who shall forward the same at the expense of the purchaser to the Commissioner of Agriculture, and upon the receipt by him of any such sample as hereby authorized to require the State Chemist to test or analyze the same, and he shall return to such purchaser or purchasers a certificate of analysis, and such certificate, when verified by the affidavit of the State Chemist, shall be competent evidence in any court of law or equity in this State.

In Section 6, line last, strike out the words "the name," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The degree of gravity."

At the end of Section 9 add the following: "Provided, no inspection fee shall be charged on oils or gasoline unloaded in any of the Florida ports for shipment into other States."

In Section 16, line 2, after the word "Act," insert the following: "or any rule or regulation promulgated by the Commissioner of Agriculture."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 816:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the open and closed season for the hunting of squirrels of Holmes County, Florida, and providing penalty for the violation of this Act.

Which amendments are as follows:

No. 1. In Section 1, line 3, after the word "Holmes," add "Walton."

No. 2. In title, after the word "Holmes," add "Walton."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate Amendment to—

House Bill No. 191:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 2481 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, providing for acknowledgments and proofs of execution of instruments to be made in foreign countries and validating certain acknowledgments and proofs of the same heretofore had and taken in foreign countries.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 1: Strike out everything after enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. That Section 2481 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida be amended to read as follows:

Section 2481. In order to entitle any of the instruments named in the preceding section, or any other instrument concerning real property to such record, the execution thereof must be acknowledged by the party executing the same; or the execution thereof by the said party must be proved by a subscribing witness thereto before the officers and in the form and manner following:

In this State: If such acknowledgment or proof be made, within this State, it may be made before any judge, clerk or deputy clerk of any court of record, or a United States Commissioner, or a notary public or justice of the peace of this State, and the certificate of acknowledgment or proof shall be under the seal of the court or of the officer as the case may be.

Without This State but Within the United States: If the acknowledgement or proof be made out of this State, but within the United States, it may be made before a commissioner of deeds appointed by the Governor of this State, or before a judge or clerk of any court of the United States, or of any State, territory, or district, having a seal, or before a notary public, justice of the peace, master in chancery, register or recorder of deeds, of such State, territory or district having an official seal, and the certificate of acknowledgment or proof shall be under the seal of the court or officer, as the case may be.

In Foreign Countries: If the acknowledgment or proof be made in any foreign country, it may be made before any Commissioner of Deeds appointed by the Governor of this State to reside in such territory, or before any notary public of such foreign country, having an official seal, or before any Ambassador, Envoy Extraordinary, Minister Plenipotentiary, Minister, Commissioner, Charge d'Affaires, Consul General, Consul, Vice-Consul, Consular Agent, or any other diplomatic or consular officer of the United States appointed to reside in such country, military or naval officer authorized by the laws or articles of war of the United States to perform the duties of notary public, and the certificate of acknowledgment or proof shall be under the seal of the officer.

Sec. 2. All affidavits and acknowledgments heretofore made or taken in the manner set forth above are hereby validated.

Sec. 3. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

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., June 4, 1914.

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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 151:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 7294 of the Acts of 1917 of the Laws of Florida, being An Act creating a State Fire Insurance Fund, and authorizing the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions to insure all property of the State in such fund and directing the State Treasurer to keep a record of all matters necessary for carrying out the provisions of this bill.

Which amendments are as follows:

(1) In Section 1, at the end of paragraph 3, insert the following:

“Provided, that in the event any funds shall be paid out of the General Revenue Fund under the provisions of this bill, such amount so paid out shall be returned to the General Revenue Fund out of the first premium earnings of said State Fire Insurance Fund.”

(2) At the conclusion of Section 1, add the following paragraph:

“For the purpose of effectively carrying out the provisions of this bill, and furnishing other needed help in the insurance branch of the office of State Treasurer, the State Treasurer is hereby authorized to employ a competent person with experienced knowledge in the matter of fire insurance rates and risks at a salary of not exceeding Two Thousand Dollars per annum, such salary and the necessary traveling expenses to be paid out of the

State Fire Insurance Fund, and the amounts necessary to pay such salary and traveling expenses are hereby appropriated out of the State Fire Insurance Fund."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 780:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 165 of Article 15, Compensation of Officers and Employees of the Charter of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida, adopted by the qualified electors of said city at a special election held on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1915, under the provisions of An Act authorizing cities and towns to amend their charter and to adopt charters for their government, being Chapter 6940 of the Laws of Florida, Acts 1915, and which charter is recorded in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 6940 in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pinellas County, in Incorporation Record No. 1, on page 263 et seq., and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida in Municipal Charters Book No. 1 on page 1 et seq., and to provide for the ratification of same.

Also has concurred in Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 766:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to South Lake Worth Inlet District, and to amend Section 5, 6, 8 and 9 of An Act entitled: "An Act to create and incorporate a Special Taxing District in Palm Beach County, Florida, to be known as South Lake Worth Inlet District, embracing all of Townships forty-four (44) and forty-five (45) South, Range forty-three (43) East, and all of Townships forty-four (44) and forty-five (45) South, Range

forty-two (42) East, and to prescribe the boundaries of said District, and to provide for the government and administration of the same, and to prescribe and define the powers and purposes of said District and of the Board of Commissioners thereof, and to authorize said Board to construct an inlet in said District to connect the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean and all other works necessary or proper in connection therewith, and to empower said Board to levy and provide for the collection of taxes upon all the taxable property in said District for said purposes and other purposes authorized by this Act, and to authorize said Board to borrow money and to issue and sell bonds and procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act, and to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and generally to create and provide the powers of such district for the construction and maintenance of an inlet in said District connecting the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean," approved June 5th, 1915, being Chapter 7080, Laws of Florida, and to provide for the appointment under certain circumstances of the Board of Commissioners of said District, and for other purposes relating to said District.

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 569:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the issuing of marriage license in the State of Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which amendment is as follows:

Strike out Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 2. That no County Judge in this State shall issue a license for the marriage of any persons, unless there be first presented and filed with him an affidavit in writing, signed by both parties to the marriage, made and subscribed before some person authorized by law to administer an oath, reciting the true and correct ages of such parties, and unless both such parties shall be over the age of twenty-one years; provided, that if either of such parties shall be under the age of twenty-one years, such County Judge shall not issue a license for the marriage of such party unless there shall be first presented and filed with him the written consent of the parents of such minor to such marriage, acknowledged before some officer authorized by law to take acknowledgments and administer oaths; provided, this section shall not apply in any case where both parents of such minor shall be deceased at the time of making application for such marriage license.

