

thereof; and to prescribe a rule of evidence in relation to seized property taken in violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 988):

An Act permitting the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Dade, State of Florida, to issue bonds for the purpose of funding or refunding at its maturity any debt or obligation of said Board now existing, whether due or to grow due; to determine the denominations, rate of interest and maturities of said bonds; to provide for the publication of a notice inviting bids for said bonds, and to define a method governing the disposal of same; to arrange for the County Commissioners to levy an annual tax for the purpose of creating an interest and sinking fund for the payment of the interest on said bonds when due, and to retire the same their maturity, and to arrange for the investment of said sinking fund.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1074):

An Act to provide for the appointment of an official Court Reporter for the Criminal Court of Record in and for Duval County, Florida, and fixing the fees and compensation of said reporter.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

*Hon. T. T. Turnbull,*

*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

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

(Senate Bill No. 581):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Collier County, Florida, to extend, repair improve, grade, construct and hard surface or to have extended, repaired, improved, graded, constructed or hard surfaced all or any part of that road known and designated as "Tamiami Trail," as well as any and all other roads in the territory of said County that now exist or that may be hereafter designated as public roads including any and all roads or bridges that may have been constructed by private enterprise, that may be taken over by the County Commissioners of Collier County as public roads or bridges, and to repair or construct bridges and culverts on said roads, and to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing time warrants, with or without interest coupons, not to exceed in the aggregate the sum of Five Hundred Thousand (\$500,000.00) Dollars; to use the proceeds thereof for the extension, repairing, construction, improvement, grading, or hard surfacing of said road or roads, and the repairing or construction of said bridges and culverts, and in payment for any roads or bridges so constructed by private enterprise that may be taken over by said County Commissioners, and to provide for the levy and collection of a special tax against the taxable property of said County for the purpose of paying the interest on such time warrants, and to provide for a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity; and to provide for the use of said taxes for road and bridge purposes in case such time warrants are not sold; and providing for the purchase, liquidation, or redemption of said time warrants or any part thereof upon the issuance of any bonds for such purposes, and providing for the substitution of such bonds, with the consent of the holder or holders of such warrants, for said warrant or warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 529):

An Act amending Section 2 of Chapter 8988, Acts of 1921, Laws of Florida, being An Act amending Sections 49, 59, 63, 68, 69 and 92 of Chapter 8290, Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida, being An Act for the establishment of the municipality of Key West, and providing its government and jurisdiction; and providing that said City may adopt an official map for assessment purposes, and may provide for the discovery of property values for license and taxation purposes and for the prosecution of the violations of law, providing for the City Council to determine the amount and fix the rate of taxation and to make the annual tax levies and fixing the maximum amount of said levies; providing for the transfer of funds from one fund of the City to another fund.

Have examined the same and find same 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 have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 1005):

An Act authorizing Bay County, Florida, to issue and sell bonds for the construction of a toll ferry across the east arm of St. Andrew's Bay, and prescribing how tolls and charges shall be fixed, and powers of eminent domain in said county in connection therewith, and providing for the retirement of said bonds.

Also—

(House Bill No. 883):

An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, to levy a special tax for agricultural purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 984):

An Act granting pension to Mrs. Lucy Hare, of Walton County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 765):

An Act to authorize the County of Lee to levy a Special Tax for the support and maintenance of charitable hospitals within the County of Lee, State of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 786):

An Act providing for the catching and taking of shrimp at any time from the waters of Pensacola Bay in Escambia County; repealing conflicting laws, and providing for penalties for the violation of said Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 487):

An Act for the relief of Mrs. Safronia D. Buggs, of Escambia County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 962):

An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate all acts and proceedings of the Board of Public Instruction for Lake County, Florida, in connection with the issuance of bonds of Special Tax School District No. 6 in said county, in the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00.)

Also—

(House Bill No. 1059):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to issue for and on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District Number Eleven (11) of Palm Beach County, Florida, additional bonds to pay for the construction and completion of certain roads and bridges in the said Special Road and Bridge District Number Eleven (11).

Also—

(House Bill No. 1125):

An Act relating to the government and powers of the Lake Worth Drainage District, a Drainage District created under the Laws of Florida, relating to the issuance of bonds of said District, and authorizing, approving, ratifying, legalizing, validating and confirming certain bonds of said District and all acts and resolutions in the issuance of said bonds and declaring said bonds to be legally binding direct negotiable obligations of the said Lake Worth Drainage District.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 1088):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to create Special Road and Bridge District No. 9, within Brevard County, Florida, to borrow not to exceed the sum of \$30,000.00, to issue time warrants therefor against said Special Road and Bridge District for the construction of a certain hard surfaced road in said district, and providing for the repayment thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 961):

An Act to legalize the election held on May 12, A. D. 1923, in the Town of Mt. Dora, Lake County, Florida, to determine whether or not bonds should be issued and sold as proposed and provided by an Ordinance passed by the Town Council of the Town of Mt. Dora, Lake County, Florida, on April 11, 1923, and approved by the Mayor of said Town of Mt. Dora on April 11, 1923; to declare and render valid said ordinance and all proceedings had thereunder and authorizing the issuance of bonds as provided in said Ordinance and for the sale of same; to render said bonds valid when issued and to confirm the said election in every respect.

Also—

(House Bill No. 891):

An Act to amend Section 5 of An Act entitled "An Act to permit the qualified voters of Brevard County, Florida, to decide whether Live Stock shall be allowed to run or roam at large within certain territorial limits of said County; and providing for the enforcement of this Act, and for the impounding of Live Stock found running or roaming at large in said territorial limits of Brevard County; and providing that a violation of this Act shall constitute a misdemeanor, and fixing a penalty therefor, said Act being known as Chapter 8633, Laws of Florida, 1921, which became a law without the approval of the Governor.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1067):

An Act authorizing and empowering Special Tax School District Number Eight of Citrus County, Florida, to borrow money in excess of current indebtedness and bond issues, to issue notes or time warrants and to pay interest on same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 246):

An Act granting pension to B. A. Sullivan of Osceola County, Florida.

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

Senate Chamber.  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 950):

An Act to abolish the office of Bond Trustee in Manatee County Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 858):

An Act to legalize and validate all proceedings had and done in the calling and holding of an election in Special Tax School District Number 1, of Osceola County, Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 6542, Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida, and authorizing and validating the issuance of bonds to the amount of \$45,000.00 by the Board of Public Instruction of Osceola County, Florida, in pursuance thereof, etc.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1062):

An Act to prohibit seining for the purpose of catching fish in Lake Reedy in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to provide penalties for violation.

