

Saturday, May 12, 1923

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wicker—29.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of Friday, May 11th, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

The following correction of the Journal of April 16, 1923, was made and as corrected approved.

Line 5 of page 20 of the printed daily Journal of April 16, 1923, is here corrected to read as follows:

“And House Bill No. 277 was read a third time” instead of “And Senate Bill No. 277 was read a third time,” as it appears in said printed daily Journal.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, May 12, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

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Have 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,

R. H. ROWE,

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 Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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Whereas, Chapter 7371, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1917, being an Act providing that the appropriation made under Chapter 6830, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, for the purpose of providing teacher-training in county high schools be made a continuing appropriation; and

Whereas, the remainder of the appropriation of \$50,000 herein referred to was under the provisions of Chapter 7371, Acts of 1917, converted into and remained a continuing appropriation for the uses and purposes set forth in the Acts above referred to until the said Chapter 7371, Acts of 1917, making the same a continuing appropriation was repealed by having been omitted from the compilation of the Revised General Statutes and by not having been included in the compilation of the Revised General Statutes of Florida of 1920 when such statutes were adopted as the General Laws of the State of Florida; and

Whereas, there now remains unexpended of the said original appropriation, the sum of \$21,850.00.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 415):

An Act relating to Turnbull Special Road and Bridge District in Volusia County, Florida, and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to make appropriation from the funds of said district to meet the appropriation of the State Road Department.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 41):

An Act for the relief of Frank Wideman, State Attorney in and for the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Florida.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments) after third reading—

Senate Bill No. 84:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5071 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to Cruelty to Children.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 46:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2787 regulating the summoning of jurors in certain courts with certain exception.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 419:

A bill to be entitled An Act revising Sections 6217 and 6218 of the General Statutes of Florida, providing for the abolishment of the Convict Lease System described in rules and regulations for the maintenance and care of convicts and fixing the salaries of captains, guards and physicians described, in method of rendering reports to the Boards of Commissioners of said institutions and providing the penalties for the failure to comply with the rules and regulations as contained in this bill.

Have carefully examined the same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

W. J. SINGLETARY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 84 and 46, contained in the above report, were ordered to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 419, contained in the above report, was ordered to be placed on the Calendar of Bills on the Third Reading.

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

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Tallahassee, Florida, May 11, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments) after third reading—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 255 :

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment of Section 3 of Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to census and apportionment.

Have carefully examined the same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

W. J. SINGLETARY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Joint Resolution No. 255, contained in the above report, was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Mr. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee On Enrolled Bill on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report :

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir :

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

(House Bill No. 630) :

An Act to repeal the present charter of the City of Marianna, Chapter 6371, Act of May 5, 1911, and to grant a new charter for said city, defining its jurisdiction, boundaries, powers, privileges and immunities, and confirming its title to all city property, and validating all tax assessments and levies heretofore made, and prescribing the general powers to be exercised by said city.

Also—

(House Memorial No. 4) :

A Memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting an appropriation for the improvement of the navigation of the St. Johns River between Jacksonville and Palatka and Sanford, Florida.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 14) :

Considering, that Section 2 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida provides that a regular session of the Legislature may extend for a period of 60 days; and

Considering, that the Legislature of the State of Florida in regular session convened in the year 1923 should adjourn not later than 12 o'clock noon on the first day of June, 1923; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the regular session of the Legislature for the State of Florida for the year 1923 adjourn sine die Friday, June 1st, 1923, at 12 o'clock noon.

Also—

(House Bill No. 823) :

An Act to create, organize and establish a County Court in Seminole County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; to provide for its officers and their compensation.

Have 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,

R. H. ROWE,

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

The bills, memorial and resolution contained in the above report were duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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

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Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary A, to whom was referred—
Senate Bill No. 253:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit persons appearing upon any street, alley or highway in disguise or with face covered, except during certain public festivities, and to prescribe a penalty for the violation of this Act.

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

Very respectfully,
W. A. MacWILLIAMS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 253, contained in the above report, was placed on the table under the rules.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, May 11, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary B, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 398:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2405 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to fertilizers.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 397:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2398 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the

labeling and analysis of fertilizers, and to provide an appropriation for the extra work required by the amendment.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 449:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a Florida Board of Veterinary Examiners; to prescribe its membership, powers and duties; fix the compensation of its members and vest in said Board the authority to examine diplomas, credentials and affidavits of applicants and to hold examinations; to issue and revoke licenses to practice veterinary medicine and surgery in this State, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 297:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the pay of jurors attending the county judge's courts in certain counties of this State, and prescribing the manner in which said jurors shall be summoned.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 326:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2106, 5553 and 5554 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, the appointment of a State Veterinarian, his compensation and bond, prescribing a penalty for violating quarantines established by the State Live Stock Sanitary Board and for violating the regulations of said board as amended by Chapter 8508, Acts of 1921, Laws of Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

D. E. KNIGHT,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 398, 397, 449, and House Bill No. 297 and Senate Bill No. 326, contained in the above report, were placed on the table under the rule.

Mr. Igou, Chairman of the Committee on Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber.
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Roads and Highways, to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 405:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1647, 1648, 1649, 1650, 1652, 1653 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to Special Road and Bridge Districts.

