

Mr. Epperson moved that Senate Bill No. 319 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 319:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the action and proceedings of every person, officer and of the Board of County Commissioners of Levy County, Florida, and of the Bond Trustees of Special Road and Bridge District No. 1, of Levy County, Florida, in relation to the issuance and sale of bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for the building of roads and bridges in said Special Road and Bridge District No. 1, as the same were voted for the freeholders of said district in an election held in said district January 15, 1920, and to provide for the powers and duties of the Bond Trustees of said district and to provide for the election and term of office of said trustees.

Was taken up.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 319 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 319 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 319 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. 319 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Turnbull—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Knabb moved that the Senate do now adjourn, to convene again at 4:00 P. M. Monday.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate stood adjourned at 12:20 P. M. until 4 o'clock P. M. Monday, May 8, 1921.

Monday, May 9, 1921

4:00 O'CLOCK P. M.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—30.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal of May 7, was dispensed with.

The Journal was corrected and approved.

Page 77 of the Daily Journal of Thursday, May 5, 1921, is hereby corrected by striking out all from, and including line 13 of said page, down to and including line 40 of said page of said Daily Journal of May 5, 1921.

On page 50 of the daily Journal of Friday, May 6, 1921, the following correction is hereby made: between lines 30 and 31 of said page of said daily Journal, insert the following, to-wit:

"Senate Bill No. 302:"

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 7, 9, 11, 12 and 14 of Chapter 6337, Laws of Florida,, entitled "An Act relating to the incorporation of the Town of Crescent City, fixing its boundaries, conferring on said town, all the powers and privileges incident thereto under the Laws of the State of Florida; validating all ordinances heretofore passed by said town, validating all acts of said

town and its officials, providing for the assessment of taxes and collection of revenue, providing for paving and improving streets and sidewalks, providing for and authorizing the issue and sale of bonds, providing for a Town Council and other officials for said town, providing methods for the government of said town, and conferring other powers and privileges on said town, approved May 8, 1911, and to confer additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said town of Crescent City.

Was taken up in its order.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 7, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 256:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the admission to practice and supervising the conduct of attorneys at law of this State.

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

Very respectfully,  
THEO. T. TURNBULL,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 256, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—  
House Bill No. 591:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Comptroller to pay pensions for the entire month of May, 1921, at the increased rate provided for in the Pensions Act approved May 2nd, 1921.

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

Very respectfully,  
D. G. ROLAND,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 591, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

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

House Bill No. 328:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 8058 of the Special Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida of 1919, relating to the taking of fish.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 283:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect and regulate the birds and wild animals of the State of Florida, to create the Department of Game and Fresh Water Fish and the

Position of State Game Commissioner, and to define his duties and powers and fixing his compensation.

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

Very respectfully,  
J. T. BUTLER,  
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 328 and Senate Bill No. 283, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 293:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 596-P of Chapter 1-A of the Florida Compiled Laws, relating to the license tax on traveling dealers.

Offer the following Committee Substitute:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to license tax on traveling dealers and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

And recommend that the same do pass as amended.

Very respectfully,  
THEO. T. TURNBULL,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 293, together with the Committee Substitute therefor, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

Your Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 190:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 137 and 138 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to publication of abstract of general revenue account, and annual report of State Treasurer to the Governor.

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. 190, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

The following communication was read and was ordered to be spread on the Journal:

Office of Chamber of Commerce (Incorporated),  
Apalachicola, Fla.  
The Gateway of the Chattahoochee Valley.  
Apalachicola, Fla., May 7, 1921.

*The Hon. W. P. Shelley,*  
*The Hon. E. R. L. Moore,*  
*Tallahassee, Fla.*

Dear Sir:

Your attention is invited to a copy of resolution passed at a mass-meeting of the citizens of Franklin held in Apalachicola on the 6th inst. On this occasion we had with us the Honorables W. A. McRae and T. R. Hodges, who addressed the meeting upon the subject of the sea food industry, the necessary legislation for the protec-

tion and promotion of the same. At this meeting there was represented the laboring class dependent upon the industry as well as the financial interests operating, together with representation of every walk of life in the community. The meeting was a most interesting one, and the several talks made received the greatest enthusiasm and interest, and were accorded unanimous approval.

It was stated that an erroneous impression had been unduly created in the Legislature that there was a surplus of fish and oysters, and, therefore, no legislation was required for further support. This impression should be corrected. There is at this time a greater scarcity of fish and oysters than ever, due chiefly to the neglect of proper enforcement of regulations, and now the only and proper remedy is to provide for propagation. Build and maintain fish hatcheries and protect the smaller fish. Plant shell for the extension of the natural oyster reefs and protect the small oysters against the outlaws destroying the young, and, in some instances, the now nearly depleted reefs should be closed against removal of any oysters for a period of two years or more, to promote rehabilitating. This is most vital, and can only be done through the proper enforcement of the Shell Fish Laws. This will re-establish the industry and in time become a real source of revenue to the State, and provide means of support to hundreds of our citizens.

We pray that this letter may be read, and that the resolution may also be read and spread upon the minutes of the Journal.

Very respectfully,

J. H. COOK,  
Mayor.

Apalachicola, Fla., May 6, 1921.

To the Honorable W. A. MacWilliams, President, and members of the Senate, and the Honorable Frank E. Jennings, Speaker, and members of the House of Representatives in the Florida Legislature, Tallahassee, Fla.