Also—

(House Bill No. 932):

An Act to prohibit and make it unlawful for live stock to run or roam at large within the territorial limits of Broward County, Florida; to provide for the impounding and sale of said live stock when found running or roaming at large in violation of this Act; to provide for the recovery of damages suffered by persons or property by reason thereof, and to provide punishment for the owners of such

live stock who willfully and knowingly permit same to run or roam at large within the territorial limits of Broward County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 996) :

An Act to confer upon the City of West Tampa, a municipal corporation in Hillsborough County, Florida, power to pave, grade, curb, and sewer any street, alley or highway within the corporate limits of said city and to assess the cost of such improvements against abutting property; to prescribe the manner in which such assessments shall be made and contracts for such improvements let; to create a lien upon abutting property for such improvements; to provide for the issuance of certificates of indebtedness evidencing such assessments and the form and provisions thereof and the manner and method in which such assessments and certificates of indebtedness evidencing the same may be collected; and to provide for the foreclosure of the lien of said assessments upon abutting property.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 1083) :

An Act to authorize and empower the County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, to levy an annual tax for County Publicity purposes and to expend the funds so raised for advertising and promoting the resources of Nassau County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 921) :

An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Lake Worth Inlet District of Palm Beach County, Florida, to issue negotiable coupon bonds in the corporate name of said district not to exceed the total aggregate amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) to be outstanding at any one time; providing for an election or elections to be held on the question of the issuance of said bonds; providing that no bonds shall be issued unless the question of issuance shall be submitted to and approved by two-thirds of the qualified electors of said district who are tax payers and who vote at said election or elections; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1089) :

An Act to amend Sections 8 and 9 of Chapter 6108, Laws of Florida 1909; to provide for the creation of the office of Chief of Police and the election of such officer for the City of Titusville, Florida; to authorize and empower the City Council to designate a Bank or Banks as depository or depositories for money belonging to said City and provide for the depositing of such money and to repeal Chapter 6407, Laws of Florida, 1911, and provide, by Ordinance, for the City Council to assume the duties of Trustees of City bonds as provided in Chapter 6407 Laws of Florida 1911.

Also—

(House Bill No. 998) :

An Act to amend Section 17 relating to the general powers of the Town of River Junction, Florida, of Chapter 9060 of the Laws of the State of Florida, entitled, "An Act to establish the municipality of River Junction, Florida; to authorize and provide for its territorial limits, its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities."

Also—

(House Bill No. 1027) :

An Act to grant a pension to John C. McDaniel, an Ex-Confederate Soldier, residing in Okaloosa County, Florida.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir :*

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

(House Bill No. 771) :

An Act to amend Sections 33, 34, 36 and 79, of Chapter 8926, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled "An Act to

abolish the present municipality of the Town of Clermont, County of Lake, State of Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Clermont, County of Lake, State of Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government; to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges; to confer certain powers upon said municipality and the officers thereof, and to provide for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act; to validate, confirm and legalize certain bonds heretofore authorized by the Town of Clermont" and to provide further and additional powers for said municipality.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1023) :

An Act to validate all proceedings taken for the issuance of 106 interest bearing coupon warrants of the total par value of \$106,000.00, proposed to be sold by the Board of Public Instruction for the County of Escambia, State of Florida; to make and declare said warrants and coupons and the signatures thereto valid and binding; to authorize provisions for the payment of said warrants at any place in or out of this State, and to authorize their sale publicly or privately and at less than par.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1061) :

An Act to regulate the load, tonnage or capacity carried or hauled on vehicles having certain width tires in Glades County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1008) :

An Act validating the calling and holding of an election Weirsdale Special Tax School District Number Nine of Marion County, Florida, for the issuance of Fifteen Thousand Dollars of bonds for the construction of a school building in said District and confirming and validating the bonds issued or to be issued in pursuance of the said election.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 851):

An Act amending Sections 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, and 11, of Chapter 7080, of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, approved June 5, 1915, entitled, "An Act to create and incorporate a Special Taxing District in Palm Beach County, Florida, to be known as South Lake Worth Inlet District, embracing all of Townships Forty-four (44) and Forty-five (45) South, Range Forty-three (43) East, and all of Townships Forty-four (44) and Forty-five (45) South, Range Forty-two (42) East, and to prescribe the boundaries of said district and to provide for the government and administration of the same, and to prescribe and define the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof, and to authorize said Board to construct an inlet in said District to connect the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean

and all other works necessary or proper in connection therewith, and to empower said Board to levy and provide for the collection of taxes upon all the taxable property in said district for said purposes and other purposes authorized by this Act, and to authorize said Board to borrow money and to issue and sell bonds and procure moneys to carry out the provisions of this Act, and to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and generally to create and provide the powers of such district for the construction and maintenance of an inlet in said district connecting the waters of Lake Worth with the Atlantic Ocean," relating to the election of the Commissioners of South Lake Worth Inlet District in Palm Beach County, Florida, to the levy of certain taxes for the purposes of said district, the borrowing of money by said district, and the issuance of bonds by said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 217):

An Act to amend Section 6096 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the effect of recommendations to mercy in capital cases.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1094):

An Act to regulate the granting, issuing and revoking of permits to carry pistols in Santa Rosa County, Florida.

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 have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(Concurrent Resolution House No. 17):

Whereas, The Gamble Mansion in the village of Ellenton in Manatee County, Florida, is the identical spot where Juda P. Benjamin, Secretary of State of the Confederacy, barricaded himself when sought to be captured by the Federal Government in the year 1865 during the War between the States; and,

Whereas, It is recognized as being one of the most famous historical spots in the South and dear to the hearts of all citizens of the State of Florida as well as all Southerners; and,

Whereas, It is rapidly falling into a state of decay and should therefore be purchased by the State of Florida and preserved, therefore, etc.

Also—

(House Bill No. 952):

An Act creating the Jaudon Drainage and Improvement District of Florida, defining and establishing its boundaries, granting its powers and privileges, prescribing its duties and liabilities, naming its Board of Supervisors, and providing for the election or appointment of their successors, and of the other officers and agents of said district, providing for the levy and collection of taxes upon the lands in said district to raise funds for carrying out the objects and purposes for which said district is created, and for enforcing the collection of such taxes; authorizing the Board of Supervisors of said district to borrow money, and to issue and dispose of bonds to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act, giving power to said district to acquire such lands and property as may be necessary and

proper for its purposes, and to exercise the right of eminent domain; and to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and to make it a misdemeanor for any one to wilfully injure or damage the same, etc.

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 bill and concurrent resolution contained in the above report have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 1115):

An Act to legalize and validate six certain interest bearing negotiable promissory notes, payable to T. J. Barnett Company, in the aggregate sum of Eleven Thousand Dollars, issued on behalf of the City of Lake Butler, Florida, by the Mayor, President of City Council and City Clerk of said city, pursuant to resolutions of the City Council of said city and to legalize and validate all acts, resolutions and ordinances passed, done or performed by the Mayor,

City Clerk, President of the City Council and the City Council of said city, or either of them in and about the issuance, execution and delivery of said promissory notes; and to provide for the levy of special taxes by the City Council of the City of Lake Butler, Florida, for the payment of the interest on said notes and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof; and to legalize and validate tax levies heretofore made by the City Council of said city to pay the interest on said notes and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof, etc.