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

Very respectfully,
W. M. IGOU,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 405, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Senator Mitchell—

Senate Bill No. 479:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit corporal punishment to prisoners and prohibiting any department by rule or regulation authorizing the same.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 479, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. MacWilliams moved to waive the rules and that Senate Bill No. 479, 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 took its position on the Calendar as ordered.

By Senator Turnbull—
Senate Bill No. 480:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions and the Commissioner of Agriculture to prohibit corporal punishment on County Convicts forever, and to prohibit the use of corporal punishment upon State Convicts for a period of two years, and to devise other punishment to supply and take the place of corporal punishment.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 480, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 480, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Stokes offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 480:

In Section 2, lines 4 and 5, strike out the following:

“Two years from the date of the passage of this Act.”

Mr. Stokes moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. Johnson moved that the amendment be laid on the table.

Which was agreed to, and the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Phillips offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 480:

At the end of Section 3 add the following:

“Provided, that any convict who has to be punished for violation of the rules and regulations as prescribed by the Board of Commissioners shall have the right to choose and determine what method of punishment shall be inflicted upon him for such violation.”

Mr. Phillips moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Scales offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 480:

At end of Section One add “for a period of two years from the passage of this Act.”

Mr. Scales moved the adoption of the amendment.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the amendment be laid on the table.

Upon which a ye and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, Phillips, Rowe, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Wicker—15.

Nays—Senators Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Eaton, Etheredge, Hedges, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Putnam, Russell, Stokes, Taylor—14.

So the amendment was laid on the table.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 480 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. 480 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Calkins, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wicker—16.

Nays—Senators Butler, Campbell, Eaton, Etheredge, Hodges, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Putnam, Rowe, Scales—11.

So the bill passed title as stated.

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

The following explanation of votes were offered by Messrs. MacWilliams and Stokes upon passage of Senate Bill No. 480:

We vote "yes" on this bill, because it is best we can get from the Senate, to prevent the whipping of convicts.

W. A. MacWILLIAMS,
JNO. P. STOKES.

Mr Hodges explained his vote as follows:

Mr. Hodges of the 8th votes no on Senate Bill No. 480, because he is not in favor of only a temporary abolishment of corporal punishment.

Mr. Russell explained his vote as follows:

I look upon this bill as a splendid concession on the part of the friends of corporal punishment. I therefore vote "yes," believing that while it is not a full declaration against the evil, it at least recognizes corporal punishment as an evil, and abolishes it in the prisons of Florida for two years.

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

May 11, 1923.

To the Senate of the State of Florida,
Tallahassee, Florida.

The Dade Memorial Commissioners extend thanks for the passage of bill providing for further investment for the Dade Memorial Park in Sumter County. We feel that its passage is an endorsement of the work heretofore done by the Commissioners, and we wish to assure you that the appropriation provided for in the bill just passed will be expended with the same degree of care as the first appropriation. We believe that this bill will enable us to make a park which will become the pride of the whole State of Florida.

DADE MEMORIAL COMMISSION,
By J. C. B. KOONCE,
Secretary.

On request, Senator Campbell of the 13th was excused until next Tuesday morning.

Senators Overstreet and Knabb were excused from attendance on the body until Monday afternoon next.

Mr. Malone moved that when the Senate adjourns today it shall recess to 4 p. m. to consider local bills only.

Mr. Taylor moved to substitute the motion to recess to 8 o'clock p. m.

The motion of Mr. Taylor was not agreed to.

The question then recurred upon Mr. Malone's motion to recess to 4 o'clock p. m. to consider local bills.

Which was agreed to.

The special hour set for the consideration of Senate Bill No. 9 having arrived.

Senate Bill No. 9:

A bill to be entitled An Act imposing License Taxes upon the gasoline or other like products of petroleum; providing for reports of sales of such commodities to the Comptroller of the State of Florida; providing for the disposition of the monies derived from such tax and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act and to repeal all laws in conflict with this Act.

Was taken up.

Consideration of the following Substitute for all pending Amendments to Senate Bill No. 9 which reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 10, strike out the words "one (1) cent per gallon of" and strike out lines 11, 12 and 13, commencing at the word "and" in line 11 and down to the word "dealer" in line 13.

Mr. Anderson moved that the Substitute be laid on the table.

Which was agreed to and the Substitute was tabled.

The question then recurred upon the Amendment to Substitute offered by Mr. Scales, which reads as follows:

Strike out the words "one cent per gallon of such tax shall go to the State of Florida," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Two cents per gallon of such tax shall go to the State of Florida."

By permission Mr. Scales withdrew the Substitute.

The question then recurred upon the substitute offered by Mr. Lindsey to the amendment offered by Mr. Rowe, which reads as follows:

Strike out the words "one cent per gallon of which tax shall go to the State of Florida and two cents per gallon of which tax shall go to the county in which such products are delivered by the dealer," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One cent per gallon of such tax shall go to the State of Florida and one cent per gallon of such tax shall be equally divided between the counties of the State of Florida."

Mr. Singletary offered the following amendment to the amendment to Substitute for Senate Bill No. 9:

Strike out "2c for State" and insert "1c for State."

Mr. Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Lindsey offered the following substitute for the amendment to Senate bill No. 9:

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Mr. Lindsey moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the amendment as amended, upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Wicker—22.

