

Representatives to consider Senate Bills Numbered 499 and 525, Session of 1919, and the veto message of the Governor relative thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 32):

An Act authorizing the Town of Haines City in Polk County, Florida, to assess property for taxes at its cash value and providing a method for collecting delinquent taxes; limiting rate of taxation in said town, and declaring taxes levied on real estate to be a lien thereon; authorizing and providing a method for said town to assess upon abutting property the cost of public improvements, and the issuance of certificates of indebtedness therefor, and the issuance of improvement bonds on such certificates; validating certificates of indebtedness to be issued providing a method of enforcing lien of same; authorizing the issuance of bonds of said town for certain municipal improvements, and providing a method for the issuance of same; providing for a Board of Bond Trustees in said town and prescribing their method of selection and duties; vesting the title to streets and public places in the town and authorizing the town to improve same; and to authorize the said town to have made maps and plats of the town, and to purchase or condemn lands for public parks, and to give said town control over water fronts.

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 the Joint Committee on Part of the Senate.

The resolution and bill 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 that the Senate do now adjourn until 11 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Which was agreed to.

Thereupon the Senate at 4:30 o'clock P. M. stood adjourned to 11 o'clock A. M. Friday, April 15, 1921.

Friday, April 15, 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:

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

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Daily Journal of April 14 is hereby corrected on page 23 and line 14 of said Journal so as to read, "Senate Bill No. 26," instead of "Senate Bill No. 25," as it appears in said Daily Journal.

The Journal was approved as corrected.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., April 15, 1921.

Hon. W. A. MacWilliams,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Education, to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 97:

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

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

Very respectfully,

LINCOLN HULLEY,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 97, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 15, 1921.

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

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Education, to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 107:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the issuance of teachers' certificates in substitution for certificates issued in other States.

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

Very respectfully,

LINCOLN HULLEY,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 107, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. Bradshaw, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 14, 1921.

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

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Agriculture (in joint session with House Committee on Agriculture), to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 57:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3 and 4, Chapter 7315, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1917, entitled An Act creating a Marketing Bureau of the State of Florida and creating the office of State Marketing Commissioner.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that substitute herewith submitted as follows:

Committee substitute for Senate Bill No. 57:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1315, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920; Section 1316, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920; Section 1317, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920; Section 1318, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920; Section 1325, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, all relating to the Marketing Bureau of the State of Florida, and to repeal Section 1324, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, providing for an Executive Committee of the Marketing Bureau of the State of Florida.

Do pass in lieu of original Senate Bill No. 57.

Very respectfully,

JOHN BRADSHAW,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 57, together with the committee substitute therefor, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 15, 1921.

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

*Sir:*

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

(Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1):

Relative to the appointment of a Joint Committee of the Senate and House of Representatives, to consider Senate Bills Nos. 499 and 525, Session of 1919, and the veto message of the Governor relative thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 47):

An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction for Pasco County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants in an amount not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of funding certain outstanding indebtedness of said board.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 16):

An Act to confer further municipal powers on the City of Orlando.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 44):

An Act fixing the rate of interest on \$450,000 Daytona, Florida, paving and drainage bonds, issue of 1919, voted at the special election held in said city on August 19, 1919; fixing the price at which said bonds may be sold; and legalizing, confirming and validating said bonds and all proceedings taken in connection with the issuance thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 40):

An Act to validate, ratify and confirm a certain deed, or conveyance, of real estate executed by the Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners in Pinellas County, Florida, to the Trustees of the Clearwater Presbyterian Church, and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, Florida, to execute and deliver to the Trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Clearwater, Florida, a good and sufficient deed to said property.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 32):

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and the issuance of improvement bonds on such certificates; validating certificates of indebtedness to be issued; providing a method of enforcing lien of same; authorizing the issuance of bonds of said town for certain municipal improvements, and providing a method for the issuance of same; providing for a Board of Bond Trustees in said town and prescribing their method of selection and duties; vesting the title to streets and public places in the town and authorizing the town to improve same; and to authorize the said town to have made maps and plats of the town, and to purchase or condemn lands for public parks, and to give said town control over water fronts.

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 Committee.

#### CONSIDERATION OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Russell offered the following Senate Resolution:

By Mr. Russell—

Senate Resolution No. 6:

Resolved, That the Senate Rules be amended as to the number of members of the two Judiciary Committees, and that the President of the Senate is hereby authorized to appoint an additional member for these committees.

Which was read.

Mr. Russell moved to adopt the resolution.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Stokes offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to transmit, from time to time, all Senate messages to the House in accordance with the rules of the Senate, whether the Senate be in session or in vacation at the time, if the House shall be in session at the time and the Senate messages are ready for transmission.

Which was read.

Mr. Stokes moved to adopt the resolution.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Butler—

Senate Bill No. 122:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to formation, organization, powers and duties of corporations, conferring authority to form corporations, and providing a general incorporation law, and providing for a license or franchise tax on corporations organized hereunder.

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

By Mr. Johnson—

Senate Bill No. 123:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5101 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the procurement of license to carry a pistol, Winchester or other repeating rifle.

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

By Mr. Johnson—

Senate Bill No. 124:

A bill to be entitled An Act concerning the signing and execution of bonds, notes, coupons and other obligations of any county, municipality, political sub-division, public body, board or agency of the State of Florida.

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

By Mr. Johnson—

Senate Bill No. 125:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating the issuance and sale of bonds of counties, cities, towns and other municipal corporations or taxing districts.

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

By Mr. Taylor (by request)—

Senate Bill No. 126:

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

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

## CONSIDERATION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2:

Relating to requiring the Supreme Court to supply the Legislature with the amount of fees received by its Clerk.

Which was informally passed yesterday, was taken up in its order and its consideration was again informally passed over.

## BILLS ON THIRD READING.

Senate Bill No. 25:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3505 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to liens in favor of certain persons upon certain personal property.

Was taken up and read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 25, the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Eaton, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Turnbull, Wells, Wilson—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Lowry moved that the Senate do now adjourn till 4 P. M. Monday, April the 18th.

Upon which a ye and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Bradshaw, Calkins, Campbell, Cooper, Crosby, Epperson, Hulley, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Lindsey, Lowry, Malone, Overstreet, Plympton, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Turnbull—21.

Nays—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Eaton, Knight, Mapoles, Stokes, Wilson—7.

Thereupon the Senate stood adjourned until 4 o'clock P. M., April 18, 1921.