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 320:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect and regulate the fish industry of Monroe County, Florida.

Which amendments are as follows:

- (1). In the title, strike out "Monroe County" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "State of."
- (2). Strike out Section 4, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 4. There shall be a license tax of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars to each purse seine, this tax shall be in addition to any other tax now imposed by

law. All provisions of this Act shall be enforced by the Fish Commissioner."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 769:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District, to maintain and operate a Drainage and Highway District in this State and define its boundaries; to create a Board of Supervisors for said District, and to define its powers, authorizing the construction of hard-surfaced roadways and other roadways, canals, ditches, drains, dikes, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation, improvement, convenience and benefit of the lands embraced in said district and to levy assessments of taxes upon lands embraced in said district, and to provide for the collection of the same, and the sale of lands to enforce the collection of such assessments, and to authorize the Board of Supervisors of this said District to borrow money, to issue bonds, notes, warrants and evidences of indebtedness and deposit of the same; to procure money, to carry out the provisions of this Act, and prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act and to provide penalty for the violation of such provisions.

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

Strike out Page 2, being a part of Section 1 of House Bill No. 769, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Township Forty-three (43), South, Range Thirty-seven (37) East, thence West along the Township line between Townships Forty-

two (42) and Forty-three (43) South, to the northwest corner of Section Nine (9) in Township Forty-three (43) South, Range Thirty-four (34) East;

Thence south along the west section line of Sections Nine (9), Sixteen (16) Twenty-one (21), Twenty-eight (28) and Thirty-three (33), in Township Forty-three (43) South, Range Thirty-four (34) East;

Thence continuing south along the west section line of Sections Four (4), Nine (9), Sixteen (16), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-eight (28) and Thirty-three (33), in Township Forty-four (44) South, Range Thirty-four (34) East;

Thence continuing south along the west line of Sections Four (4), Nine (9), Sixteen (16), Twenty-one (21), twenty-eight (28) and thirty-three (33) in Township forty-five (45) South, range thirty-four (34) East;

Thence continuing south along the west section line of Sections four (4), nine (9), sixteen (16), twenty-one (21), twenty-eight (28) and thirty-three (33), in Township forty-six (46) South, Range thirty-four (34) East;

Thence east along the Township line between Townships forty-six (46) South and forty-seven (47) South,

to the southeast corner of Township forty-six (46) South, Range thirty-seven (37) East;

Thence north along the range line between ranges thirty-seven (37) and Thirty-eight (38) East to the center of Township Forty-five (45) South, Range thirty-seven (37) East;

Thence east along the center of said Township Forty-five (45) South, Range thirty-eight (38) East, to the intersection of the Hillsboro Canal;

Thence northwesterly along the center line of said Hillsboro Canal to the intersection of Hillsboro Canal with the range line dividing Ranges thirty-seven (37) and thirty-eight (38) East;

Thence north along said range line to the south line of Township forty-two (42) South, Range thirty-seven (37) East to the point of beginning.

Provided, that the lands within the above described district extending into Lake Okeechobee beyond the shore line of said lake and not described within the Everglades patent obtained from the United States, shall be

and are hereby excluded from the above description and the operation of this Act.

The land descriptions under this Act, the boundaries of the District and the boundaries of Units Numbers One, Two and Three herein specified are in accordance with the official map of the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund adopted and approved January 2nd, A. D. 1905, and official maps of the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida amendatory thereto.

Amendment No. 2:

Amend said bill by striking both the Sections numbered 5, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 5. The lands within said District held by the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund shall be subject to the taxes hereby imposed, and said Trustees, in furtherance of the trust upon which said lands are held, are hereby authorized and empowered to pay the same out of any funds in their possession derived from the sale of lands.

That the proceedings under the provisions of this Act shall be subject to the consideration and approval of the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District, and the Chief Engineer of the Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Drainage District, and the Board of Supervisors herein created shall consult the Chief Drainage Engineer concerning all matters pertaining to the drainage and reclamation and roadway construction operations under the provisions of this Act, and in accordance with the general laws of the State of Florida, relating to the co-operation between the officers of the sub-drainage districts and the Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Drainage District of Florida.

That for the purpose of constructing, completing and maintaining the works of drainage and reclamation, highway construction, road construction and other public works herein provided and hereby authorized for the improvement, benefit, maintenance and protection of the lands in said district, annual assessments of taxes shall be, and are hereby, levied and imposed upon all the lands and each and every acre thereof situated within said District as follows, to-wit:

That upon the following described lands in said District, all being in Townships south of the Tallahassee

parallel and in Ranges east of the Tallahassee meridian, in the State of Florida, to-wit:

In Township forty-three (43), Range thirty-five (35):

Fractional Sections nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-eight (28), all of Sections twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33); fractional Section thirty-four (34);

Also—

Township forty-three (43), Range thirty-six (36):

Fractional Sections twelve (12), thirteen (13), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), thirty-one (31) and thirty-six (36);

Also—

Township forty-three (43), Range thirty-seven (37):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35) and thirty-six (36);

Also—

Township forty-three (43), Range thirty-four (34):

Sections nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35) and thirty-six (36);

Also—

Township forty-four (44); Range thirty-seven (37):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-four (44); Range thirty-six (36):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-four (44); Range thirty-five (35):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-four (44); Range thirty-four (34):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-five (45); Range thirty-seven (37):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31),

thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-five (45); Range thirty-six (36):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-five (45); Range thirty-five (35):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-five (45); Range thirty-four (34):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-six (46); Range thirty-seven (37):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31),

thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-six (46); Range thirty-six (36):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-six (46); Range thirty-five (35):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-six (46); Range thirty-four (34):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-five (45), Range thirty-eight (38):

That part of Section three (3) west of the Hillsboro Canal; all of Sections four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8) and nine (9) and ten (10); that part of Section eleven (11) west of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section fourteen (14) west of the Hillsboro Canal; all of Sections fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17) and eighteen (18);

Also—

Township forty-four (44), Range thirty-eight (38):