Nays—Senators Campbell, Eaton, Igou, Putnam, Stokes, Taylor—6.

So the amendment was adopted.

The hour of adjournment having passed, the Senate took a recess to 4 o'clock P. M. this day.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Senate met at 4 o'clock p. m. Saturday, May 12th.
The President in the chair.

The following Senators answered to their names:

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A quorum present.

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(Senate Bill No. 22):

An Act to revive and continue in effect an appropriation made by Chapter 6830, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, providing for Teacher-Training Departments in High Schools and making an appropriation therefor.

Whereas, Chapter 6830, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, being an Act providing for Teacher-Training Departments in High Schools and making an appropriation therefor and creating an appropriation in the sum of \$25,000.00 per year for two years, beginning July 1, 1915, or as much thereof as should be necessary, and

Whereas, Chapter 7371, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1917, being an Act providing that the appropriation made under Chapter 6830, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, for the purpose of providing teacher-training in County High Schools be made a continuing appropriation, and

Whereas, The remainder of the appropriation of \$50,000.00 herein referred to was under the provisions of Chapter 7371, Acts of 1917, converted into and remained a continuing appropriation for the uses and purposes set forth in the Acts above referred to until the said Chapter 7371, Acts of 1917, making the same a continuing appropriation, was repealed by having been omitted from the compilation

of the Revised General Statutes and by not having been included in the compilation of the Revised General Statutes of Florida of 1920, when such statutes were adopted as the General Laws of the State of Florida, and

Whereas, There now remains unexpended of the said original appropriation, the sum of \$21,850.00.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 415):

An Act relating to Turnbull Special Road and Bridge District in Volusia County, Florida, and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to make appropriation from the funds of said District to meet the appropriation of the State Road Department.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 41):

An Act for the relief of Frank Wideman, State Attorney in and for the Fourth Judicial Circuit of Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

R. H. ROWE,

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

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 630):

An Act to repeal the present charter of the City of Marianna, Chapter 6371, Act of May 5, 1911, and to grant a new charter for said city, defining its jurisdiction, boundaries, powers, privileges and immunities, and confirming

its title to all city property, and validating all tax assessments and levies heretofore made, and prescribing the general powers to be exercised by said city.

Also—

(House Memorial No. 4):

A Memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting an appropriation for the improvement of the navigation of the St. Johns River between Jacksonville and Palatka and Sanford, Florida.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 14):

Considering, that Section 2 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida provides that a regular session of the Legislature may extend for a period of 60 days; and

Considering, that the Legislature of the State of Florida in regular session convened in the year 1923 should adjourn not later than 12 o'clock noon the the first day of June, 1923; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the regular session of the Legislature for the State of Florida for the year 1923 adjourn sine die Friday, June 1st, 1923, at 12 o'clock noon.

Also—

(House Bill No. 823):

An Act to create, organize and establish a County Court in Seminole County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof, to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; to provide for its officers and their compensation.

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

Very respectfully,

R. H. ROWE,

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

By Consent—
The following message from the Governor was taken up
out of its order and read:

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

STATE OF FLORIDA.

Executive Department,
Tallahassee, May 12, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate,
Capitol.

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 150):

An Act providing for the creation of Hendry County in
the State of Florida, and for the organization and govern-
ment thereof.

(Senate Bill No. 323):

An Act establishing Special Tax School District Number
One in St. Johns County, Florida; defining its boundaries;
providing for the appointment of trustees therefor; author-
izing the levy of taxes upon the property in said District
for the exclusive use of the Public Free Schools therein
situate; and authorizing said District to issue bonds under
the general laws of Florida for the purpose of acquiring,
building, furnishing and otherwise improving School build-
ings and School Grounds within the said District.

Very respectfully,

CARY A. HARDEE,
Governor.

By consent, Mr. Igou—

Senate Bill No. 481:

A bill to be entitled An Act to enable the City of Eustis,
Florida, to regulate and limit the height and bulk of
buildings; to regulate and determine the area of yards,
courts and other open spaces, and to regulate and restrict
the location of trades and industries in said city.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and that Sen-
ate Bill No. 481 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 481 was read a second time by its
title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and
that Senate Bill No. 481 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. 481 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone,
Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Mac-
Williams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Shel-
ley—17.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Senator Butler—

Senate Bill No. 482:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring every person who
practices midwifery in the State of Florida to register
his or her name, place of residence and Post Office Address,
with the State Board of Health.

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

By Senator Shelley—

Senate Bill No. 483:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and ratify the
Special Election held in Carrabelle and MackIntyre, Frank-
lin County, Florida, on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1923,
to determine whether a certain part of Franklin County
should be created and constituted a Special Road and
Bridge District of said County, and a permanent Road and
Bridges be constructed in said District, and the issuance
of Fifty Thousand Dollars of Bonds.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Shelley moved that the rules be waived and that
Senate Bill No. 483, be read a second time by its title
only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 483, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Shelley moved that the rules be waived and that that Senate Bill No. 483, 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. 483, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Shelley—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Putnam—

Senate Bill No. 484:

A bill to be entitled An Act to empower and authorize the Town Council of the Town of Seabreeze, a municipality in Volusia County, Florida, to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other structures, the kind of material of which they may be constructed, the percentage of lot that may be occupied, the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, and the location and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence or other purposes, and to establish set-back building lines; to divide the Town of Seabreeze into districts and within such districts to regulate and restrict the erection, construction, reconstruction, alteration, repair or use of buildings, structures or land; to provide the manner for carrying out the provisions of this Act; to appoint a Zoning Commission, and prescribing its powers and duties; and providing a method of enforcing compliance with this Act or any Ordinance or regulation made under authority conferred by this Act.