The following preamble and resolutions were adopted at a mass-meeting and are respectfully submitted with request that the same be read and spread upon the Journal:

Whereas, The oyster development and other sea food industries are the chief support of the citizens of Franklin County as well as a benefit to the State of Florida,

and that State regulation of the industry is essential for the interest of the public; be it therefore

Resolved, That we do hereby express our endorsement of the Shell Fish Commission and the Shell Fish Commissioner, the Hon. T. R. Hodges, and do further endorse the proposed legislation providing for a floating fish hatchery as well as the acceptance of suitable boats offered by the United States Government without cost to the State.

Your petitioners will ever pray.

(Signed.)

H. L. Grady.  
Rice Bros. Packing Co.  
Acme Packing Co.  
M. Risatana.  
P. O. Sneller.  
John Schoelles.  
A. C. Bosarge.  
Ed. VanFleet.  
G. H. Egbert.  
R. J. Cooper.  
Herman Ruge & Sons.  
Evan Johnson.  
J. Sol Hall.  
C. W. Poe.  
W. G. Fry.  
Russell S. Roat.  
G. E. Austin.  
J. G. Ruge.  
Geo. E. Benedict.  
Atlas Seafood Co.  
J. L. Folsom.  
Geo. A. Dodd.  
H. M. Sizemore.  
John Zingarelli.  
W. H. Carter.  
John J. Brown.  
A. R. Cooper.  
A. B. Porter.  
E. R. Snellgrove.  
V. M. Anderson.  
W. G. Fry.  
W. W. Hughes.  
William H. Rote.

L. A. Prell.  
 W. F. Waide.  
 A. S. Mohr.  
 H. W. Sperry.  
 A. E. LeGallie.  
 H. W. Johnston.  
 Fred Sawyer.  
 Ruge Bros. Canning Co.  
 F. J. Egbert.  
 Wm. Sawyer.  
 B. E. Gibson.  
 W. Lee Popham.  
 A. W. Jones.  
 C. L. Shephard.  
 Green Point F. & O. Co.  
 L. W. Hall.  
 Chas. A. Floyd.  
 Fred Randolph.  
 A. L. Wing.  
 Harry Sawyer.  
 S. E. Teague.  
 R. F. Anderson.  
 T. J. Murphy.  
 C. B. Coombs.  
 J. J. Harrell.  
 P. J. Lovett.  
 W. V. Hughes.  
 Wm. E. Rote.  
 John H. Cook.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Russell—

Senate Bill No. 326:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Palatka to issue bonds and purchase the properties, real, personal and mixed, of the Palatka Water Works, a corporation having pumps, buildings and properties in the Town of Palatka Heights, and having mains and pipes and supplying water for domestic and commercial purposes in the City of Palatka; and to grant to the said City of Palatka the authority and power to maintain and lay mains and pipes in the Town of Palatka Heights.

Which was read the first time by its title.

And the bill was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the second reading without reference.

By Mr. Russell—

Senate Bill No. 327:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 7682, Laws of the State of Florida, being "An Act to authorize the City of Palatka, a municipal corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida, to issue bonds for the purchase of a supply of water; to enlarge or extend the present water plant of the City of Palatka, to make available such supply; or in lieu thereof, to purchase the water plant of the Palatka Water Works, a corporation, and the properties thereof, used by said corporation in supplying water to the people of the City of Palatka and adjacent territory; and to repeal Chapter 7216, Laws of the State of Florida."

Which was read the first time by its title.

And the bill was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the second reading without reference.

By Mr. Butler—

Senate Bill No. 328:

A bill to be entitled An Act to restrict aliens and non-residents in taking or catching shrimp and prawn for commercial purposes in the waters of the Atlantic Coast within the jurisdiction of the State of Florida, and to prescribe penalties for violating or aiding in the violation or evasion of such restrictions.

Was read the first time by its title.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that Senate Bill No. 328 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 328:

A bill to be entitled An Act to restrict aliens and non-residents in taking or catching shrimp and prawn for commercial purposes in the waters of the Atlantic Coast within the jurisdiction of the State of Florida, and to prescribe penalties for violating or aiding in the violation or evasion of such restrictions.

Was taken up.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 328 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 328 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 328 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. 328 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, 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. Campbell—

Senate Bill No. 329:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prevent industrial accidents; to provide medical and surgical care for injured employees; to establish rates of compensation for personal injuries or deaths sustained by employees in the course of employment; to provide methods for insuring the payment of such compensation; to create an Industrial Commission for the administration of this Act, and making appropriation therefor, and to prescribe the powers and duties of such commission, and for other purposes.

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

Mr. Stokes moved that 200 copies of Senate Bill No. 329 be printed for the use of the Legislature.

Which was agreed to.

By Mr. Knight—

Senate Bill No. 330:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of R. S. Powell, of Starke, Bradford County, Florida, and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to pay the same out of any funds to the

credit of said county, upon satisfactory proof of the justice thereof.

Was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 330 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the second reading without reference.

By Mr. Singletary (by request)—

Senate Bill No. 331:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate sales made under executions issued on judgments where certified transcripts of the judgments from other counties have been recorded by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where said transcript is recorded, as required by Section 1601 of the General Statutes of Florida.

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

By Mr. Campbell—

Senate Bill No. 332:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 9 and 13 of An Act entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of chiropractic; to create and provide for the appointment of a Board of Chiropractic Examiners; to define the powers and duties of said Board, and to provide a penalty for violation of the provisions of this Act." The same being Chapter 7821, Laws of Florida, 1919.

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

By Mr. Campbell—

Senate Bill No. 333:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Elizabeth Emeline Mendel, and providing for the payment of said pension.