That part of Section eighteen (18) west of the Hillsboro Canal; all Section nineteen (19); that part of Section twenty (20) west of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Sections twenty-eight (28) and twenty-nine (29) west of the Hillsboroughs Canal; all of Sections thirty (30), thirty-one (31) and thirty-two (32); all that part of Sections thirty-three (33) and thirty-four (34) west of the Hillsboro Canal;

Also the following lands appearing on a map of the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund amendatory to the map approved January 2nd, A. D. 1905, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4) five (5) and six (6), between Townships forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) South, Range thirty-seven (37) East;

Lots one (1), two (2), three (3) four (4) five (5), six (6), Township forty-four (44) South, between Ranges thirty-six and thirty-seven (37) East;

Lots One (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5) and six (6), Township forty-five (45) South, between Ranges thirty-six (36) and thirty-seven (37) East;

Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5) and six (6), Township forty-six (46) South, between Ranges thirty-six (36) and thirty-seven (37) East;

Biatus between Townships forty-five (45) and forty-six (46) South, Range thirty-seven (37) East, for the purposes of this Act described and designated as Lot "A," between Townships forty-five (45) and forty-six (46) South, Range thirty-seven (37) East, a tax of Ten (10c) Cents per acre is hereby levied annually, including the year A. D. 1919, and annually thereafter.

Amendment No. 3:

Amend said Act by adding a new section at the end of Section 5, to be known as Section 5-A, to read as follows:

Section 5-A. That for the purpose of constructing the canals, roadways, dikes, reservoirs, ditches and other improvements under the provisions of this Act, a Unit System has been defined and prepared by the Chief Drainage Engineer of the Everglades Drainage District, which is hereby created and identified as Unit Number 1 un-

der the provisions of this Act; and for the further purpose of constructing and maintaining the canals and roadways contemplated under the provisions of this Act and the works of drainage and reclamation and improvement hereby authorized, said Unit Number 1 is hereby created for the benefit and improvement and protection of the lands in said Unit Number 1 within the boundaries of said Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District. The Chief Drainage Engineer of the Everglades Drainage District having examined into the necessities and requirements relating to the benefits, improvements and protection of the lands within said Unit Number 1 in said District, and having ascertained that an amount equal to approximately five and 10/100 (\$5.10) dollars per acre would be required to accomplish the purposes contemplated by this Act, and that the benefits accruing to each acre of land lying and being situate within said Unit Number 1 of said Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District would be equal to and greater than the estimate of five and 10/100 (\$5.10) dollars per acre, which is hereby assessed against each acre of land in said District as the benefits accruing and to accrue under the provisions of this Act as is herein provided. That annual assessments of taxes shall be, and are hereby, levied and imposed upon all the land within said Unit Number 1 of said Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District, as follows, to-wit:

That upon the following described lands in said Unit Number 1, being all of said lands within said Unit of said Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District, and being in Townships south of the Tallahassee parallel and in Ranges east of the Tallahassee meridian, in the State of Florida, to-wit:

Unit Number 1:

Township forty-three (43), Range thirty-six (36):

That part of Section twenty-five (25) South of the Hillsboro Canal, fractional Section thirty-one (31) and that part of Section thirty-six (36) South of the Hillsboro Canal.

Also—

Township forty-four, Range thirty-six:

Fractional Sections one (1), four (4), five (5), six (6); all Sections thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nine-

teen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35) and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-four, Range thirty-five:

Fractional Section one (1); that part of fractional Section two (2), lying east of the Miami Canal; all that part of Section eleven (11), lying east of the Miami Canal; all of Sections twelve (12) thirteen (13); that part of Section fourteen (14) lying east of the Miami Canal; that part of Section fifteen (15) lying east of the Miami Canal; that part of Section twenty-two (22) lying east of the Miami Canal; all of Sections twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26); all that part of Section twenty-seven (27) lying east of the Miami Canal; all that part of Section thirty-four (34) lying east of the Miami Canal; all of Sections thirty-five (35) and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-five (45), Range thirty-five (35):

All of Sections one (1), two (2), three (3); that part of Section four (4) lying east of the Miami Canal; all that part of Section nine (9) lying east of the Miami Canal; all Sections ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15); all that part of Section sixteen (16) lying east of the Miami Canal;

Also—

Township forty-five (45), Range thirty-six (36):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), and eighteen (18);

Also—

Township forty-five (45), Range thirty-seven (37):

Sections one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17) and eighteen (18);

Also—

Township forty-five (45), Range thirty-eight (38):

That part of Section three (3), lying west of the Hillsboro Canal; all of Sections four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10); all of Section eleven lying west of the Hillsboro Canal; all that part of Section thirteen (13), lying west of the Hillsboro Canal; all that part of Section fourteen (14) lying west of the Hillsboro Canal; all Sections fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17) and eighteen (18);

Also—

Township forty-four (44); Range thirty-eight (38):

All of Sections eighteen (18) and nineteen (19); that part of Section twenty (20) lying west of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section twenty-eight (28) lying west of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section twenty-nine (29) lying west of the Hillsboro Canal; all of Section thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32); that part of Section thirty-three (33) lying west of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section thirty-four (34) lying west of the Hillsboro Canal.

Also—

Township forty-four (44); Range thirty-seven (37):

All that part of Section three (3) lying south of the Hillsboro Canal; all that part of Section four (4) lying south of the Hillsboro Canal; all of Sections five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10); that part of Section eleven (11) lying south of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section twelve (12) lying south of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section thirteen (13) lying south of the Hillsboro Canal; all Sections fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35), and thirty-six (36).

Also—

Township forty-three (43); Range thirty-seven (37):

That part of Section thirty-two (32) lying south of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section thirty-one (31) lying south of the Hillsboro Canal; also, that part of lots five (5) and six (6), between Townships forty-four (44) and forty-three (43), Range thirty-seven (37), south

of Hillsboro Canal; also lots one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), five (5), and six (6), between Ranges thirty-six (36) and thirty-seven (37) in Township forty-four (44); lots one (1), two (2) and three (3), between Ranges thirty-six (36) and thirty-seven (37), in Township forty-five (45) South.

A tax of forty (40c) per acre in addition to the tax of ten (10c) cents per acre levied on the land within the entire district, is hereby levied annually, including the year A. D. 1919 and annually thereafter.