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. Phillips—

Senate Bill No. 485:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require the State Board of Medical Examiners of the State of Florida to issue, without examination, a license to practice medicine in the State of Florida to any applicant therefor, who is a graduate of a legally incorporated medical college of institution in good standing with said Board; who has secured a license to practice medicine in any other State by means of an examination; who produces sufficient evidence of good moral character; who is a qualified voter in the State of Florida, and who has been an actual resident of the State of Florida for not less than one year, next, prior to the making of such application and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

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

By Mr. Epperson—

Senate Bill No. 486:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, approve and confirm proceedings taken for the levying of assessments against abutting property owners in the Town of Williston, Levy County, Florida, for the construction of certain street paving, and to validate, approve and confirm the ordinance providing for the same, and all other acts and proceedings taken by the council of said town and other officers and agents of said town for and on behalf of the same in connection with the levying of said assessments; to validate, approve and confirm certificates of indebtedness issued against said assessments and said abutting property on account of said street paving, and to authorize the issue of improvement bonds against the same.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 486 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 486 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 486 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. 486 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Shelley—17.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Knight—

Senate Bill No. 487:

A bill to be entitled An Act to empower, authorize, require and direct the Board of County Commissioners of Bradford County, Florida, to levy and collect a special tax upon all the taxable property in Bradford County, Florida, for the purpose of paying to Union County, Florida, the sum of thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000.00) for its share of the county property of Bradford County, Florida, as the same existed prior to October first, 1921, and requiring the payment of the proceeds realized from such tax to Union County, Florida; and to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm the acts, agreements and resolutions of the Board of County Commissioners, the Assessor of Taxes and the Tax Collector of Bradford County, Florida, made, executed, passed, done or performed by them or either of them in an effort to liquidate and pay said indebtedness of thirteen thousand dollars, under the terms and provisions of Chapter 8516, Laws of Florida, 1921, Volume One thereof, and Chapter 8620, Laws of Florida, 1921, Volume Two thereof, and to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the tax levy of Bradford County, Florida, for the year 1922, for the purpose of liquidating said indebtedness pursuant to said laws.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 487 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 487 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 487 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. 487 was read a third time in full.
Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley—19.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bills Nos. 37 and 72 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 365:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Riviera, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of Riviera and official acts thereunder; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the Town of Riviera, Palm Beach County, Florida; and to fix and provide its territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers; and to provide that the said Town of Riviera shall not be annexed nor consolidated with any other incorporation, City or Town, without the consent of two-thirds majority of the registered voters actually voting at an election to be held in the said Town of Riviera.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Mr. Campbell moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 365 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 365 was read a third time in full.
Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—19.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 389:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, to issue and sell County Bonds for the purpose of funding the outstanding indebtedness of all the various Special Road and Bridge Districts of said County as may be evidenced by Special Road and Bridge District Bonds or Time Warrants, and providing that all and every of the provisions of the General Laws of the State of Florida with reference to the issuance and sale of County Bonds shall be applicable thereto.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 389, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 389, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 389, 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. 389, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 390:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, to convey real estate belonging to said County, and to execute sufficient deed thereto.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 390 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 390 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 390 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. 390 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bills Nos. 403, 404, 406 and 409 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 418:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Five of Chapter 6587, Laws of Florida, approved June 7, 1913, entitled "An Act relating to the powers, duties and jurisdiction of the Court of Record in Escambia County, Florida, and of its judge and officers, and relating to the powers, duties and jurisdiction of other officers in said County of Escambia, in relation to matters within the jurisdiction of said Court of Record."

Was taken up.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 418 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 418 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 418 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. 418 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 425:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the city of DeLand to levy a special tax for a hospital and city library purposes.

Was taken up.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 425 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 425 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 425 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. 425 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—19.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 429:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define the words "Paid for by the City" as used in the thirty-ninth line of Section 42 of Chapter 8259, Laws of Florida, on Page 692, Special Acts of 1919, said Chapter being the city charter of Dade City, Florida; to authorize the City Council of Dade City to widen any pavement laid on any street or road in said city by the Board of Commissioners of Pasco County, Florida, either for the county or by any Special Road and Bridge District of the county, and to assess the cost and expense of so widening the same against the abutting property; and providing for and authorizing certificates of indebtedness to be issued by said City Council on account of such assessments.