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

By Mr. Epperson—

Senate Bill No. 334:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the payment

into the State Treasury of the funds remaining in the hands of the Comptroller, caused by the failure of applicants to perfect their applications in registering motor vehicles and providing for refunding the same to the owners thereof when called for.

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

By Mr. Overstreet—  
Senate Bill No. 335:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County, Florida, to issue certain interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of raising funds with which to improve, pave, construct, complete and maintain public road or highway within said Osceola County known as the Kissimmee-Melbourne Highway, and providing the rate of interest which said warrants shall bear, how and where payable and the period for which said warrants shall run, and providing for the levy of a special tax to cover interest and to create a sinking fund for the redemption of said warrants.

Which was read the first time by its title.

And the bill was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading without reference.

By Mr. Wells—  
Senate Bill No. 336:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the time in the trial of certain civil and criminal causes when the presiding judge shall instruct the jury on the law of the case.

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

By Mr. Wells—  
Senate Bill No. 337:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the County Commissioners of Bay County, Florida, to levy an annual tax for county publicity purposes and expend the funds so raised for advertising the resources of Bay County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

And the bill was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading without reference.

By Mr. Wells—  
Senate Bill No. 338:

A bill to be entitled An Act vesting in the Circuit Courts exclusive original jurisdiction in all criminal cases involving trespass on lands.

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

#### CONSIDERATION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5:  
Relating to a Constitutional Convention—

Was taken up, and its consideration was passed informally.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1917.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 185:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish the Dade Memorial Park in Sumter County, Florida; to provide for a Commission to acquire the necessary land, to define the duties of such Commission, and to make an appropriation to meet the expenses of acquiring and establishing such Memorial Park.

Also—

House Bill No. 207:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for taxation and fixing the legal rate of taxation on inheritances, devises, bequests, legacies and gifts, and providing for the man-

ner of payments as well as the manner of enforcing payment thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 495:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Town of San Mateo City, Florida, to issue bonds in the sum of not more than ten thousand dollars for the purpose of acquiring lighting facilities and making other public improvements.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Mr. Crosby moved that House Bill No. 185 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was taken up.

The further consideration of the bill was temporarily passed over.

And House Bill No. 207, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary B.

And House Bill No. 495, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 597:

A bill to be entitled An Act legalizing, validating and

confirming the assessments and levies of taxes, by the City of Jasper, Florida, for the years 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920, and all tax sales of said city for said years, and all tax sale certificates issued thereon to, and now held by said city unredeemed.

Also—

House Bill No. 598:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Jasper, Florida, to collect, foreclose and enforce tax liens for delinquent taxes now due and past due to said city for the years 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920, or any taxes that may hereafter for any subsequent year or years, become due and delinquent to said city, with accrued interest, penalties and costs thereon; providing the method of such proceedings, and the costs thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 599:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 7, 23, 34, 35, 41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 54, 55, 56, 60 and 61 of Chapter 5811, Laws of Florida (Acts of 1907), same being the Charter Act of the city of Jasper, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 597, contained in the foregoing 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. 598, contained in the foregoing 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. 599, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 164:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3933 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to the issuance of marriage licenses by County Judges.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 164, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

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

Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 423:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a Composite Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Florida; to define its duties and powers; to regulate the issuing

and recording of licenses to practice medicine and surgery in this State; to define what is the practice of medicine and surgery; to fix the fees for licenses issued by said Board; to provide for revocation of license and cancellation of recordation of same; to repeal Section 2169 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to requirements to obtain certificates; Section 2170 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the appointment of a Board of Eclectic Medical Examiners by the Governor; Section 2171 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the examination of applicants by said Eclectic Board; Section 2172 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the duty of said Eclectic Board; Section 2173 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the appointment of medical examiners; Section 2174 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the qualification of members of the State Board of Medical Examiners; Section 2175 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the terms of office of the members of the said Board; Section 2176 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the election of a President and Secretary of said Board, and the authority to make rules for the government thereof; Section 2177 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the meetings of said Board; Section 2178 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to examinations by said Board; Section 2179 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to certificates issued by said Board; Section 2180 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to temporary certificates to practice medicine; Section 2181 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to duty of member of said Board granting temporary certificate; Section 2182 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to record of such certificate; Section 2183 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to examination fee; Section 2184 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, exempting and excepting certain persons in the provisions of said law; Section 5534 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to violations of law regulating the duties of medical examiners; Section 5535 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the practice of medicine as physician without certificate; and to prescribe penalties for violations of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 423, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 48:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 7833, Acts of 1919, entitled "An Act providing for the care, maintenance and control of the State convicts, and providing for the carrying out of the provisions of this Act, and making an appropriation therefor. Approved May 24, 1919."

With the following amendments:

On page 2, line 9, strike out the word "County."

On page 2, line 11, after the word "institutions" insert the following: "Including the Florida Farm Colony for Feeble-Minded and Epileptics."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

The House amendments to Senate Bill No. 48, in above message, were taken up for consideration with the bill.

The first House amendment in the foregoing message

from the House of Representatives was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Knight moved that the Senate concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

The second House amendment in the foregoing message from the House of Representatives, was placed before the Senate.