That upon the following described lands in said Unit Number 2, being all of said lands within said Unit of said Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District, and being in Township South of the Tallahassee parallel and in Ranges East of the Tallahassee Meridian, in the State of Florida, to-wit:

Unit No. 2:

Township forty-three (43), Range thirty-five (35):

Fractional Section nineteen (19); fractional Section twenty (20); fractional Section twenty-eight (28); all of Sections twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32), thirty-three (33); fractional Section thirty-four (34);

Also—

Township forty-four (44), Range thirty-five (35):

Fractional Section two (2) west of the Miami Canal; all Sections three (3), four (4), five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10); that part of Section eleven (11) lying west of the Miami Canal; that part of Section fourteen (14) lying west of the Miami Canal; that part of Section fifteen (15) lying west of the Miami Canal; all of Sections sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20) and twenty-one (21); that part of Section twenty-two (22) lying west of the Miami Canal; that part of Section twenty-seven (27) lying west of the Miami Canal; all of Sections twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33); that part of Section thirty-four (34) lying west of the Miami Canal;

Also—

Township forty-five (45), Range thirty-five (35):

That part of Section four (4) lying west of the Miami Canal; all of Sections five (5), six (6); seven (7), eight

(8); that part of Section nine (9) lying west of the Miami Canal; that part of Section sixteen (16) lying west of the Miami Canal; all of Section seventeen, all of Section eighteen (18).

A tax of forty (40) cents per acre, in addition to the tax of ten (10c) cents per acre levied on the land within the entire District, is hereby levied annually, including the year A. D. 1920, and annually thereafter.

That upon the following described lands in said Unit Number 3, being all of said lands within said Unit of said Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District, and being in Townships South of the Tallahassee parallel in Ranges East of the Tallahassee Meridian, in the State of Florida, to-wit:

Unit Number 3:

Township forty-three (43) Range thirty-seven (37):

All of Sections one (1), two (2), three (3) and four (4); fractional Section five (5), fractional Section seven (7); fractional Section eight (8); all of Sections nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13), fourteen (14), fifteen (15), sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty-one (21), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27), twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29) and thirty (30); that part of Section thirty-one (31) lying north of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section thirty-two (32) lying north of the Hillsboro Canal; all of Sections thirty-three (33), thirty-four (34), thirty-five (35) and thirty-six (36);

Also—

Township forty-four (44), Range thirty-seven (37):

All of Sections one (1) and two (2); that part of Section three (3) lying north of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section four (4) lying north of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section eleven (11) lying north of the Hillsboro Canal; that part of Section twelve (12) lying north of the Hillsboro Canal; also lots one (1), two (2) and three (3), and that part of lots four (4) and five (5) lying north of the Hillsboro Canal, between Townships forty-three (43) and forty-four (44) Range thirty-seven (37).

Also—

Township forty-three (43), Range thirty-six (36):

Fractional Section Twelve (12); Fractional Section Thirteen (13); Fractional Section Twenty-three (23); Fractional Section Twenty-four (24); Fractional Section Twenty-five, lying north of the Hillsboro Canal, and Fractional Section Thirty-six (36) lying north of the Hillsboro Canal; a tax of Forty (40c) cents per acre, in addition to the tax of Ten (10c) cents per acre levied on the land within the entire District, is hereby levied annually, including the year A. D. 1920 and annually thereafter.

That for the purposes of this Act all taxes levied hereunder, whether on the lands within the entire Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District, the lands within Unit Number 1, Unit Number 2, or Unit Number 3, for the amounts levied and assessed as benefits, respectively, under the provisions of this Act, shall be considered, declared and construed to be a drainage tax under the provisions of this Act to be used for the purposes herein specified and authorized in the form and manner set forth herein; and the Tax Assessor and Tax Collector of each county within which said lands are situate shall assess in the manner and form herein provided and as is provided under the general laws of Florida relating to the powers and duties of Tax Assessors and the regulations and forms prescribed for carrying out the provisions of the law in the performance of the duties of Tax Assessors, and that the Tax Collector shall collect said taxes as is herein specified, including taxes assessed for benefits and improvements, in the same manner and form as is provided for herein, including sale for the non-payment of said taxes, and as is further provided for in the laws relating to the assessment and collection of taxes for State and county purposes in Florida.

Amendment No. 4:

Strike all that portion of Section 28, after the words "from time to time" in the second line of page 40, down to and including the words "being the point of beginning," said portion so stricken commencing on page 40 of said bill and ending on the next succeeding page, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

The first of said Units shall be described and bounded as follows:

Beginning at the junction of the Hillsboro Canal and the shore line of Lake Okeechobee, in Section Twenty-five

(25); Township Forty-three (43) South, Range Thirty-six (36) East;

Thence in a westerly direction along the south shore line of Lake Okeechobee to the intersection of said shore line with the Miami Canal at Rita;

Thence southerly along the center of said Miami Canal to the south line of Section Sixteen (16), in Township Forty-five (45), South, Range Thirty-five (35) East;

Thence east along the Section line dividing Sections Sixteen (16) and Twenty-one (21), Fifteen (15) and Twenty-two (22), Fourteen (14) and Twenty-three (23), Thirteen (13) and Twenty-four (24), in Township Forty-five (45), South, Range Thirty-five (35) East, and the Section line between Sections Eighteen (18) and Nineteen (19), Seventeen (17) and Twenty (20), Sixteen (16) and Twenty-one (21), Fifteen (15) and Twenty-two (22), Fourteen (14) and Twenty-three (23), Thirteen (13) and Twenty-four (24), in Township Forty-five (45), South, Range Thirty-six (36) East; thence continuing east through the center of Township Forty-five (45) South, Range Thirty-seven (37) East, and Township Forty-five (45) South, Range Thirty-eight (38) East, to intersection with the Hillsboro Canal;

Thence along the center of Hillsboro Canal in a north-westerly direction to the shore line of Lake Okeechobee, being the point of beginning.

The second unit of said District shall be bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the Miami Canal with the south shore line of Lake Okeechobee, thence extending in a southerly direction along the center of said Miami Canal to the south line of Section sixteen (16), in Township forty-five (45) South, Range thirty-five (35) East;

Thence west along the Section line dividing Sections sixteen (16) and twenty-one (21), seventeen (17) and twenty (20), eighteen (18) and nineteen (19), in Township forty-five (45) South, Range thirty-five (35) East;

Thence north along the Range line dividing Ranges thirty-four (34) and thirty-five (35) East, to the south shore line of Lake Okeechobee;

Thence southeasterly along the said shore line, meandering the south shore of Lake Okeechobee to the center of the center of the Miami Canal in Section two (2), Township forty-four (44) South, Range thirty-five (35) East, being the point of beginning.