Was taken up.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 429, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 429, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 429, 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. 429, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 440, was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 441:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants and to provide for

the application of the moneys derived from such issue and sale.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 441 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 441 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 441 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. 441 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Mac-Williams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 442:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating and fixing the compensation of the County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 442 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 442 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 442 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. 442 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Mac-Williams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 444:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, approve and confirm proceedings taken for the levying of assessments against certain property abutting and fronting upon a certain street in the Town of Eustis, Lake County, Florida, known and designated as "Lake Gracie Drive," for the construction of certain street paving thereon; to validate, approve and confirm the ordinances providing for the same and all other Acts and proceedings taken by the Town Council of said Town and the other officers and agents of said town for and on behalf of same in connection with the levying of said assessments; to authorize said town to issue certificates of indebtedness against said assessments and said property abutting and fronting on said streets and avenues; and to authorize said town to issue improvement bonds against said assessments and such certificates of indebtedness, and to make the same general obligations of the said Town of Eustis.

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 444 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 444 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 444 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. 444 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Mac-Williams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 445:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, approve and confirm proceedings taken for the levying of assessments against certain property abutting and fronting upon certain streets and avenues in the Town of Eustis, Lake County, Florida; for the construction of certain street paving; to validate, approve and confirm the ordinances providing for the same, and all other Acts and proceedings taken by the Town Council of said town and the other officers and agents of said town for and on behalf of same in connection with the levying of said assessments; to authorize said town to issue certificates of indebtedness against said assessments and said property abutting and fronting on said streets and avenues; and to authorize said town to issue improvement bonds against said assessments and said certificates of indebtedness, and to make same the general obligations of the said town of Eustis.

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 445 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 445 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 445 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. 445 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bills Nos. 446 and 451 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 452:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, approve and confirm proceedings taken by the Town Council of the Town of Umatilla, Lake County, Florida, for the construction and paving of certain streets in said town; to authorize the Town Council of said town to levy assessments against the property fronting or abutting on said streets or portions thereof to be paved; and to authorize the issuance of certificates of indebtedness and improvement bonds of said town based upon said assessments, and to make same the general obligations of the said Town of Umatilla.

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 452 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 452 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 452 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. 452 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 453:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the redistricting of the County of Saint Lucie into Special Tax School Districts by Consolidating certain Special Tax School Districts and changing and rectifying the boundaries between others.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 453 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 453 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 453 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. 453 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hordes, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 454:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Pahokee, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said town and official acts thereunder; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the Town of Pahokee, Palm Beach County, Florida; and to fix and provide its territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 454, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 454, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 454, 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. 454, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 455:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the issuance of bonds by Fort Pierce Special Tax School District Number 2 and St. Lucie Special Tax School District Number 15, of Saint Lucie County, Florida, for the purpose of erecting, building and furnishing a Central High School Building in the City of Fort Pierce.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 455 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 455 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 455 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. 455 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 456:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 7592 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1917.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 456 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 456 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 456 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. 456 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 457:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all of the proceedings taken for the creation and organization of Pahokee Drainage District, and all of the acts and proceedings taken by, for and on behalf of said District since the creation thereof, and all of 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; authorizing the Board of Supervisors of said District to pay for work done and refund amounts expended by the Drainage Commissioners of Everglade Drainage District; to extend the term of said District to ninety-nine years; and to authorize the said Board of Supervisors to construct such dikes, dams and levees on and across certain lands and waters adjacent to said district, as they shall deem necessary or useful in their general plan of drainage.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 457 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 457 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 457 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. 457 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 469:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the construction maintenance and operation of toll roads, and bridges used in connection therewith, in the County of Monroe in the State of Florida; regulating the operation thereof and prescribing tolls to be collected thereon; granting the right of eminent domain and prescribing certain penalties.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 469, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 469, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 469, 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. 469, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 451:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for proceedings in the Courts of Escambia County, Florida, other than the Circuit Court, upon appearance bonds and bail bonds and for the estreature of such bonds, and to prescribe the powers and duties of the Court of Record of Escambia County, Florida, with reference to such bonds; and to provide for the rendition of judgment by the Court of Record of Escambia County, Florida, upon such bonds and to provide for the enforcement of such bonds through the Court of Record of Escambia County, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 451 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 451 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Stokes moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 451 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. 451 was read a third time in full. Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote

was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 470:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations to pay one-third the cost of paving streets, abutting property of the state, in the City of Tallahassee.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 470 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 470 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 470 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. 470 was read a third time in full.

Pending the call of the roll on the passage of the bill—

Mr. Hodges moved to waive the rules and that Senate Bill No. 470 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill was so placed.

Senate Bill No. 471 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 466:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the construction, maintenance and operation of toll roads and bridges in connection therewith, in the County of Hendry in the State of Florida; regulating the operation thereof and prescribing tolls to be collected thereon; granting the right of eminent domain and prescribing certain penalties.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 466 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 466 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 466 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. 466 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Malone—
Senate Bill No. 468:

A bill to be entitled An Act to organize and establish a County Court in and for Lee County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof; to provide for the appointment of a Prosecuting Attorney for said Court, and prescribing the fees and the salaries of the Judge and the Prosecuting Attorney of the said Court and to provide for the transfer of causes from other courts.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 468 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 468 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 468 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. 468 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 307:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3043, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, as amended by Chapter 8484, Acts of 1921, relating to the time of holding the regular term of the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial Circuit of Florida.

Was taken up out of its order.