Also—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 13:

Whereas, there are about 6,500 sailors in the Confederate Navy from the 13 Confederate States, averaging 500 from each State, whose records of enlistment, service and discharge were destroyed when Richmond was evacuated; and

Whereas, their survivors find it difficult to secure pensions or gain admittance into the Soldiers' Homes without such records; and

Whereas, there are to be found among the families of their descendants valuable papers, consisting of official documents, letters and other data that will enable those records to be established; and

Whereas, Admiral A. O. Wright is a resident of Florida and is rescuing such records, which when recovered are to be placed in the historic archives of this State, alongside those of the Confederate soldiers already on file there; now, therefore, etc.

Also—

(House Bill No. 231):

An Act granting pension to William J. Odom of Carrabelle, Franklin County, Florida.

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 and concurrent resolution contained in the above report have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 802):

An Act requiring the Attorney-General of the State of Florida to institute legal proceedings in a Court of competent jurisdiction to declare the failure of the Tallahassee Southeastern Railway Company, its successors and assigns to complete the building of Railroad as required by Chapter 7941 of the Laws of Florida, approved June 9, 1919, and by reason of said failure to declare the revocation and forfeiture by said Tallahassee Southeastern Railway Company, its successors and assigns of the franchise and privilege of being a corporation for the purpose of its creation; and in such proceedings authorizing an order by the Court for the sale of the Right-of-way, Road Bed and all physical property thereon and forming a part thereof.

Also—

(House Bill No. 812):

An Act to make it unlawful for horses, mules, cattle, swine or other grazing animals to run or roam at large in the following prescribed limits of Hillsborough County, Florida, to-wit: All of Section Twenty-seven (27), and the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) and the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Thirty-three (33), and all that part of the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) and the Northwest Quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section Thirty-four (34) lying West of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, all in Township Twenty-nine (29) South, Range Eighteen (18) East, and to provide for the impounding and sale of such animals so running or roaming at large.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 19):

Resolved, that the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives and the Secretary of the Senate be and are hereby authorized to approve the printing bills for the closing sessions (1923) of the respective bodies, and that the Comptroller be authorized to audit and pay said bills, when properly signed as above, from the funds appropriated for Legislative expenses.

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 and concurrent resolution contained in the above report have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 814):

An Act prohibiting the operation upon or over the hard surfaced highways and public roads of Broward 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 violation of such provisions; and providing for the operation of such vehicles by permission of the Board of County Commissioners; and providing for the operation on such roads of such vehicles used for transportation of logs, timber or turpentine products in accordance with rules and regulations of the Board of County Commissioners and for repair of damage done by said vehicles; and providing penalties for violations of such provisions; and providing for recovery or damages and attorneys' fees from persons damaging such roads; and providing for the granting of temporary and permanent injunctions 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 damage done to such roads; and providing rules of evidence for civil actions and criminal prosecutions with regard to such roads and damage thereto; and exempting the Federal, State and County Governments from the provisions hereof while building, maintaining or improving such roads; and vesting in the Board of County Commissioners of said county power and authority to make, prescribe and promulgate rules and regulations for the protection of and

governing traffic on said roads and thereby to prescribe the weights of such vehicles and implements, and the width and the character of the tires or supporting surfaces thereof, which shall be allowed the use of such roads, and generally regulating and governing the traffic on and use of such roads, and providing penalties for violation of such rules and regulations, and providing for the adoption and promulgation thereof, and rules of evidence to prove such rules and regulations; and providing such rules and regulations shall have the force and effect of law; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and providing the method by this Act may be repaired or modified; providing for the validity of all sections and parts hereof not held invalid; and providing when this Act shall take effect."

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 bill contained in the above report has been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 994):

An Act prohibiting the operation upon or over the Public Roads of Madison 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 County Commissioners of said County; and providing for the operation on such roads 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 County Commissioners for the repair of damages 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 County Commissioners in the said County the power and authority to make, prescribe and promulgate rules and regulations for the protection of and covering traffic on said roads, and to prescribe the weights of such vehicles and implements and the width and character of the tires or supporting surfaces thereof which will be allowed the use of such roads and generally regulating and governing the traffic on and use of such roads and providing penalties for the violation of such rules and regulations and providing for the adoption and promulgation thereof, and rules and evidence to prove such rules and regulations; and providing that such rules and regulations shall have the force and effect of law; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing the method by which this Act may be repealed or modified; providing for the validation of all Sections and parts hereof not held invalid; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

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 bill contained in the above report has been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 18):

Whereas, The citizens of the City of Tallahassee in which is located the State Capitol, have been deeply appreciative of the spirit of progress and improvement shown by the Legislature of the State of Florida in providing for the enlargement and improvement of the State Capitol building; and

Whereas, In token of such appreciation the citizens of the said City of Tallahassee have at their own expense purchased and caused to be placed around the Capitol building a "White Way" system of electric lights to illuminate the Capitol grounds at night and have offered the same to the State of Florida as their gift; now, therefore,

Also—

(House Bill No. 1049):

An Act to amend An Act approved May 7, 1923, entitled "An Act to authorize the Board of Bond Trustees of Special Road and Bridge District Number One of Alachua County, Florida, to complete certain roads now under construction, build new roads, and to meet State and Federal Aid in the construction of State Road Number Two, within said Special Road and Bridge District, to issue bonds to pay for same, and to borrow money thereon pending sale of bonds."

Also—

(House Bill No. 916):

An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate all acts and proceedings of the Mayor and City Council of the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, in connection with the issuance of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00) Municipal Improvement Bonds of said city, including an election held on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1918, upon the question of the issuance of said bonds and legalizing, ratifying, confirming and validating said bonds.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 983):

An Act providing a closed season for deer, wild turkey and squirrel in Hillsborough County, Florida, and to authorize the County Commissioners of Hillsborough County to appropriate funds for the enforcement of this Act, and to provide a penalty for the violation of same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 720):

An Act authorizing the payment to the Board of Supervisors of the Halifax Drainage District of Volusia County, Florida, for services rendered and to be rendered by them and the payment of any and all expenses incurred by the Supervisors of such district while performing their duties as such Supervisors.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1108):

An Act to authorize the Town of Frostproof in the County of Polk and State of Florida to regulate, tax, license or suppress and punish by fine or imprisonment the keeping or going at large of all animals, fowls and domestic birds within the said town; the impounding of same and in default of same being reclaimed and redeemed to kill, sell or otherwise dispose of same and to pay the costs, penalties, fees and expenses out of the proceeds of such sale.