Mr. Knight moved that the Senate concur in the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 48, 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., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 99:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the relief of Chas. P. Lovell, Adjutant General of Florida, for loss of part of salary from January 1, 1921, to June 30, 1921, by reason of failure of the Legislature of Florida assembled in 1919 to make sufficient appropriation for the payment of the salary of the Adjutant General as fixed by law.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 317:

A bill to be entitled An Act to exclude lots and parcels of land incorporated into the City of Valparaiso, Okaloosa County, Fla.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 99 and 317, contained in the

above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 52:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the enlargement, alteration and repair of the Capitol Building, and making an appropriation for such purpose.

With the following amendment:

Add at the end of Section 3 the following:

Provided, That if an amendment of the Constitution having for its purpose a change of the seat of government is proposed and agreed to at this session of the Legislature, then the appropriation hereby made shall be held in suspense until after such proposed amendment has been voted on by the electors at the next general election, and should such amendment be adopted at said election, then no part of said appropriation shall be expended.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 52, together with the amendment, was placed before the Senate.

The House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 52 was read.

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate concur in the House Amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 52, 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., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 245:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, validating, confirming and legalizing the assessment of taxes for the years A. D. 1917, 1918, 1919 and 1920, of the Town of Safety Harbor, County of Pinellas, State of Florida.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 97:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the minimum age for teachers in the public schools of Florida.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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. 533:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the equalization of taxes between counties, creating the position of State Equalizer of Taxes, prescribing his powers and duties, providing for his compensation, creating a State Board of Equalizers, and prescribing its powers and duties.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 533, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed, under the waiving of the rule by a two-thirds vote, on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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 Concurrent Resolution No. 6:

Whereas, There is an unfair inequality in the present Judicial Circuits of the State of Florida as to territory and population served; and

Whereas, In some of the Circuits the Judges have a much larger amount of work than in other circuits; and

Whereas, At each session of the Legislature there are demands made for the creation of additional Circuits at an expense to the taxpayers of the State of Florida; and

Whereas, It has become necessary to re-circuit the State in order to equalize the work among the Circuit Judges, and for the protection of the taxpayers of the State; therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That a committee consisting of five members on the part of the Senate, and five members on the part of the House, be appointed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, respectively, whose duties it shall be to draft a bill dividing the State into Judicial Circuits in order that the work of said Judicial Circuits may be as equally distributed as is practicable.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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 Senate Amendment to—

House Bill No. 289:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the issue of \$43,000.00 time warrants for the City of Okeechobee, a Municipal Corporation in Okeechobee County, Florida: For the purpose of paving, macadamizing or otherwise improving certain avenues, streets, or parts thereof, of said City of Okeechobee, as proposed by a resolution of the City Council of said City of Okeechobee, adopted and passed by the said City Council, and approved by the Mayor of said city on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1921; to declare and render valid said resolution; to cure all irregularities, illegalities, defects or omissions in all proceedings prior to the delivery of said time warrants; to legalize and validate the advertisement of the said time warrants for sale, and all proceedings had in reference to the same; and to authorize the issue and sale of said time warrants, drawing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually; to legalize all acts, whether irregular from lack of authority to issue the same, or otherwise; and to provide for the levy of sufficient tax millage, as may be necessary, upon all the property, both real and personal, within the City of Okeechobee, liable to taxation as may be necessary, each and every year, for the purpose of paying both the principal and interest as the same may become due and payable.

Which amendment is as follows:

In Section 2 add at the end thereof the following:

"Said time warrants shall be delivered to the purchaser or purchasers upon payment of the purchase price, and shall have and are hereby declared to have, in the hands of bona fide holders, all the qualities of negotiable instruments under the law merchant, and in case of the officers

whose signatures or countersignatures appear on said time warrants, or the coupons thereto attached, shall cease to be such officer before the delivery of such time warrants to the purchaser, such signature or countersignature shall, nevertheless, be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if they had remained in office, until the delivery of said time warrants."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*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 Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 290:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the issue of \$30,000.00 Time Warrants for the City of Okeechobee, a Municipal Corporation in Okeechobee County, Florida, for the purpose of obtaining funds for the completion of the water works and sewerage systems of the said City of Okeechobee, Florida, as proposed by an ordinance of the said City Council of the said City of Okeechobee, passed and adopted by the said City Council and approved by the Mayor of said city on the 21st day of March A. D. 1921, to declare and render valid said ordinance to cure all irregularities, illegalities, defects or omissions in all proceedings prior to the delivery of said Time Warrants to legalize and validate the advertisements of said Time Warrants for sale and all proceedings had in reference to the same and to authorize the issue and sale of said Time Warrants drawing interest at the rate of Seven per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually.

To legalize all acts whether irregular from authority or lack of authority to issue the same or otherwise, and to provide for the levy of sufficient tax millage as may be necessary upon all the property, both real and personal, within the City of Okeechobee liable to taxation as may be necessary each and every year for the purpose of paying the same as they become due and payable, both the principal and interest.

Which amendment is as follows:

In Section 2, add at the end thereof the following:

"Said time warrants shall be delivered to the purchaser or purchasers upon payment of the purchase price, and shall have and are hereby declared to have in the hands of bona fide holders, all the qualities of negotiable instruments under the law merchant, and in case of the officers whose signatures or countersignatures appear on said time warrants, or the coupons thereto attached, shall cease to be such officer before the delivery of such time warrants to the purchaser; such signature or counter-signature shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes, the same as if they had remained in office, until the delivery of said time warrants."

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 111):

An Act to amend Section 4190 of the Revised General

Statutes of Florida, relating to the incorporation, powers, duties and liabilities of trust and security companies doing business in this State.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 22):

An Act to prescribe the effect of the release, acquittance or discharge of a party jointly liable with one or other parties.