Mr. Shelley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 307 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 307 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Shelley moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 307 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. 307 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 334:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3045 of Article 1, Chapter 4, of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, providing for the holding of a spring and fall term of the Circuit Court, Fourth Judicial Circuit of Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 334 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 334 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 334 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. 334 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By consent the following bills were introduced:
Senate Bill No. 488:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create certain territory in Lake County, Florida, into a Special Road and Bridge District, and to provide for the issuance and sale of Bonds, interest bearing time warrants or script by the County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida; in behalf of said District, and providing for the levy and collection of a tax on all taxable property within said district, for the purpose of paying the interest and principal of such bonds, time warrants or script.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 488 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 488, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 488, 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. 488, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Putnam—

Senate Bill No. 489:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and authorizing Volusia County, Florida, to construct a bridge across the Hillsboro or Indian River North at New Smyrna, Florida; or purchase the present bridge across said River, and repair, rebuild, or reconstruct the same; relating to and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of said county to issue time warrants or bonds for such purpose and providing for the payment thereof; and relating to

and authorizing the County Commissioners of said county to fix and collect tolls and charges on said bridge.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 489 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 489 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 489 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. 489 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Knight—

Senate Bill No. 490:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the operation upon or over the public roads of Bradford County, Florida, of vehicles, trucks, tractors, implements, log-carts, log-wagons and trailers, traction engines, trailers and other implements without rubber or smooth surfaced metal tires or having tires or supporting surfaces of a character injurious to said roads or the surface thereof, and providing a penalty for the violation of such provisions; and providing for the operation of such vehicles by permission of the Board of Bond Trustees of said county; and providing for the operation of such vehicles used for transportation of logs, timber or turpentine products in accordance with the rules and regulations to be fixed by the said Board of Bond Trustees for the repair or damage done by said vehicles, and providing penalties for violation of such provisions; and providing for recovery of damages and attorney fees from persons damaging such roads; and providing for the granting of temporary and permanent injunction without bond to protect such roads,

and defining "public roads" as used in this Act, and providing for the issue of writs of mandamus to compel the repair of damages to such roads; and providing rules and evidences for civil action and criminal prosecution with regard to such roads and damages thereto and exempting the Federal, State and County governments from the provisions thereof while building, maintaining or improving such roads and vesting in the said Board of Bond Trustees in said county the power and authority to make, prescribe and promulgate rules and regulations for the protection of, etc.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 490 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 490 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 490 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. 490 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bills Nos. 412, 319, 291 and 394 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 193:

A bill to be entitled An Act establishing Special Tax School District Number One (1), in St. Johns County, Florida; defining its boundaries; providing for the appointment of Trustees therefor; authorizing the levy of taxes upon the property in said district for the exclusive use of the Public Free Schools therein situate; and authorizing said District to issue bonds under the General

Laws of Florida for the purpose of acquiring, building, furnishing and otherwise improving school buildings and school grounds within the said District.

Was taken up.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that House Bill No. 193 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

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

House Bill No. 572:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the validation and collection of back taxes of the Town of Callahan, Florida, and to legalize and confirm collections heretofore made.

Was taken up.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 572 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 572 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 572 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. 572 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 525:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all of the proceedings taken for the creation and organization of the Cocoa Drainage District, and all of the Acts and Proceedings taken by, for and on behalf of said District since the creation thereof, and all of the Acts and Proceedings of the Circuit Court of Brevard County, and of the Board of Supervisors, the Commis-

sioners and all other officers of said Drainage District, and of said Brevard County 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.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 525 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 525 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 525 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. 525 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 576:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 30, 33, 34 and 36 of Chapter 6333, Laws of Florida, 1911, same being An Act to establish the municipality of the town of Callahan; to provide for its government; fix its territorial limits and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 576, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 576, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 576, 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. 576 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 514:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Town of Jennings Florida to collect, foreclose and enforce Tax liens for delinquent Taxes now due and past due to said Town for the years 1919, 1920, 1921, and 1922, or that may hereafter for any subsequent year or years become due and delinquent to said Town, with accrued Interest, Penalties and costs thereon; providing the method of such proceedings and the costs thereof.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 514 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 514 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 515:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 4, 24, 71, and 73, of Chapter 8248, Laws of Florida (Acts of 1919), same being the Charter Act of the Town of Jennings, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 515 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 515, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 515 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. 515, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators, Calkins, Campbell, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 533:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a Firemen's Pension Fund for the members of the Paid Fire Department of the City of Key West, and provide for the payment of pensions to certain members of said Fire Department.

Was taken up and read a second time.

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

In Section 1, line 4, after the word "City," insert the following: "One half of one mill."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

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

In Section 1, line 1, after the word "of," insert the following: "One half of one mill."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

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

In Section 2, line 5, strike out the words "By the County of Monroe" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "within the corporate limits of the City of Key West."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

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

In Section 4, line 3, strike out the words "By the County of Monroe" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Within the Corporate limits of the City of Key West."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

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

In Section 5, line 3, strike out the words "By the County of Monroe" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Within the Corporate limits of the City of Key West."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

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

In Section 6, line 3, strike out the words "By the County of Monroe," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Within the corporate limits of the City of Key West."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

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

In Section 8, line 2, strike out the words "By the County of Monroe" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Within the Corporate limits of the City of Key West."