The third unit of said District shall be bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the south shore line of Lake Okeechobee at the junction of the Hillsboro Canal, extending in a southeasterly direction along the center line of said Hillsboro Canal to its junction with the Range line dividing Ranges thirty-seven (37) and thirty-eight (38);

Thence north along said Range line to the south Township line of Township forty-two (42) South;

Thence west along the south Township line of Township forty-two (42) South, to the east shore line of Lake Okeechobee;

Thence in a southwesterly direction meandering along the boundary of said Lake Okeechobee to the intersection with the Hillsboro Canal, being the point of beginning.

That the levy of drainage taxes and the assessment of benefits to the lands within the said Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District and assessed benefits of lands described in Units Number 1, 2 and 3 under the provisions of this Act, are fixed and made independently of the provisions of said Act relating to the assessment of benefits in Units mentioned herein under the plan prescribed authorizing the Board of Supervisors, under certain conditions and circumstances, to assess benefits and levy taxes, and are to be carried into effect under the provisions of this Act by the Board of Supervisors, the Tax Assessor, and Tax Collector as is herein provided. And the bonds authorized by this Act shall be issued pursuant to resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors, which shall recite the total amount of benefits assessed upon the property within the Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District, Unit Number 1, Unit Number 2 and Unit Number 3, as levied and assessed under the provisions of this Act. The amount of the taxes so levied and assessed under the provisions of this Act shall be defined and designated as the "Drainage Tax" and so stated in the resolution; the amount of bonds previously issued, the amount of notes or other evidences of indebtedness outstanding, including the amount of warrants that may be issued in anticipation of taxes levied herein, which shall not exceed as an outstanding obligation of said District and said Units Numbers 1, 2 and 3, One Million Five Hundred Thousand (\$1,500,000.00) Dollars, and such resolution shall be sufficiently full to show the benefits assessed, the various units defined, and the taxes levied

for each of the several unit developments, and the taxes levied on the lands of the entire district for the developments herein provided for. The statements so made in the resolution shall be deemed binding by the Board of Supervisors and the bonds issued hereunder shall make similar recitals of facts which the Board of Supervisors shall prescribe.

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 442:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1271 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to analysis of fertilizer by State Chemist, method of procuring such analysis, and effect of the same.

Which amendments are as follows:

No. 1:

In Section 1, lines 10 and 11, strike out the words "bottled, corked", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "placed in glass or tin container."

No. 2:

In Section 1, line 22, strike out the words "Commissioner of Agriculture" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "State Chemist."

No. 3:

In Section 1, line 25, strike out the words "Commissioner of Agriculture" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Officer making the analysis."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 804:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the open and closed season for the hunting of squirrels in Washington County, Florida, and providing penalty for the violation of this Act.

Which are as follows:

Amendment No. 1. In Section 1, line 3, after the word "Washington," add: "and Bay."

Amendment No. 2. In Section 1, after the word "Washington" add: "and Bay."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 837:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant certain water front riparian rights and submerged lands in Biscayne Bay east of the City of Miami, Florida, to the City of Miami, in Dade County, Florida.

Which amendment is as follows:

Add to Section 1: "Nothing in this Act shall affect, or

be construed to apply to any island or islands within boundary lines above described."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendments to—

House Bill No. 773:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the office of Mayor of the City of Jacksonville, prescribing his jurisdiction, powers and duties and fixing his compensation, and providing for the calling of an election at which this Act shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said city for ratification or rejection.

Which amendments are as follows:

1. In Section 1, at the end of the section add: "Candidates for the office of Mayor at the first election under this Act shall qualify as now provided by law not less than seven days before said election."

2. Strike out the title, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A bill to be entitled An Act creating the office of Mayor of the City of Jacksonville, prescribing his jurisdiction, powers and duties, fixing his compensation and providing for the submission of this Act to the qualified electors of said city for ratification or rejection."

3. In Section 2, line 12, strike out the words and figures "\$3,000.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars."

4. In Section 3, lines 14, 15 and 16, strike out the words and figures as follows: "Provided, however, that the City Council may increase the salary of the Mayor to a sum not exceeding Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars per annum."

5. In Section 2, add the words: "Provided, however, that the Mayor shall always be entitled to his compensation at the rate herein provided for, whether engaged in the discharge of his official duties within or beyond the limits of said city."

6. In Section 3, line of page 2, after the words "City Commission", add "and officers or employees under them."

7. In Section 3, at the end of the Section, add the following: "He shall be the host of the city on all public occasions."

8. Strike out Section 5, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "This Act shall not take effect nor be operative unless the same shall be approved by the affirmative vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the City voting for the approval and against the approval of this Act at the general election to be held on the third Tuesday in June, A. D. 1919. It shall be the duty of the City Commission to prepare and furnish all necessary blanks and ballots for the submission of this Act at said election, and the general ballots or special ballots may be used for said purpose as the City Commission may determine. The ballots so used shall give the electors an opportunity to vote for the approval or against the approval of this Act, and the title thereof shall be printed on the ballot immediately following the word "For Approval" and "Against Approval", which shall be a sufficient designation on the ballot. It shall also be the duty of the City Commission to publish this Act at least twice before said election in each of the daily newspapers published in the City of Jacksonville."

9. Strike out Section 6.

10. In Section 7, strike out the number of the Section 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following figure "6".

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 755:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida to sell all of the moss, standing timber and fallen timber and logs in the dead lakes in Calhoun County, Florida.

With Senate amendment as follows:

Add, at end of Section 1, the following: "The money received from such sale or sales shall be placed in State School Fund."

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., June 4, 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 concurred in Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 166:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1492 of the General Statutes of Florida, as amended by Chapter 5902, Acts of 1909, of the State of Florida, relating to challenge of jurors.

Which amendment is as follows:

In Section 2, strike out the last sentence of said paragraph.

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, June 4, 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 stricken the enacting clause from—

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 167:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the protection of game and birds in the State of Florida, providing for the appointment of State Game Warden and for his compensation and prescribing his duties; providing for the employment of deputy game wardens and their compensation; creating a State Game Fund; making a temporary appropriation to carry out the provisions of this Act, and providing for the enforcement thereof.