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 the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills,  
On the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the 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. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 367):

An Act empowering the County of Orange to call and hold elections in the various election precincts thereof to determine whether or not swine shall be allowed to run at large in such precincts, and providing for the impounding of swine in precincts voting to prohibit same from running at large, and to prohibit swine from running at large in such precincts, to provide for the impound-

ing of same, and the procedure for assessing damage done by the swine running at large, and recovery of judgments entered in such proceedings, and appellate proceedings, and prescribing a penalty therefor.

Also—

(House Joint Resolution No. 296):

A Joint Resolution in the nature of a memorial to the Senators and Representatives of the State of Florida, in the Congress of the United States of America, with reference to the establishment of reservations for the purpose of preserving, protecting and propagating food fishes on their natural breeding grounds in the State of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 245):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of Bay County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money of obtaining credit for the purpose of acquiring a site for the erection of public school buildings for the use of the County High School and for the furnishing and equipping thereof and providing for the payment thereof.

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 the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills,

On the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the 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. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 271):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Calhoun County, Florida, to transfer permanently the sum of \$5,000.00 from the Special County Fund therein, to the Road and Bridge Fund of said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 368):

An Act relating to hunting in Bradford County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 57):

An Act to define and punish the offense of passing worthless checks in the State of Florida, and providing certain rules of evidence and certain forms of accusations which may be used in prosecution under this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 387):

An Act to enable the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County to levy such tax or taxes sufficient to pay the sum of thirty-one thousand dollars and interest thereon; and pay the same to those persons and citizens of Alachua County advancing said sum of money necessary with which to purchase tract of land for the location of the Florida Farm Colony for Epileptic and Feeble-Minded.

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 the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills,

On the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 227):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Altamonte Springs, Florida, and to establish and constitute a municipality in Seminole County, Florida, to be known and designated as the Town of Altamonte Springs, Florida, to define its territorial limits, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Also—

(House Bill No. 319):

An Act incorporating the City of St. Andrews, in Bay County, Florida, providing for its government, prescribing its jurisdiction and powers, abolishing the government and Town of St. Andrews as they existed prior to December 23rd, 1919, and validating all governmental acts of the City of St. Andrews, Fla., under the proposed Charter as approved by the election held in the Town of St. Andrews, Fla., on said 23rd day of December, A. D. 1919.

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 the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the 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. O. M. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(Senate Joint Resolution No. 9):

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Article V of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relative to the Judiciary Department.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 6):

An Act to provide for the recording of deeds and patents issued by the United States Government and photographic copies thereof, and to provide for their use and the use of certified copies of the record thereof in evidence in the Courts of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Joint Resolution No. 1):

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 10 of Article XII of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to education.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 3):

An Act to amend Section 5122, Revised General Statutes of Florida, defining the offenses of grand larceny and petit larceny, and fixing the penalty for the violation of same.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 133):

An Act to amend Section 2463 of the Revised General

Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the duties of Pilot Commissioners, the examination and number of pilots.

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 the Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the 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.

#### ORDERS OF THE DAY.

##### House Concurrent Resolution No. 5:

Relative to a loan of three small boats and equipment from the United States Government to the State of Florida.

Was taken up in its order and read and its consideration was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 26 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 64 be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

#### BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Senate Bill No. 90 was taken up in its order, and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

##### Senate Bill No. 149:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of Counties of the State of Florida which now have, or may hereafter have, a population exceeding one hundred thousand (100,000).

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

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that the Senate do now consider Senate Bill No. 266.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

##### Senate Bill No. 266:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the equalization of taxes between counties, creating the position of State Equalizer of Taxes, prescribing his powers and duties, providing for his compensation, creating a State Board of Equalizers, prescribing its powers and duties, enlarging the powers and duties of the State Comptroller in the assessment of certain property, and providing for the making of returns of property for taxation by persons and corporations to the tax assessors of the several counties, and prescribing penalty for failure so to do.

Was taken up and read.

Mr. Butler moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 533 be substituted for Senate Bill No. 266.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

##### House Bill No. 533:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the equalization of taxes between counties, creating the position of State Equalizer of Taxes, prescribing his powers and duties, providing for his compensation, creating a State Board of Equalizers, and prescribing its powers and duties.

Was taken up.

Mr. MacWilliams offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 533:

Strike out the words "Secretary of State," and insert

in lieu thereof the following: "Attorney General," wherever it occurs in the bill.

Mr. MacWilliams moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Johnson moved that the bill be temporarily passed over and be left on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 205:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the setting on fire any wood, brush or grass lands, and providing a penalty therefor.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

By unanimous consent—

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 205:

In Section 1, line 5, strike out the words "February 15th," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "January 15th and March 1st."

Mr. Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

By unanimous consent—

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 205:

In Section 1, line 5, after the word "own," add: "as under his control."

Mr. Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

By unanimous consent—

Mr. Anderson offered the following amendments to Senate Bill No. 205:

In Section 1, line 2, after the word "own," add: "as under his control."

Mr. Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Senate Bill No. 205, as amended, was put upon its passage.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 205, as amended by the Senate, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Knabb, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Plympton,

Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—24.

Nays—Messrs. Knight and Mapoles—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And Senate Bill No. 205, as amended on the third reading, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 143:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5411 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to enticing away for clandestine marriage.

Was taken up and read the third time in full, and put upon its passage.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of Senate Bill No. 143 the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Campbell, Cooper, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Turnbull, Weaver, Wilson—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

#### CONSIDERATION OF BILLS ON SECOND READING.

Senate Bill No. 62:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the establishment of a floating fish hatchery in the State of Florida.