Also—

(House Bill No. 970):

An Act to legalize and validate the creation of Special Road and Bridge District No. 15 in Palm Beach County, Florida, and to validate the issuance of \$57,000 of bonds heretofore voted by said Special Road and Bridge District.

Also—

(House Bill No. 882):

An Act to provide for the protection of the Public Roads of Lee County, Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of the same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 793):

An Act to legalize, validate and confirm the assessment and levy of a tax of four mills for the year 1921 by the City of Palatka, Florida, to provide a sinking fund for the payment of principal and interest of \$155,000.00, bonds of the City of Palatka, issued in the year 1921, and to legalize and validate distress warrants held by the City of Palatka for taxes assessed for the year 1921, in which said four mills tax is included, and to provide for the enforcement and collection thereof.

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.

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 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 1003):

An Act, giving and granting to the Board of County Commissioners of Bay County, Florida, and its successors in office, the consent and authority of the State of Florida to erect, construct, build, control and operate a bridge for highway purposes over, and across the north arm of St. Andrew's Bay, the same being navigable water in the county of Bay, State of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 412):

An Act to legalize and validate an Election held in the City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, on the 1st Day of August, 1922, in Pursuance to Sections 1971 to 1985 both inclusive of the 1920 Revised General Statutes of Florida, at which election amendments to the Charter of the City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, were adopted; and to validate said amendments to said Charter, and to validate all Contracts, Municipal Assessments, election and appointment of officers, and all Acts done under and by virtue of said Amendments to said Charter.

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.

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 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 1072):

An Act to amend Chapter 8831 (No. 436) Acts of 1921, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of St. Lucie County, Florida, to levy a tax of not to exceed one quarter mill on the dollar for publicity purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1001):

An Act to legalize and validate the proceedings of the City of Panama City in Bay County, Florida, relating to the issuing of bonds in the sum of \$150,000.00 for street improvements, extending the City Water Works and for erecting a City Hall and authorizing the City Council of the City of Panama City to issue said bonds with principal and interest payable at the First National Bank of Panama City in said City or at the Mechanics and Metals National Bank in the City of New York at the option of the holder.

Also—

(House Bill No. 971):

An Act to amend Section 1 of Article 1 of the Charter of the Town of Lantana, Florida, being Chapter 8998 of the Acts of 1921.

Also—

(House Bill No. 906):

An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of DeSoto County, Florida, to levy a Special Tax for the purpose of giving publicity to the attractions, advantages, products and natural resources of DeSoto County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1002):

An Act to amend Sections Fifty-four (54), Fifty-five (55), and Fifty-six (56), of Chapter 7219 Laws of Florida, the same being An Act of the Legislature of 1915 and entitled, "An Act to incorporate the City of Panama City, in Bay County, Florida, and to provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to abolish the present corporation of the Town of Panama City."

Also—

(House Bill No. 887):

An Act to prohibit and make it unlawful for Live Stock to run or roam at large within certain territorial limits of Highlands County, Florida; to provide for the impounding and sale of said Live Stock when found running or roaming at large in violation of this Act, and to provide for the recovery of damages suffered by persons or property by reason thereof and to provide for a referendum in connection therewith.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 944):

An Act to Amend Section 6, 38, 92, 93, 103, 121, 122 and 124 of Chapter 7235 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1915, Approved May 18, 1915, being "An Act to Abolish the Present Municipal Government of the City of St. Augustine, County of St. Johns, State of Florida, and to organize, incorporate, and establish a City Government for the same; and to prescribe the jurisdiction, powers and functions of said Municipality;" and providing for a referendum in respect to the amendment of said Section 6; and to Amend Sections 3, 10, and 15; and repealing Section 14 of Chapter 7696, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1917, approved June 5, 1917, being "An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of St. Augustine, Florida, being Chapter 7235 of the Laws of Florida, by legalizing and validating certain amendments thereof adopted by the Charter Board of said City, and ratified by a majority of those qualified voters of said City who voted at an election held therein on March 20, 1917, and also all proceedings pertaining thereto, both precedent and subsequent thereto; and be enacting herein, independently of said adoption and election, all of said amendments of said City Charter by said Charter Board and said Voters adopted, except Section 215 thereof; also by repealing Sections 79, 209, and 210 of said Charter, Independently of the Repeal thereof in said Election."

Also—

(House Bill No. 760):

An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners of Counties of the State of Florida, having a population

of not less than Seventy-Five Thousand (75,000) nor more than One Hundred Thousand (100,000) according to the Federal Census of 1920.

Also—

(House Bill No. 986):

An Act to Provide for an Election in any Election District or Group of Election Districts in Gadsden County, Florida, to Determine Whether Cattle, Hogs or any other live stock shall run at large within the boundaries of such election District or group of election Districts, and to provide for impounding of cattle, hogs and other live stock so running at large.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1082):

An Act to fix the Compensation of the County Commissioners of Nassau County.

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 have been duly signed 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to whom was referred—

(House Bill No. 1073):

An Act authorizing and Empowering the City Council of the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, to cancel and destroy certain bonds of the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, heretofore issued by said City, and to issue in lieu and place thereof, bonds of different denominations but of the same date, tenor and effect, and validating, ratifying and confirming said bonds.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1004):

An Act authorizing Bay County, Florida, to issue and sell Bonds for the construction of a toll bridge across the North arm of St. Andrews Bay, and prescribing how Tolls and Charges shall be fixed, and powers of eminent domain in said County in connection therewith, and providing for the retirement of said Bonds.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1007):

An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction for Marion County, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants for the purpose of securing money wherewith to pay claims against the said County arising on account of the maintenance and support of public free schools and to provide for the validation of said warrants.

Also—

(House Bill No. 512):

An Act Granting Pension to Mrs. Martha A. Cook of Columbia County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1040):

An Act Granting Pension to Mrs. Artia A. May of Pinellas County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 524):

An Act Abolishing Boards of Bond Trustees in St. Lucie County, Florida, and providing for disposition of funds held by them.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1078):

An Act empowering the City of Leesburg, Florida, to exempt from City Taxes for a period not exceeding five years homes to be constructed in said City.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 867):

An Act to amend Sections 1107, 1115, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1137, 1138, 1139, and 1146, of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, relating to the organization and maintenance of Drainage District and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands providing for the assessment of benefits against the lands, and for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes to pay the costs of improvements and works in such drainage districts; providing for the assessment, levy and collection of maintenance taxes, and providing that such taxes and assessments shall constitute a lien upon the lands in such drainage districts, and the time and manner of collecting same and the enforcement of the lien therefor.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1076):

An Act to amend Sections 14 and 15, of Chapter 8914, Acts of 1921, same being An Act to amend Chapter 6319, Acts of 1911, same being An Act entitled; "An Act declaring the Town of Altha, Calhoun County, Florida, to be a legally incorporated town, and the officers thereof legally elected and qualified; enlarging the powers and privileges of said Town of Altha, Calhoun County, Florida, and prescribing how such powers and privileges shall be exercised."