Very respectfully,

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

By consent—

Mr. Hughlett introduced—
Senate Bill No. 517:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create the office of Commissioner of Immigration and Publicity for the State of Florida; defining duties and powers and providing for necessary assistants, and removal of such officer or assistants and making appropriation therefor.

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

Mr. Stokes moved that Senate Bill No. 516 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 516:

A bill to be entitled An Act to appropriate the sum of twenty thousand dollars per annum, to be divided equally between Florida State Fair and Exposition Association,

Inc., and South Florida Fair and Gasparilla Carnival, Inc., to aid in making displays of the agricultural, horticultural, forestry, live stock, mineral, industrial and other resources of the State of Florida and to influence and increase competition among the producers that will tend to improve the quality and character of all products of the State of Florida, and give publicity to same, and induce attendance of exhibitors and patrons at the annual exhibitions of Florida State Fair and Exhibition Association, Inc., and South Florida Fair and Gasparilla Carnival, Inc., and to authorize the payments therefor.

Mr. Stokes offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 516:

In Section 1, after the word "Inc." in lines 4, 19, 25 and 33; and in Section 2, after the word "Inc." in line 6, insert the following: "The Escambia County Fair Association, a corporation."

Mr. Stokes moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Stokes offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 516:

In Section 1, line 15, strike out "two" and insert in lieu thereof "Three."

Mr. Stokes moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Stokes offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 516:

In Section 1, line 1, strike out "Twenty" and insert in lieu thereof: "Thirty."

Mr. Stokes moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 516:

In Section 1, line 4, after the word "Inc." insert the following: "The West Florida Fair Association."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 516:

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

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Mathis moved to indefinitely postpone Senate Bill No. 516.

Which was agreed to.
And the bill was indefinitely postponed.

By consent—

Mr. Igou introduced—

Senate Bill No. 518:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Board of Health to sell any property acquired under the provisions of Chapter 6894, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, not necessary in the carrying on of the work of said Board.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 518 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 518 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 518 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. 518 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, Crawford, Crosby, Hughlett, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, King, Lowry, MacWilliams, Malone, Mathis, McLeod, Moore, Oliver, Plympton, Roland, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Stokes, 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.

By consent—

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—
Senate Bill No. 510:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to

W. H. H. Ailmon, and providing for the payment thereof.

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

Very respectfully,

W. J. CROSBY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 510, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

By consent—

Mr. Cash, Chairman of the Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 478:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Board of Public Instruction to employ necessary clerical assistance.

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

Very respectfully,

W. T. CASH,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 478, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

By consent—

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 3, 1919.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 506:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 7328 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1917, the same being entitled An Act to amend Chapter 6883 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1915, the same being entitled An Act providing for the creation of a State Road Department; providing for the appointment of the members of such department; prescribing their duties and powers; providing for the employment of a State Road Commissioner, and creating a fund for the maintenance thereof, providing for the selection of a chairman for such department and fixing his compensation; providing for the employment of a State Highway Engineer and other employees of such department; providing a system of State and State aid roads and prohibiting certain transactions by members and employees of such department and providing penalty for violation of certain provisions of this Act.

Have examined Senate Bill No. 506 and find the same correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. A. McLEOD,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 506, contained in the above report, was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Cash moved that the time for adjournment be extended to 5:35 o'clock p. m.

Which was agreed to.

By consent—

M. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 121):

An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 6426 of the Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act relating to the incorporation and to authorization and supervision thereof by the Com-

troller and regulating the management and conduct of banks and banking companies, and to repeal Sections 2694, 2698, 2702, and 2709 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to banks and banking and providing penalties," approved June 7th, 1913.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 333):

An Act providing for the protection of the public roads and bridges of Marion County, and prescribing the manner and mode of using said public roads and bridges by motor trucks and trailers, log carts, and timber wagons, and other vehicles, and regulating the operation of such motor trucks and other vehicles, and prescribing the conditions under which log carts and timber wagons may be permitted by the Board of County Commissioners to operate on the public roads and bridges of Marion County, and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 37):

An Act defining venereal diseases, regulating and suppressing such diseases, requiring the separating of cases thereof; authorizing the examination, treatment and isolation of persons infected therewith; giving health authorities certain power over jails and prisons in connection therewith; authorizing the State Board of Health to promulgate rules and regulations relating thereto and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act or any rule or regulation passed or promulgated by the State Board of Health under the authority of this Act; authorizing towns, cities or counties to make donations to assist in the enforcement of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 499):

An Act granting and confirming riparian rights and submerged and filled in lands.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,
Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.
The bills contained in the above report were duly signed

by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

The Joint Committee, to whom was referred—

(Senate Bill No. 379):

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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 187):

An Act relating to the receivership of State banks and trust companies, limiting the time in which claims must be filed with the Receiver.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 369):

An Act to amend Chapter 5923, Laws of Florida, approved June 8, 1909, entitled "An Act to provide for stay of execution of sentence to fine in Justice of the Peace courts and County Judges' courts."

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 390):

An Act to appropriate certain books to the use of the College of Law, University of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 186):

An Act providing for the sale of shares in banking or banking and trust companies or savings banks organized under the laws of the State of Florida, when shareholders fail or refuse to pay assessments against such shares made as provided by law.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 228):

An Act creating and providing for the organization and management of a State Farm Colony for epileptic and feeble-minded and to make an appropriation therefor.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 163):

An Act to amend Section 3969 of the General Statutes of Florida relating to *caipias* and arraignment.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 420):

An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 6456, Acts of 1913, Laws of Florida, relating to the creation of the Everglades Drainage District of the State of Florida, defining its boundaries, describing its powers and authorizing the levy and collecting of taxes and assessments upon the lands in said district for the purpose of draining and reclaiming the said lands and carrying into effect the provisions of said Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 464):

An Act to prevent the introduction into and dissemination within the State of Florida of contagious and infectious diseases of honey bees; providing for the eradication of bee diseases; authorizing the State Plant Board of Florida to make rules and regulation for carrying out the provisions of this Act; prescribing a penalty for violations and providing an appropriation for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—
Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4th, 1919.