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

Mr. Epperson offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 62:

Strike out "15" wherever it appears in the bill, and insert "5."

Mr. Epperson moved to adopt the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

The further consideration of Senate Bill No. 62 as amended by the Senate was informally passed over.

Mr. Crosby moved that House Bill No. 185 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

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

And—

House Bill No. 185:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish the Dade Memorial Park in Sumter County, Florida; to provide for a Commission to acquire the necessary land, to define the duties of such Commission, and to make an appropriation to meet the expenses of acquiring and establishing such Memorial Park.

Was taken up and read the second time.

Mr. Johnson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 185:

At the end of Section 1 add the following:

“Provided, that the said Commission shall not pay more than twenty-five dollars per acre for such land so purchased; and provided further, that no such land shall be purchased until the Attorney General of the State shall have passed upon the title of such land and pronounced same a legal and valid title.”

Mr. Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Johnson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 185:

In Section 1, lines 7 and 8, strike out the words “not more than eighty acres and not less than twenty acres,” and insert in lieu thereof the following: “eighty acres.”

Mr. Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Rowe offered the following substitute for the amendment of Mr. Johnson to House Bill No. 185:

Strike out the words from amendment, “eighty acres,” and insert in lieu thereof the following: “forty acres.”

Mr. Rowe moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

The question then recurred upon the amendment offered by Mr. Johnson.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Crosby moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 185, as amended by the Senate, 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. 185, as amended, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Knabb, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Roland, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Turnbull, Wells, Wilson—24.

Nays—Messrs. Bradshaw, Knight, Mapoles—3.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 63 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 65 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 194 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 176:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section twelve (12) of Chapter 7905, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, 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 other prosecuting attorneys and the Commissioner of Agriculture in connection herewith.

Was taken up, and was read the second time in full, and was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Senate Bill No. 173:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the making of surveys and filing for record of maps and plats in the State of Florida.

Was taken up, and was read the second time in full and placed on the Calendar of Bills on the Third Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 281):

An Act to amend Article 10 of Chapter 5864, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1907, approved May 22, 1907, same being entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Wauchula, Florida, and organize a city government for the same, and to provide its jurisdiction and powers.

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 the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills  
On the Part of the Senate.

The bill contained in the above report, was duly signed by the President and the 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. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 9, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 298):

An Act to fix the salaries of the administrative officers of the State and to make disposition of all fees and perquisites of these officers.

Also—

(House Bill No. 358):

An Act to amend Sections 2, 3, 4, 7, 10, 12, 14 and 15 of Chapter 8061, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, being An Act to create and establish a Juvenile Court in and for Hillsborough County, Florida; to provide for a Judge of said Court, and to define his powers and duties; to provide for the expenses of said court and compensation of said Judge, and to provide for the appointment of probation and assistant probation officers and a clerk of the Juvenile Court.

Also—

(House Bill No. 261):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida, to change the date and times of payment of a bond issue of \$750,000 for Highlands Special Road and Bridge District of said county, and ratifying and confirming the creation of said district and the authorization of said bonds.

Also—

(House Bill No. 348):

An Act to validate Town Ordinance No. 132, of the ordinances of the Town of Perry, Florida, the same being the ordinance entitled An Ordinance to promote the public health by the prevention of malarial infection by mosquitoes, and requiring the screening of buildings, houses and rooms occupied as residences and lodging and rooming places and the inspection of same, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

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 the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills

On the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and the 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. Hulley moved to waive the rules and that Senate Bill No. 253 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 253:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Upper St. Johns Drainage District; and to repeal Chapter 7609, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to authorize the Board of Supervisors of the Upper St. Johns Drainage District to borrow money for the payment of outstanding warrants, and operation expenses," approved April 30, 1917; and to repeal Chapter 7979, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to extend the term of the Upper St. Johns Drainage District," approved May 5, 1919; and to repeal Chapter 7980, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all of the proceedings taken for the creation, organization and extension of the Upper St. Johns Drainage District, and all of the acts and proceedings taken by, for and on behalf of said district since the creation thereof, and all the acts and proceedings of the Circuit Court, of the Board of Supervisors, the Commissioners and all other officers and all agents of said drainage district, acting for and on behalf of said district, in carrying out the affairs of said district; and ratifying, validating and confirming any and all tax levies and assessments which have been made by the Board of Supervisors of said district upon the assessable and taxable property located within said district, and defining and declaring the territory included within the boundaries thereof," approved May 28th, 1919; and to ratify, validate and confirm the decree of the Circuit Court of Brevard County, Florida, dated December 13, 1920, relating to said district.

Was taken up.

Mr. Hulley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 253 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 253 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hulley moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 253 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. 253 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Johnson, Lindsey, Lowry, Mapoles, Plympton, Rowe, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Weaver, Wells, Wilson—24.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

The President announced the following appointment of the Committee on the part of the Senate under Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6:—T. T. Turnbull, J. B. Johnson, W. J. Singletary, T. J. Campbell, W. H. Malone.

Senate Bill No. 55 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 221 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 159:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the punishment for the offense of drunkenness and fixing the jurisdiction of the offense in certain counties.

Was taken up.

The Committee Substitute was read, with the following title:

Committee Substitute for  
Senate Bill No. 159:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the punishment for the offense of drunkenness, and fixing the jurisdiction of the offense in certain counties.

Which Substitute was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 159 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 159 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved to adopt the Substitute in lieu of the original bill.