Mr. Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 533 as amended 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. 533 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, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill as amended passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 460:

A bill to be entitled **An Act to amend Section 4 of An Act of the Legislature of the State of Florida approved April 26, A. D. 1919, entitled: An Act to abolish the present City Municipal Government of Okeechobee, Florida; to legalize and Validate the Ordinances and all official Acts thereunder, and to fix its territorial boundaries, Jurisdiction, and Powers of its officers, and known as Chapter 8318 Acts of 1919.**

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 460 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 460 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 460 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. 460 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 625:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Sarasota County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing time warrants, not to exceed the sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of transcribing portions of the Records of Manatee County, relating to lands and property now in Sarasota County, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 625 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 625 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 625 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. 625 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 626:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Sarasota County, a Florida; to borrow money not to exceed Fifty Per Centum of the estimate of the Revenue to be collected for any fiscal year for said County; to provide for the repayment of said money borrowed, and the interest to be paid for same.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 626 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 626 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 626 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. 626 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 627:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Sarasota County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable time warrants, and to provide for the application of the money derived from such issue and sale.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 627 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 627 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 627 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 627 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 726:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, approve and confirm all and every of the proceedings had and taken by the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, relative to the issuance, for the erection and construction of a new County Jail in the County of Lee, State of Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 726 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 726 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 726 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. 726 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 674:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Tallahassee to levy a special tax for creating a publicity and advertising fund for said city, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

Was taken up.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 674, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 674, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 674, 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. 674, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 660:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm Street and Sidewalk Assessments in the City of Fort Pierce, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 660 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 660 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 660 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. 660 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 654:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Hillcrest Heights, and to define its territorial boundaries; and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Was taken up.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 654 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 654 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Eaton moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 654 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. 654 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 629:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize Sarasota County to issue negotiable time warrants in the amount of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) dollars for county purposes.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 629 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 629 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 629 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. 629 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 727:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing negotiable time warrants to construct and build a bridge across the Caloosahatchee River, whether within or without the limits of a municipality, at or near the city of Fort Myers, or for the purpose of providing funds to take over and acquire the property both real and personal of the Caloosahatchee Bridge Company, a Florida corporation, and providing for the levy of a levy and collection of a tax pursuant to the provisions of the general law to pay the interest on and to create a sinking fund for the payment and redemption of said time warrants.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone, moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 727, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 727, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 727, 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. 727, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 688:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 8625, Acts of the Legislature of 1921, entitled "An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to issue Interest-Bearing Time Warrants in the sum of Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars, bearing interest at six per cent per annum, and payable on or before a date twenty-five years after date thereof for the purpose of constructing, widening, hard surfacing and maintaining a public road and highway to be known as the Merritt Island Road in Road District No. 2 of said Brevard County, and to provide for the payment of the same."

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 688 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 688 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 688 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. 688 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 693:

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

Was taken up.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 693 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 693 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 693 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 693 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 692:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate traffic upon the graded roads of Pasco County, Florida, defining such roads, restricting the weight of loads that may be hauled thereover, forbidding the use for certain purposes, limiting the speed of certain vehicles while using the same; and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Was taken up.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 692 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 692 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 692 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 692 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 685:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the period of redemption of lands in the Cocoa Drainage District that may be sold for delinquent taxes assessed by said district.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 686:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Cocoa Drainage District to borrow money, and issue notes therefor, payable out of annual installment and maintenance taxes.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived House Bill No. 686 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 686 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 686 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. 686 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou,

Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bil No. 687:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the appointment of a receiver to collect delinquent taxes of the Cocoa Drainage District upon application of any bondholder, in case of default.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 687, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 687, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 687 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. 687, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 707:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful for Live Stock to run or roam at large in the following part of Okechobee County, Florida: Townships 36 and 37, and fractional Township 38 of Range 35, and Fractional Township 37 of Ranges 33 and 34, and Fractional Township 38 of Range 34; to provide for the impounding and sale of such Live Stock so running at large; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act; and providing that persons damaged by such stock running at large may recover damages

therefor, together with a reasonable attorney's fee, from the owner of such Live Stock.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 707 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 707, was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 707, 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. 707, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 619:

A bill to be entitled An Act in relation to indentured pilot apprentices for the Port of Key West, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No 619 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 619 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 619 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. 619 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Shelley, Stokes—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 342:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of counties having a population of more than 40,000 and not more than 45,000, and which had a total assessed valuation for the year A. D. 1922 of more than twenty-seven million dollars (\$27,000,000.00).

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 342 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 342 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 342 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 342 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 696:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of taxi drivers in the collection of their fares in Santa Rosa County, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Mapoles moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 696 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 696 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mapoles moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 696 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 696 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 749:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 5, 38 and 39 of Chapter 5791 of the Acts of the Legislature of Florida, 1907, the same being "An Act to establish, organize and constitute a municipality in DeSoto County, Florida, to be known and designated as the Town of Bowling Green, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges," and to provide for the appointment of a Town Marshal by the Town Council of the Town of Bowling Green, Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 749 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 749 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 749 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. 749 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 758:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of Moore Haven, in Glades County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of Moore Haven, in Glades County, Florida, to legalize and validate the ordinances of said City of Moore Haven and official Acts thereunder; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of the City of Moore Haven, in Glades County, Florida, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 758 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 758 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 758 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. 758 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By consent—

By Mr. Mapoles—

Senate Bill No. 491:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the open and closed seasons for hunting, killing or having in one's possession any wild game in certain sections and territories of Okaloosa County, Florida, and providing the penalties for the violation of this Act; also providing means for the collection of funds and moneys for the enforcement of

this Act; and also authorizing the appointment of Special Game Wardens, and giving the authority to agents of the United States government in charge of the National Choctawhatchee National Forest Reserve in said Okaloosa County, Florida, to enforce the provisions of this Act and the local fish laws of said Okaloosa County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Mapoles moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 491 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 491 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mapoles moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 491 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. 491 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 554:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, validate and confirm the assessments and levies of taxes for the years 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922, by the Town of Perry, Florida, and to legalize, validate and confirm the Tax Sales and Tax Sale Certificates issued upon said sales for the years 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922.