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 337):

An Act to legalize and validate all Drainage Tax Certificates held by the Board of Drainage Commissioners, the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District and the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund for the Non-payment of Drainage Taxes, except in Cases where the Taxes have been previously paid or where lands against which such Drainage Tax Certificates Accrued were not subject to Taxation.

Also—

(House Bill No. 845):

An Act Making Appropriations to pay one-third the Cost of Paving Streets, Abutting property of the State, in the City of Tallahassee.

Also—

(House Bill No. 51):

An Act to Grant a Pension to Elizabeth D. Mattox, of Quincy, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 981):

An Act to authorize the City of Tampa to provide for the acquisition upon, and enforcement of liens against, also custody, sale or other disposition of lost, captured or stolen property.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1018):

An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Holly Hill, in the County of Volusia, Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a Municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Holly Hill; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 939):

An Act to protect the Fish in the Fresh water rivers, creeks, lakes, canals, and inside waters of Volusia County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 518):

An Act granting a pension to A. J. Holt of Arcadia, DeSoto County, Florida.

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 have been duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on En-

rolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 969):

An Act validating, ratifying and confirming a resolution passed by the Board of Public Instruction for Okeechobee County, Florida, on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1923, and making a promisory note issued thereunder a legal and binding obligation on said Board, etc.

Also—

(House Bill No. 878):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Dade County to sell the property hereinafter described, or any part or parts thereof, and to convey the fee simple title thereto upon such terms and conditions as said Board of County Commissioners shall deem it advisable, and declaring the powers and duties of the said Board of County Commissioners in the premises, the said property being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, of Block 85 North, of the City of Miami, according to a map or plat thereof by A. L. Knowlton, C. E., recorded in the Public Records of Dade County, Florida.

Also—

(House Memorial No. 6):

A Memorial to the Congress of the United States asking for a preliminary survey of Peace River, the dredging.

widening and deepening thereof from Arcadia to the mouth of said river and for an appropriation therefor, etc.

Also—

(House Bill No. 439):

An Act granting pension to Mrs. Kate Derieux Clarkson.

Also—

(House Bill No. 713):

An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Glades County, Florida, to issue County notes of Glades County, Florida, in an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars, for the purchase of machinery for the construction of hard surfaced roads and highways in the County of Glades and for material for maintaining and constructing public roads in Glades County, State of Florida; providing that the same shall have all the attributes of negotiable paper; and authorizing and requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Glades County, Florida to levy sufficient tax to pay the principal and interest thereof.

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 and memorial contained in the above report have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 1068):

An Act to authorize special tax school districts in Citrus County, Florida, to spend any surplus money that may be raised to liquidate Bond Issue and interest thereon.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1019):

An Act annexing certain territory to the City of Winter Park, Florida, subject to the approval of a majority of the registered voters of said City.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1057):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to issue for and on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District Eighteen (18) of Palm Beach County, Florida, additional bonds to pay for the construction of a bridge across the St. Lucie Canal where the same is intersected by the Palm City Loop Road.

Also—

(House Bill No. 957):

An Act validating that certain election held in Fernandina, Special Tax School District No. 1, Nassau County, Florida, on the 28th day of March A. D. 1922; such election being held in accordance with call for election by the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, to determine whether or not the limits of the said District should be extended so as to include adjacent territory; validating the call of such election and the inclusion of certain adjacent territory to said District into said District; defining the territorial boundaries of Fernandina, Special Tax School District No. 1, Nassau County, Florida, as now existing and declaring said district as expended by authority

of the said election to be a lawful Special Tax School District.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 1071):

An Act regulating the catching and taking of fish from the waters of the Withlacoochee River and waters tributary thereto in the State of Florida and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 979):

An Act fixing the compensation of members of the County School Boards in Counties having a population of Seventy-five thousand persons or in excess thereof, according to the last Federal Census.

Also—

(House Bill No. 245) :

An Act granting pension to Burrell Yates, of Osceola County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 585) :

An Act to amend Section 256 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the printing of names upon the ballot in general elections.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1105) :

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to issue and sell certificates of indebtedness in a sum or sums not to exceed two hundred and fifty thousand (\$250,000.00) dollars, and to provide for the application of the funds derived from such issue and sale of said certificates of indebtedness in constructing, grading, hard-surfacing, oiling, repairing and otherwise improving the public roads and bridges of said County, and authorizing and empowering the said Board of County Commissioners, by a resolution, to provide for the payment of interest, and raising a sinking fund for the payment of said certificates of indebtedness, and authorizing and empowering the said Board to levy annually a tax sufficient for such purposes.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 1080) :

An Act to Provide for the Protection of the Improved County Roads of Nassau County, Florida, by Providing for the Classification of such roads and by fixing the weight of traffic permissible thereon; to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, for the further protection of said roads, to prescribe rules and regulations governing traffic on and the use of, such roads; to provide for the enforcement of the provisions of this Act and the rules and regulations made by said Commissioners under authority thereof; to provide for the recovery by Nassau County, Florida, of damages resulting from the unauthorized use of said roads; and to prescribe a rule of evidence in Civil and Criminal Prosecutions hereunder.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1053) :

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of DeSoto County, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants of said County in a sum or sums not to exceed \$20,000.00, for the purpose of raising funds with which to grade, pave, improve and beautify the grounds, buy material, erect buildings, and otherwise improving the property to be used for the purpose of a Fair Grounds in DeSoto County, Florida, and for the maintenance of said grounds and buildings and providing the rate of interest said warrants shall bear, and the period for which said warrants shall run and the providing for the levy of a special tax to cover interest and to create a sinking fund for the payment of said warrants.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1051):

An Act creating relief to the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Broward County, Florida, providing for extra compensation for the said members of said Board of County Commissioners, and authorizing the said Board of County Commissioners to draw warrants against the General Revenue Fund of said County for the extra compensation herein allowed.

Also—

(House Bill No. 368):

An Act granting pension to George Smith of St. Lucie County, Florida.