Which was agreed to.

And the Committee Substitute to Senate Bill No. 159 was adopted in lieu of the original bill.

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 159 was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the third reading.

Senate Bill No. 165:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for vocational education in execution of Section 660 to 667, both inclusive, of the Revised General Statutes of Florida.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

There being no amendment offered Senate Bill No. 165 was, under the rule, placed on the Calendar of Bills on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 208:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the care and custody of the Capitol Building and Grounds, the Supreme Court Building and Grounds, and the Executive Mansion and Grounds, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

There being no amendment offered Senate Bill No. 208 was, under the rule, placed on the Calendar of Bills on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 229:

A bill to be entitled An Act making an appropriation to assist in the erection of a monument at Marianna to commemorate the Battle of Marianna.

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

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 229:

Strike on the figures "\$2,000.00," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$5,000.00."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 229, as amended by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

And—

House Bill No. 322 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bills 192 and 195 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 187 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 64 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 186 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 189 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

And—

House Bill No. 322 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 247:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate all contracts heretofore entered into by the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District of the State of Florida, for the construction of canals, drains, dikes, dams, locks, reservoirs and other works in said district, and legalizing, ratifying, confirming and validating all bonds issued by said Everglades Drainage District and all proceedings taken in connection with the issuance and sale thereof.

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

There being no amendment offered Senate Bill No. 247 was, under the rule, placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

By permission—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 168) :

An Act to regulate and provide for the military forces of the State of Florida, and to promote its efficiency; to prescribe rules, regulations and means for its organization, administration, armament, equipment, discipline, control and supervision; to provide for its maintenance, support and upkeep; to authorize and empower the Governor of Florida to make and publish rules and regulations for the reorganization of the Florida National Guard, in conformity to Acts of Congress relating to the National Guard; to authorize the Governor to take necessary steps for procuring aid, equipment, and appropriations from the Federal Government for the National Guard; to provide means for the enforcement of this Act; to fix penalties and punishments for the violation of this Act; and to repeal Articles 1, 2 and 3 of Chapter 1, Military Code of Florida, under Title VIII, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 53) :

An Act to amend Section 889 of the Revised General Statutes, relating to the payment of license taxes by express companies doing business in this State.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee  
On Part of the Senate.

By permission—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 4, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 227) :

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the action of the Town Council, the Mayor and Town Clerk of the Town of DeFuniak Springs, Florida, and the action of every other officer and person in relation to the issuance and sale of bonds in the aggregate sum of \$95,000.00 for additional sewerage; extension of water main; City Hall; general street and park improvement; street paving; cemetery chapel and equipment and cemetery fence and interior roads of and for the Town of DeFuniak Springs, Florida, as the same were authorized by the special election held within said Town September 23, A. D. 1919.

Also—

(Senate Bill 244) :

An Act to authorize and empower the City Commission of the City of St. Augustine, Florida, a municipal government, under the laws of the State of Florida, to make and to issue interest-bearing notes aggregating the sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand (\$125,000.00) dollars for the purpose of purchasing the building and property known as the Vaile Block in said city, and the erection of an auditorium thereon, said notes to bear interest not to exceed six per cent. per annum. Said notes to be in denomination of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), five hundred dollars (\$500.00), and one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), said notes to be retired three, six, nine, twelve, fifteen, eighteen and twenty-one years after date. And to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest of said notes; and providing for a referendum election; and providing for the election of three trustees of said note issue.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee  
On Part of the Senate.

By permission—

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

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Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 4, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

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

(Senate Bill No. 158):

An Act relating to and authorizing the issuance of warrants by Volusia County, Florida, and prescribing the purpose thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 134):

An Act to legalize and validate the special election held in and by the County of Escambia and State of Florida on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1920, to determine whether \$2,000,000.00 Escambia County Florida thirty-year bonds with interest at not more than 6 per cent. per annum should be issued for the purpose of constructing certain paved or other hard-surfaced highways within the limits of Escambia County, Florida, together with the necessary culverts and bridges on such roads and highways, and to validate the acts, resolutions and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, relative to the calling, holding and canvassing of the said election and the issuance of the \$2,000,000.00 bonds voted in said election.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 140):

An Act to authorize the Town of Apopka City to issue additional bonds, \$45,000.00 for the purpose of street paving and \$5,000.00 for the purpose of refunding, paying, settling and discharging its present outstanding bond and other general indebtedness; providing for the election of bond trustees and the assessment and collection of taxes for the payment of interest upon said bonds, as well as for their final payment.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee  
On the Part of the Senate.

By permission—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 4, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

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

(Senate Bill No. 220):

An Act to legalize and validate the election held in the municipality of the Town of Umatilla, Lake County, State of Florida, on July 5th, 1919, and to legalize and validate the issue of street paving bonds voted at said election; and to authorize the Town Council of the Town of Umatilla, County of Lake and State of Florida, to levy and assess the special tax upon the property of said municipality for the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds voted in such municipality, and to validate the issuance of said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 226):

An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Lake County to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 240):

An Act to amend Sections 16, 77, 80, 178 and 183 of Chapter 7235, Laws of the State of Florida, approved May 18, 1915, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of St. Augustine, County of St. Johns, State of Florida, and to organize, incorporate and establish a city government for the same; and to prescribe the jurisdiction, powers and functions of said municipality."

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 239):

An Act to authorize and empower the City Commission or the City of St. Augustine, Florida, a municipal government under the laws of Florida, to levy a one-mill tax

upon the taxable property of said city for publicity, advertising and entertainment purposes, and providing for a referendum election.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee  
On the Part of the Senate.