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

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—
(Senate Bill No. 405):

An Act to amend Section 21, Chapter 7199, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Mt. Dora, Florida; to legalize the ordinances of said Town and all official acts thereunder; to create and establish the municipality of the Town of Mt. Dora, in Lake County, Florida, and to provide its jurisdiction and powers and officers therefor," approved May 25th, 1915.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 204):

An Act for the relief of W. Z. Haymans, former County Commissioner, District No. 1, Volusia County, Florida, for loss of compensation during his suspension from office.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 437):

An Act to authorize the City of Tampa to acquire property either within or without the corporate limits of said City for park purposes and to authorize the said City to use the power of eminent domain for the acquisition of such property.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 203):

An Act for the relief of Duncan G. McBride, former County Commissioner, District No. 3, Volusia County, Florida for loss of compensation during suspension from office.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we here-

with present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of
the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—
(Senate Bill No. 7):

An Act to provide for the redemption and sale of tax certificates held by the State of Florida, covering lands sold to the State, and to prescribe the duties of the Clerks of the Circuit Court in connection therewith.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 212):

An Act regulating the compensation of County Solicitors, and manner of payment thereof, in counties having less than ninety thousand population and having less than two Circuit Judges.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 295):

An Act to amend Section ten of Chapter 6971, Laws of Florida, entitled An Act concerning Building and Loan Associations.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 4):

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 five dollars 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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 49):

An Act to authorize the consolidation of Special Tax School Districts in the State of Florida, and to provide for the liabilities, government, powers and management thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 106):

An Act to amend Chapter 7325 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1917, the same being entitled "An Act to create a State Convict Road Force and to authorize the working of certain prisoners on same; to provide for their housing, feeding, clothing, guarding and general care; to provide for their transportation, supervision and the general conditions under which they shall be worked."

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 396):

An Act to incorporate and establish a municipal government for the Town of Monticello, in the County of Jefferson and State of Florida, provide for its government, prescribe its jurisdiction and powers, and to abolish the present corporation of said town.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 109):

An Act relating to service of process upon minors and guardians ad litem, and providing for the curing of defects of such service.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 270):

An Act fixing and providing for the salaries of State Attorneys in large and populous circuits.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 134):

An Act requiring that the Comptroller of the State be made a party to all suits brought to cancel or contest the validity of any tax certificate held by the State.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith

present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4th, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

The Joint Committee, to whom was referred—
(Senate Bill No. 460):

An Act to fix the pay of members, officers and attaches of the Legislature of the State of Florida for session of 1919 and providing for certain expenses of the same.

Have carefully examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bill contained in the above report was duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton, chairman of the Joint Committee on En-

rolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

The Joint Committee, to whom was referred—
(House Bill No. 735):

An Act for the appointment, compensation, expenses, duties and powers of probation officers in counties of ninety thousand (90,000) or more population and having two or more Circuit Court Judges.

Also—

(House Bill No. 622):

An Act to amend Chapter 7139, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to create, establish and organize a municipality in the County of Pasco and State of Florida, to be known and designated as Dade City; to define its territorial boundaries, jurisdiction, powers and privileges; and to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Dade City."

Also—

(House Bill No. 191):

An Act amending Section 2481 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, providing for acknowledgments and proofs of execution of instruments to be made in foreign countries and validating certain acknowledgments and proofs of the same heretofore had and taken in foreign countries.

Also—

(House Bill No. 737):

An Act to authorize Broward County to improve the navigation of New River within said county; to construct, build and maintain ports and harbors within said county, and to issue bonds in said thereof; to provide for the securing and payment of said bonds, and for other purposes properly connected therewith.

Also—

(House Bill No. 627):

An Act to validate the action taken and agreed to be taken by the city of South Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida, in making public improvements to the housing

project of the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation within said city and in issuing bonds to provide funds therefor.

(House Bill No. 794):

An Act legalizing, validating and confirming the creation of Special Tax School District No. 4, in Hillsborough County, Florida, bounded as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 7, Township 29 South, Range 19 East, run thence South one-half mile, thence East one-half mile, thence South to Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks, thence Easterly along said Seaboard Air Line Railway tracks to a point one-quarter of a mile West of the East line of Section 17, Township 29, South, Range 19 East, thence South to the North line of Section 29, Township 29 South, Range 19 East, thence West to Northwest corner of Section 29, Township Twenty-nine South, Range 19 East, thence South along 22nd Street in the City of Tampa to a point where said line intersects the South line of Sections 32, 33 and 34, Township 29 South, Range 18 East, if projected East, thence West to Old Tampa Bay, thence Northerly along the waters of said bay to a point where a line one-half mile North of the South line of Sections 20, 21 and 22, Township 29, South, Range 18 East, intersects the waters of old Tampa Bay, thence East along said last-mentioned line to the Hillsborough River, thence Northwesterly along said river to the half-mile line running East and West through the center of Section 11, Township 29 South, Range 18 East, thence along said line to point of beginning, situate in Hillsborough County, Florida, and the election held on February 26, 1914, and all proceedings incident thereto, for the purpose of creating said Special Tax School District, and the election held in said Special Tax School District on January 7, 1919, for the selection of Trustees of said District and for fixing the tax millage to be levied and collected therein.

Also—

(House Bill No. 787):

An Act providing that certain territory in Brevard County, Florida, described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point where the South line of the Delespine grant intersects the middle of the St. Johns river, said point being in the western boundary line of Brevard County; thence run northeasterly along

the south line of said Delespine grant and continuation of the same to a point in the center of the Indian river; thence northerly along the center of the Indian river to the north line of Township 23 South; thence east, following the township line to the Atlantic Ocean, or eastern boundary line of Brevard County aforesaid; thence northwesterly along the Atlantic Ocean, same being the eastern boundary of Brevard County aforesaid to a point which is due east of a point in the center line of the Haulover Canal at the northeast end of said canal in Township 20 South, Range 36 East, thence west to said point in the center of Haulover Canal at its northeast and thence southwesterly along a line drawn through the center of said Haulover canal and continuation thereof to the point of the Indian River where said continuation of said line drawn through the center of Haulover canal intersects the north line of Township 21 South, thence along said north line of Township 21 South to the center of the Indian River, thence southerly along the center of the Indian River aforesaid to a point due east of the northeast corner of Section 33, Township 21 South, Range 35 East; thence west to said northeast corner of said Section 33; thence south to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of said section 33; thence west to the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of said Section 33, Twp. 21 South, Range 35 East; thence south to the south line of Township 21 South; thence west along said township line to the western line of Brevard County aforesaid; thence running in a generally southeasterly direction along the western line of Brevard County aforesaid to the point or place of beginning may be constituted into a special road and bridge district under the provisions of Chapter 6208, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1911, and its amendments, notwithstanding the fact that said territory is embraced wholly or in part in one or more special road and bridge districts as at this time constituted.