Whereas, George Smith has been a citizen of the State of Florida for the last thirty years and is now seventy-nine years of age, and

Whereas, he enlisted on June 15th, 1861, in Company H, 31st Virginia Regiment and served continuously until the close of the war, being surrendered at Culpepper Court House on May 28th, 1865, and

Whereas, Now that almost Sixty years have passed since the close of the war, and the soldiers serving therein have scattered and the greater part died, it is impossible to locate but one soldier serving with the said George Smith, which said soldier has made affidavit to the service claimed, and

Whereas, in order to receive pension through the regular channel, affidavits of two comrades must be procured which is impossible now at this late date, therefore,

Also—

(House Bill No. 590):

An Act to provide for the investigating of means of controlling the Cotton Boll Weevil and for improving and perfecting existing means of controlling the Boll Weevil and other cotton insects; for investigating and devising means of preventing or controlling injurious diseases of cotton; providing an appropriation to be used by the State Plant Board in carrying out the provisions of this Act and the provisions of Chapter 6885, Laws of Florida, and providing that said appropriation shall be supplementary to other appropriations made for similar purposes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 960):

An Act concerning drainage in Charlotte County, Florida; providing for the establishment of Special County Drainage Districts, and laying out and constructing drainage works therein; providing for the payments of the costs of such works by assessments upon property, especially benefited thereby, and for the issue of bonds in anticipation of the collection of such assessments, and for the appointment of a Board of Drainage Trustees to assist in carrying out the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 552):

An Act to prescribe the time for convening the winter term of the Circuit Court, in and for Okaloosa County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 955):

An Act to authorize and empower the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna in Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell Interest-Bearing Time Warrants in a total amount not exceeding One Hundred Thousand Dollars, with interest not exceeding six per cent, payable annually or semi-annually for the purpose of securing money to pay off or liquidate and retire any and all of the existing bonded indebtedness and time warrants of said City heretofore issued; and to provide when said warrants shall become due and payable, and to provide for the validation of said warrants.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 15):

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate Concurring: That the sum of two hundred dollars, or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby allowed the Secretary of State for the purpose of employing a proof-reader to assist in getting out the Session Laws, 1923; same to be paid out of appropriation for expenses of Legislature 1923; be to paid by the Comptroller upon the certificate of the Secretary of State that such service has been performed.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 4):

An Act to amend Section 747, Revised General Statutes of Florida, pertaining to taxation and the annual return by Railroads, Sleeping and Parlor Car Companies of the property of such Companies for taxation; providing for the assessment of such property when proper return is made, and providing for the apportionment of the assessment of such property to Counties and Municipalities.

Also—

(Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8):

A Concurrent Resolution to Congress relating to the Port of Fernandina.

Whereas, The improvement and development of our rivers and harbors to meet the ever increasing demands of the commerce of the Country, both coastwise and foreign, is not only the duty but the proper function of the Federal Government; and

Whereas, The harbor of Fernandina, Florida, by reason of its geographical situation as being very near ocean water is one of the most important harbors in the County; and

Whereas, the Port of Fernandina, although it has been greatly improved by the Federal Government, needs further improvements, so as to give channel depth of not less than 26 feet at low water from the bar to Lanceford Creek with suitable width and turning basins; and

Whereas, the jetties located at the entrance to harbor of Fernandina are in need of repair, therefore.

Also—

(Senate Memorial No. 5):

Whereas, the construction of a canal from Cumberland Sound, Georgia, to St. Marks, Florida, would be of untold advantage to the commerce of the nation and the Americas, and,

Whereas, by the routing of such a canal up the St. Mary's River and thence in a direct line to St. Mark's Florida, (on the Gulf)

Whereas, the construction of this canal would reduce the haul from the Southeast and the Southwest of all commerce going to Europe, South and Central America, over 500 miles, and

Whereas, the construction of this canal would cut 460

miles from the Seaboard Coast Line to the ports of the Gulf, and in time saved the destruction of billions of dollars of shipping by avoiding the dangerous Florida Straits, and,

Whereas, the cost of the construction of this canal would not compare with the benefits to the general commerce to be gained therefrom, therefore

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 564):

An Act validating, ratifying and confirming the organization and creation of Special Road and Bridge District Number Three (3) of Clay County, Florida, the election held for the organization of same and validating, ratifying and confirming the bonds authorized to be issued by the Board of County Commissioners of Clay County, Florida, and the taxes levied for the payment thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 170):

An Act fixing the compensation of County Commissioners in certain counties.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 570):

An Act to authorize and empower the Town of Hastings to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing time warrants to an amount or amounts not exceeding Ten Thousand Dollars and to provide that the proceeds derived from the sale of said time warrants be used and applied in the extension, repair, renewal and improvement of its sewer system and providing for paying of interest thereon and a sinking fund for retiring of said warrants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 191):

An Act providing for final discharge of Guardians.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 534):

An Act amending Section 40 of Chapter 8390, Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida, being An Act to establish the municipality of Key West; provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; and repealing Chapter 5812, Laws of 1907, and amendatory acts thereof, providing

for public improvements to be made either through a contractor or by the City itself and providing for the assessment against the abutting properties of the costs of said improvements.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 547) :

An Act to regulate the sale of Caustic Acid, Caustic Alkalies and preparations thereof, and mineral or chemical salts intended for household use, including preparations ordinarily described as or called "Lye," and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 580) :

An Act relating to the Government, powers and duties of the Town of Lake Worth, Florida; authorizing, ratifying, validating, legalizing, approving and confirming certain resolutions and contracts of the Town of Lake Worth, Florida; authorizing, ratifying, validating, legalizing, approving and confirming certain certificates of indebtedness issued and obligations incurred by the Town of Lake Worth, Florida; authorizing, ratifying, validating, legalizing, approving and confirming all acts and proceedings of said Town of Lake Worth, Florida, and its officials in relation to the building of a casino, dock, bathing house, pier and other work in connection therewith on the Ocean front in the Town of Lake Worth, Florida, and requiring said Town to make provision by tax levy for paying off and discharging certain of its obligations, indebtedness and liabilities.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 589) :

An Act to authorize the Town of Eustis to levy and collect a special tax for publicity purposes, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 584) :

An Act to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm all Acts and resolutions made, executed, done, passed, had, held and performed by the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Bradford, State of Florida, connected with and relating to the calling, holding, canvassing and declaring the

result of that certain election had and held in the Town of Lawtey, Bradford County, Florida, on May 12th, 1923, to determine whether or not certain territory asked for in petition be added to the Lawtey Special Tax School District and to elect trustees therefor, and to determine the millage to be assessed for school purposes in such district, and to validate, ratify and confirm the legality of said election.