Was taken up.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 554 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 554 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 554 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. 554 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 744:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, Chapter 5791, the same being "An Act to establish, organize and constitute a municipality in DeSoto County, Florida, to be known and designated as the Town of Bowling Green, and to define its territorial boundaries and provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges," prescribing a method for the assessment and collection of taxes upon real and personal property within said municipality.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 744 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 744 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 744 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. 744 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Etheredge moved to waive the rules and that the Senate do now consider—

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 11, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
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. 343:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating, organizing and incorporating a special tax district in St. Lucie County, Florida, to be known and designated as Fort Pierce Inlet District; prescribing the boundaries thereof, providing for the government and administration of said district; to define the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof; to authorize said Board to construct, improve and maintain an inlet in said district connecting the waters of the Atlantic Ocean with the waters of the Indian River; to construct all other works necessary or proper in connection with said inlet; to provide for the acquiring and condemnation of any property needed for district purposes; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes for district purposes; to authorize said Board to borrow money and issue and sell bonds to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to provide for an election to determine whether bonds of the district shall be issued; to prevent injury to works constructed under this Act; and to prescribe penalties therefor; to confer upon and charge to said district all rights, properties, debts and obligations of the citizens, inhabitants and property owners of the same territory acting or

claiming to act as an incorporated taxing district under the name of Fort Pierce Inlet District; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith; and generally to provide for the construction, improvement and maintenance of the Fort Pierce Inlet.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 188:

A bill to be entitled An Act to further provide for and maintain the Dade Memorial Park and to make appropriation therefor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 231:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6102 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida providing when Grand Jury of another county may indict for crimes committed outside of such county and relating to the place of trial.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 437:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate the proceedings of the town of Greenville, Florida, in relation to the calling of an election for the issuance of bonds in the sum of \$40,000.00 for a water works system and electric light system for said town, and all acts and proceedings pertaining to the holding of the election and declaration of the result thereof, and providing for the execution and issuance of said bonds, and the levying and collection of taxes to pay same.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 343, 188, 231 and 437, contained in the above message, were read the first time by their titles and referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, May 11, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 303:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the running or roaming at large of live stock in a certain portion of Lake County; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act and to provide that owners of property damaged or destroyed by live stock running or roaming at large may recover damages for such injury or destruction.

Which—

Amendment is as follows:

“Strike out all of Section 2.”

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 11, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 607:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Legalize, Ratify, Validate, and confirm that certain ordinance passed and adopted by the City Commission of the City of Leesburg, Florida on the 12th day of March, A. D. 1923, entitled “An Ordi-

nance providing for the Issuance of \$25,000.00 Bonds against the Electric Light, Water and Ice Plants of the City of Leesburg, Florida, providing for the payment of interest thereon, and the accumulation of a sinking fund for the payment of principal, and pledging said plants and the revenue therefrom as security for the same;" and to authorize and empower the City Commission of said City to cause the bonds mentioned in said Ordinance to be issued and sold, and declaring the same valid, legal and binding obligations of said City when so issued and sold in accordance with the provisions of said Ordinance.

Which amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1 strike out the word "Bonds."

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 1, line 9, strike out the word "coupon" and insert in lieu thereof the following: the word "bonds."

Very respectfully,

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 11, 1923.

Hon. T. T. Turnbull,
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. 804:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Hardee County, Florida, to issue County Notes, Certificates of Indebtedness or other evidence of indebtedness of Hardee County, Florida, in an amount not exceeding Fifty Thousand Dollars, for the purchase of a Court House site and for the construction and equipment of a County Jail for said County, and for funding the outstanding indebtedness of said County, providing that the

same when issued shall have all the attributes of negotiable papers; and authorizing and requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Hardee County, Florida, to levy a tax sufficient to pay the principal and the interest thereof.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 804, contained in the above message was read the first time by its title and was placed on Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

Mr. Hodges moved that when the Senate adjourns it shall adjourn to 8 o'clock P. M.

Mr. Calkins moved that when the Senate adjourns, it shall adjourn to 10 o'clock Monday morning.

Mr. Hodges withdrew his motion to adjourn.

The motion of Mr. Calkins was agreed to.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Thereupon the Senate at 5:42 o'clock P. M. stood adjourned to Ten o'clock A. M. Monday, May 14, 1923.

SUSPENSIONS.

The Senate in its consideration of Executive Communication on Friday May 11, refused to consent to the removal by the Governor, of Robert C. Baker, from the office of Sheriff of Palm Beach County, Fla.