By Permission—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 50):

An Act to amend Section 4134 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relative to qualifications of directors of banking companies.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 45):

An Act to amend Section 144, Article V of Chapter II, Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to security to be given by banks for deposit of State funds.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,  
Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

By Permission—

Mr. O. M. Eaton, Chairman of the Joint Committee

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 242):

An Act to incorporate and establish a municipal government for the city of Valparaiso, in the County of Okaloosa, State of Florida; provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,  
Chairman of Joint Committee on the Part of the Senate.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 367):

An Act empowering the County of Orange to call and hold elections in the various election precincts thereof to determine whether or not swine shall be allowed to run at large in such precincts, and providing for the im-

pounding of swine in precincts voting to prohibit same from running at large, and to prohibit swine from running at large in such precincts, to provide for the impounding of same, and the procedure for assessing damage done by swine running at large and recovery on judgments entered in such proceedings, and appellate proceedings, and prescribing a penalty therefor.

Also—

(House Joint Resolution No. 296) :

A Joint Resolution in the nature of a Memorial to the Senators and Representatives of the State of Florida in the Congress of the United States of America with reference to the establishment of reservations for the purpose of preserving, protecting and propagating food fishes on their natural breeding grounds in the State of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 245) :

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Public Instruction of Bay County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants for the purpose of borrowing money of obtaining credit for the purpose of acquiring a site for the erection of public school buildings for the use of the County High School and for the furnishing and equipping thereof and providing for the payment thereof.

Geg leave of report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills  
on the part of the Senate.

By permission—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir :

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

(House Bill No. 271) :

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Calhoun County, Florida, to transfer permanently the sum of \$5,000.00 from the Special County Fund therein to the Road and Bridge Fund of said County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 368) :

An Act relating to hunting in Bradford County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 57) :

An Act to define and punish the offense of passing worthless checks in the State of Florida, and providing certain rules of evidence and certain forms of accusations which may be used in prosecutions under this act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 387) :

An Act to enable the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County to levy such tax or taxes sufficient to pay the sum of thirty-one thousand dollars and interest thereon, and pay the same to those persons and citizens of Alachua County advancing said sum of money necessary to purchase tract of land for the location of the Florida Farm Colony for Epileptic and Feeble-Minded.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee  
On the Part of the Senate.

By permission—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 5, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,*  
*President of the Senate.*

Sir :

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

(Senate Joint Resolution No. 9):

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Article V of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relative to the Judiciary Department.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 6):

An Act to provide for the recording of deeds and patents issued by the United States Government and photographic copies thereof, and to provide for their use and the use of certified copies of the record thereof in evidence in the Courts of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Joint Resolution No. 1):

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 10 of Article XII of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to education.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 3):

An Act to amend Section 5122, Revised General Statutes of Florida, and Section 5123, Revised General Statutes of Florida, defining the offenses of grand larceny and petit larceny, and fixing the penalty for the violation of same.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 133):

An Act to amend Section 2463 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the duties of Pilot Commissioners, the examination, and number of pilots.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON;

Chairman of the Joint Committee

On the Part of the Senate.

By permission—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 227):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Altamonte Springs, Florida, and to establish and constitute a municipality in Seminole County, Florida, to be known and designated as the Town of Altamonte Springs, Florida; to define its territorial limits, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Also—

(House Bill No. 319):

An Act incorporating the City of St. Andrews, in Bay County, Florida, providing for its government, prescribing its jurisdiction and powers, abolishing the government and Town of St. Andrews as they existed prior to December 23rd, 1919, and validating all governmental acts of the City of St. Andrews, Fla., under the proposed Charter as approved by the election held in the Town of St. Andrews, Fla., on said 23rd day of December, A. D. 1919.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of the Joint Committee

On the Part of the Senate.

By Permission—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 6, 1921.

*Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,  
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 111):

An Act to amend Section 4190 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the incorporation, powers, duties and liabilities of trust and security companies doing business in this State.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 22):

An Act to prescribe the effect of the release, acquittance or discharge of a party jointly liable with one or other parties.

Beg leave to report that the same have been this day duly presented to the Governor for his approval.

Very respectfully,

O. M. EATON,

Chairman of Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on Part of the Senate.

Mr. Rowe moved that the Senate do now consider Senate Bill No. 195.

Which was agreed to.

And—

Senate Bill No. 195:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6209 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the removal of prisoners from the jail of one county to that of another.

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

There being no amendment offered, Senate Bill No. 195 was, under the rule, placed on the Calendar of Bills on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 248:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District of the State of Florida to deliver bonds which have heretofore

been authorized to be issued and which have been sold or contracted to be sold to the purchasers in installments, and legalizing, ratifying, confirming and validating said bonds and all proceedings taken in connection with the issuance and sale thereof.

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

There being no amendment offered, Senate Bill No. 248 was, under the rule, placed on the Calendar of Bills on third reading.

Senate Bill No. 249:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize any and all drainage and sub-drainage districts created under the laws of this State to acquire by gifts, purchase, exchange, donation, or condemnation, lands for canal rights-of-way and for other general purposes of the said districts.

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

There being no amendment offered Senate Bill No. 249 was, under the rule, placed on the Calendar of Bills on third reading.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 257 be recommitted to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Mr. Eaton moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 6:20 until 11 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, May 10, 1921.

Tuesday, May 10, 1921

11 O'CLOCK A. M.

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

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