Beg leave to report that the same have 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, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 579) :

An Act to authorize the City of DeLand, a municipality located in the County of Volusia, State of Florida, to levy annually on all the taxable property in said City a special tax to pay interest on bonds issued or to be issued by it and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof at maturity.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 532) :

An Act to legalize, validate and confirm the collection and the assessments and liens in favor of the City of Key West on account of street and sidewalk improvements.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 548) :

An Act regulating the catching and taking of fish from the waters of the Ocklawaha River in Marion County, Florida, and streams in said County tributary thereto, and in the lakes and ponds in said County and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 533) :

An Act providing for the holding of Special Elections in the City of Key West, Florida, and for the canvass of the votes and returns and authorizing the City Council to pass ordinances for said purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 531) :

An Act validating, legalizing and confirming certain ordinances of the City of Key West, a municipality organized under the Laws of the State of Florida, in relation to the granting of franchises and privileges for the construction of a Water Works Plant and a Sewerage System.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 536) :

An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate the Acts and proceedings of the Town of Avon Park, Highlands County, Florida, and its Town Council, officers and agents, relating to the issuance of municipal street bonds in the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000.00), Park bonds in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), Refunding Bonds in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00), all in accordance with Ordinance No. 74, adopted by the Town Council on the 8th day of March A. D. 1922, and the Acts and Ordinances passed in pursuance thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 368) :

An Act to provide for the taking of the Census of the State of Florida in the year 1925 and making appropriation therefor.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 543) :

An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the City of Tarpon Springs to transfer certain funds to the General Sinking Fund of said City and to apply said funds toward liquidating the bonded indebtedness of the City of Tarpon Springs.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 542) :

An Act to authorize the City of Tarpon Springs to levy a tax to raise funds for improvement and maintenance of Harbors and Rivers and Waterways in said City and leading thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 552) :

An Act to amend Section 24 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the boundaries of Madison County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 539) :

An Act to authorize and empower the city of Cocoa, Florida, a municipal corporation, to issue and sell bonds of the said City for the purpose of repairing and re-oiling certain streets in said City and for the purpose of paying for the City's portion of paving certain streets in said City; to prescribe the amount of such bonds and the manner of their issuance.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 574) :

An Act to authorize the Town of Winter Haven to levy taxes for the year 1923 upon the property proposed to be included in the corporate limits of said Town by An Act of the Legislature known as Senate Bill Number 276 Session of 1923 and entitled "An Act to establish the Territorial Limits of the Town of Winter Haven, Florida, filed in the office of the Secretary of State May 9, 1923.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 471) :

An Act to legalize and validate the proceedings of the

Town of Daytona Beach in relation to the closing, discontinuing, and vacating of streets or alleys in said Town.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 214) :

An Act relating to the kind of judgment to be entered in a replevin suit where the right of possession of the prevailing party is based upon a claim or lien or some special interest in the property replevied.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 549) :

An Act to Amend Section 14, of Chapter 8861 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, approved June 6, 1921, entitled "An Act to Create Certain Territory in Washington County, Florida into a Special Road and Bridge District, and to authorize and validate the building and construction of certain roads, culverts and bridges therein, and to provide for the Issuance of Bonds to pay therefor, and for the levy of a Tax to pay the interest on and to Redeem said Bonds and for the appointment and election of a Board of Bond Trustees, and to invest said Trustees with Certain powers and duties, and to provide for the use and control of the General Road and other funds collected within said territory for Road purposes; to provide for paying over to the town of Chipley, Florida, certain of the proceeds of said Bonds and other funds for the improvement and construction of its Roads and Streets; and providing for an election to determine whether certain provisions shall become effective.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 582) :

An Act in relation to the government, and powers, of the City of Pensacola; the surrender, cancellation and satisfaction of tax sale certificates and tax liens; and to amend and to supplement the charter of said City.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 583) :

An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Collier County, Florida, to purchase, receive and to hold title to lands for parks and parkway purposes, and to protect, improve, maintain and beautify the same as well as

Public Highways, and providing for a Special Tax not exceeding one mill for such purposes.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 53) :

An Act to regulate the practice of Chiropractic; to create and provide for the appointment of a Board of Chiropractic Examiners; to define the powers and duties of said Board, and to provide a penalty for violation of the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 577) :

An Act authorizing certain improvements in the City of DeLand, a Municipality located in the County of Volusia County, State of Florida, assessing part of the cost thereof against abutting property, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of said Municipality.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 566) :

An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction for Collier County, Florida to borrow money for school purposes at any time prior to April 1, 1925; and to give negotiable notes or evidences or certificates of indebtedness therefor; to renew, refund or borrow money to pay such indebtedness and to authorize the validation of such indebtedness and the evidences thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 538) :

An Act to Authorize the Town of Haines City, Florida, to levy and Collect a Tax for Publicity Purposes; to provide a Method for the Expenditure of said Tax; and to Provide for a referendum vote on this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 500) :

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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 530):

An Act amending Section 47 of Chapter 8290, Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida, being An Act to Establish the Municipality of Key West; provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; and repealing Chapter 5812, Laws of 1907, and Amendatory Acts thereof. Providing for the issuance and sale of bonds and the levy of a sufficient tax upon all real and personal property within the City, each year, to pay the annual interest on said bonds and not less than two per cent. annually of the principal of said bonds; providing for the investment of said sinking fund by the City Council.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 438):

An Act to Amend Section 4848 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, making the 11th day of November of each year a legal holiday.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 132):

An Act to amend Section 2652 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, relating to pleadings of the defendant and requiring pleas to be sworn to.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 21):

An Act to amend Sections Five (5) and Six (6) of Chapter 7808 Laws of Florida, 1919, Being "An Act to provide for compulsory school attendance in the State of Florida of all children between certain ages, and requiring every parent, guardian or other person having the custody, control or charge of children to send such children to school; to provide for the means of enforcement of this act, and penalties for violations thereof."

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 446):

An Act validating all assessments and reassessments made heretofore by the City of St. Petersburg, for any

street, sidewalk, alley or sewer improvements; and validating all papers, certificates, etc., in connection therewith.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 528):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm the proceedings of the City of Cocoa, Florida, its council, officers and agents, in issuing Fifty-eight Thousand (\$58,000.00) Dollars' worth of bonds of said City for the purpose of paying certain existing indebtedness of said City; and providing for the creation of a sinking fund and interest assessment for meeting and discharging the principal and interest of said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 541):

An Act to abolish the office of Mayor of the City of Tarpon Springs, and vesting powers, privileges and duties heretofore vested in the Mayor of the City of Tarpon Springs in a Mayor-Commissioner, and providing for his election, and providing for the election of members to the Board of Commissioners of the City of Tarpon Springs, their term of office and regulating their appointive powers and privileges.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 2):

An Act regulating the issuance of checks, drafts and orders for the payment of money within the State of Florida and to provide a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 193):

An Act making it compulsory for executors and administrators to make certain returns and accounts provided by law, and providing a penalty for failure or neglect to comply therewith, and fixing the duty of the County Judge in such cases.

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, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 176):

An Act to amend Sections 6217 and 6218 of the Revised General Statutes, relating to working county convicts.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 205):

An Act to protect and encourage the shell fish industry of the State of Florida, and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act.

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 have been 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. Stokes offered the following resolution by Joint Committee—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11:

By the Legislature of the State of Florida, Amend the Concurrent Resolution adopted by the Legislative assembly

of the State of North Dakota, touching the death of Martin Tabert.