Also—

(House Bill No. 151):

An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 7294 of the Acts of 1917, of the Laws of Florida, being An Act creating a State Fire Insurance Fund and authorizing the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions to insure all property of the State in such fund, and directing the State Treas-

urer to keep a record of all matters necessary for carrying out the provisions of this bill.

Also—

(House Bill No. 643):

An Act to allow the Board of Bond Trustees for Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 of Alachua County, Florida, to borrow money for general road and bridge purposes, and relating to the road fund collected within said district.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee Fla., June 4, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

The Joint Committee to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 766):

An Act relating to South Lake Worth Inlet District, and to amend Sections 5, 6, 8 and 9 of An Act entitled "An Act to create and incorporate a Special Taxing District in Palm Beach County, Florida, to be known as South Lake Worth Inlet District, embracing all of Townships forty-four (44) and forty-five (45) South, Range forty-three (43) East, and all of Townships forty-four (44) and forty-five (45) South, Range forty-two (42) East, and to prescribe the boundaries of

said District, and to provide for the government and administration of the same, and to prescribe and define the powers and purposes of said District and of the Board of Commissioners thereof, and to authorize said Board to construct an inlet in said District to connect the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean and all other works necessary or proper in connection therewith, and to empower said Board to levy and provide for the collection of taxes upon all the taxable property in said District for said purposes and other purposes authorized by this Act, and to authorize said Board to borrow money and to issue and sell bonds and procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act, and to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and generally to create and provide the powers of such district for the construction and maintenance of an inlet in said District connecting the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean," approved June 5th, 1915, being Chapter 7080, Laws of Florida, and to provide for the appointment under certain circumstances of the Board of Commissioners of said District, and for other purposes relating to said District.

Also—

(House Bill No. 133):

An Act providing a method of obtaining final discharge and settlement by executors and administrators and for the giving of notice thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 88):

An Act to amend Section 132 of Article 5 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida relative to, "May Deposit Money in Banks of the State."

Also—

(House Bill No. 849):

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Okeechobee County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants not to exceed the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars for the purpose of transcribing portions of the records of Santa Rosa and Walton Counties, relating to lands and property now in Okaloosa County.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we here-

with present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1919.

Hon. James E. Calkins,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

The Joint Committee, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 780):

An Act to amend Section 165 of Article 15, relating to the compensation of officers and employees of the Charter of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida, adopted by the qualified electors of said city at a special election held on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1915, under the provisions of An Act authorizing cities and towns to amend their charter and to adopt charters for their government, being Chapter 6940 of the Laws of Florida, Acts 1915, and which charter is recorded in accordance with the provisions of said Chapter 6940 in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pinellas County, in incorporation Record No. 1, on page 263 et seq., and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida in Municipal Charters Book No. 1 on page 1 et seq., and to provide for the ratification of same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 781):

An Act to extend and enlarge the territorial limits of Special Road and Bridge District Number 4, of Palm Beach County, Florida, by adding additional territory to said district; to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County,

Florida, to build certain hard-surfaced highways and bridges within said district and for and on behalf of said district; to require said Board of County Commissioners to call an election of the qualified voters of said district to vote upon the question of issuing bonds of said district for the purpose of constructing said highways and bridges; to authorize said Board of County Commissioners to issue and dispose of said bonds if such election shall be carried in the affirmative and to authorize said Board of County Commissioners to levy taxes for the payment of the principal and interest to accrue on said bonds.

Also—

(House Bill No. 738):

An Act to ratify, approve, validate and confirm all the acts, proceedings, contracts and records of the Napoleon B. Broward Drainage District, its Board of Supervisors, its officers and agents, had or done pursuant to and under the provisions of Chapter 7430, as amended by Chapter 7758, Laws of Florida, and of the officers of said county thereunder, and all assessments made and taxes collected and levied thereunder and a certain issue of bonds of the par value of nineteen thousand (\$19,000.00) dollars, bearing date on the 16th day of January, 1919, which bonds were validated on the 15th day of March, 1919, by the Circuit Court Judge of Broward County, Florida, and to cure and validate each informality or irregularity in connection therewith.

Also—

(House Bill No. 755):

An Act to authorize the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida to sell all of the moss, standing timber and fallen timber and logs in the dead lakes in Calhoun County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 833):

An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the County of Bay, State of Florida, on the fifth day of November, A. D. 1918, to determine whether compulsory systematic tick eradication work, and the compulsory dipping of cattle should be conducted in said County.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we here-

with present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

By consent—

Mr. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

The Joint Committee, to whom was referred—
(House Bill No. 818):

An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, on the 5th day of November, 1918, A. D., to determine whether compulsory systematic tick eradication work, and the compulsory dipping of cattle should be conducted in said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 840):

An Act to legalize and validate the election held in County of St. Lucie, State of Florida, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1918, to determine whether the compulsory systematic tick eradication work and the compulsory dipping of cattle be conducted in the said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 798):

An Act to regulate and protect the fishing industry in the fresh water lakes, rivers, streams and ponds of Liberty County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 843):

An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the County of Okeechobee, State of Florida, on the 11th day of March, 1919, to determine whether the compulsory systematic tick eradication work and the compulsory dipping of cattle should be conducted in said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 493):

An Act defining and punishing the crime of unlawfully possessing, controlling, using, making, repairing and employing anything for the unlawful manufacture of distilled intoxicating liquors and prescribing a rule of evidence governing such cases.

Have carefully examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Joint Committee on the part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Mr. Oliver moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Thereupon the Senate stood adjourned to 10:30 o'clock a. m. June 5, 1919.

Thursday, June 5, 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 June 4 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., June 4, 1919.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 466:

(With House amendments, adopted June 4, 1919.)—

A bill to be entitled An Act to empower the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County to borrow and expend money for the repair and rebuilding of the public road running from Millview in said county to Lillian Bridge; to provide for the issuance of time warrants for such moneys and the repayment thereof from the budget and tax levy for 1919.

Have examined Senate Bill No. 466 with House amendments adopted and find the same correctly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. A. McLEOD,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 466, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.