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of Florida, at the beginning of the present session, received from the Legislative assembly of the State of North Dakota, a certified copy of a certain resolution adopted by the Assembly, touching the death of Martin Tabert, who died while a County Convict under lease by Leon County to Putnam Lumber Company, of the State of Wisconsin, and, while exonerating the State of Florida of responsibility for the death of Martin Tabert, requested that the Legislature, "cause a full investigation to be made of the circumstances surrounding the conviction, leasing and death of Martin Tabert, and to cause such action to be taken as will most surely and expeditiously lead to the punishment of all parties concerned;" and

Whereas, Under authority of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1, a Joint Committee was appointed consisting of Senators MacWilliams and Stokes, and Representatives Kennerly, Van Roy and Smith, and charged with the duty of investigating the subject matter of the Resolution of the North Dakota Assembly, to the end that appropriate action might be taken in the premises; and

Whereas, The Joint Committee, with the assistance of Assistants Attorney-General Grimson and Kneeshaw, of North Dakota, have made thorough and complete investigation of the matter confided to them and have made report of their labors; and

Whereas, Messrs. Grimson and Kneeshaw have, by written communication addressed to the Joint Committee, expressed their satisfaction with the thoroughness and impartiality of the investigation conducted by the Joint Committee, and have congratulated the Joint Committee and the people of Florida; and

Whereas, The Governor of Florida, by communication addressed to the Governor of North Dakota, dated March 2, 1923, ably and accurately stated the views of the people of Florida touching the subject of the Concurrent Resolution adopted by the assembly of North Dakota; and

Whereas, The person charged with responsibility for the death of Martin Tabert is now under indictment in an appropriate judicial tribunal of this State, and will be brought to trial in the near future; further comment in this

connection would be beyond the legitimate scope of this Resolution; and

Whereas, The Legislature of Florida, in obedience to the wishes of the people of this State; has, at the present session enacted laws as follows:

(a) An Act prohibiting forever the leasing of County Convicts. The leasing of State Convicts having previously been prohibited.

(b) An Act prohibiting forever corporal punishment as a method of disciplining Convicts or prisoners; and providing improved facilities for the humane treatment of Convicts and prisoners; and

Whereas, on recommendation of the Governor, the Senate has removed from the office of Sheriff of Leon County, the individual under whose regime Martin Tabert was arrested for beating his way on a Railroad Train in violation of law; and has also, on recommendation of the Governor, removed from the office of County Judge of Leon County, the individual who, as such Judge, sentenced Martin Tabert, on his plea of guilty in open court, to be imprisoned for his said offense;

Be it Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida, the House of Representatives concurring, in Legislature assembled in the State Capitol at Tallahassee;

1. That the Legislature of Florida acknowledges receipt of a certified copy of the Concurrent Resolution adopted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota, and, in a spirit of amity and friendship, sends its greeting from the State of perpetual sunshine and incomparable opportunities to the splendid citizenship of the great State of North Dakota.

2. That the people of Florida, alive to the occasional abuses that have crept into the prison system of certain counties, viewed with indignation the facts developed by the investigation of the Joint Committee, and expressed their insistent demand that appropriate action be taken to bring to justice responsible persons, and that recreant public officials be removed from office, and that suitable laws be enacted that would render impossible a repetition of the deplorable conditions shown to have occasionally arisen in the County Convict lease system.

3. That the people of Florida, while disclaiming responsibility for the death of Martin Tabert, deplore his unfortunate death, and regret the circumstances attending it.

and, through their Legislature, tender their sincere condolence to his relatives.

4. That we indorse the communication of the Governor of Florida to the Governor of North Dakota, dated March 2, 1923, stating the attitude of the people of this State with respect to the death of Martin Tabert.

5. That, in obedience to the wishes of the people of Florida, the Legislature, now in session, has enacted appropriate legislation to render impossible a repetition of the circumstances attending the death of Martin Tabert.

6. That, in due form of law, and by orderly precedence, the State of Florida is impartially prosecuting the person charged with responsibility for the death of Martin Tabert.

7. That the Governor of Florida is requested to transmit a copy of this Resolution, under the Great Seal of the State, to the Governor of North Dakota, with the request that it be laid before the Legislative Assembly of his State when next in session.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Stokes moved to waive the rules and that the Resolution be read a second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Resolution was read the second time.

Mr. Stokes moved to adopt the Resolution.

Pending which—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 354:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4617 of the Revised General Statutes, defining the term "Common Carrier" as used in Chapter 6, Title 4, Regulation of Railroads, Steamboats, etc. Division 4.

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

Very respectfully,

W. J. SINGLETARY,  
Chairman of Committee,

And Senate Bill No. 354 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 Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(Senate Bill No. 596):

An Act for the Relief of W. H. Dowling.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 220):

An Act to Provide Cholera Serum and Virus for the Suppression of Hog Cholera in the State of Florida, and to Provide for the Purchase thereof by the Live Stock Sanitary Board, the method of making appropriation therefor.

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.

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 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 1097):

An Act to extend the Corporate Limits of the City of Tampa, Florida; to prescribe the liability to said annexed territory for existing bonded indebtedness.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1090):

An Act to extend the Corporate limits of the City of Tampa to include the territory now included within the corporate limits of the City of West Tampa, to provide for the payment of the bonded and floating indebtedness of the City of West Tampa, and to provide for the pro rata payment of the cost of building bridges and a municipal auditorium by said territory and to provide for the employment of the members of the police and fire departments of the City of West Tampa by the City of Tampa.

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 have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 1242):

An Act to provide that all contracts for the Expenditure of Funds arising from the sale of Bonds in Highlands County, Florida, shall be submitted to and approved by the Board of Bond Trustees before becoming effective; and providing that no material furnished or work done which is to be paid for from any Bond Fund in Highlands County, Florida, shall be accepted or paid for until such material or work shall have been inspected and approved by the Bond Trustees, and providing that no extra charge shall be allowed for any work done or material furnished and which is to be paid for from a Bond Fund in Highlands County, Florida, until the Bond Trustees have approved the payment for the same.

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 bill contained in the above report has been 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. Singletary, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for salaries and other concurrent expenses of the State for the two years from June 30th, 1923.

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

Very respectfully,

W. J. SINGLETARY,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105 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 Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

## House Bill No. 1218:

An Act prohibiting the operation upon or over the hard surfaced highways and Public Roads of Palm Beach 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 violation of such provisions; and providing for the operation of such vehicles by permission of the Board of County Commissioners; and providing for the operation on such roads of such vehicles used for transportation of logs, timber or turpentine products in accordance with rules and regulations of the Board of County Commissioners and for repair of damage done by said vehicle; and providing penalties for violations of such provisions; and providing for recovery of damages and Attorney's fees from persons damaging such roads; and providing for the granting of temporary and permanent injunctions 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 damage done to such roads; and providing rules of evidence for civil actions and criminal prosecutions with regard to such roads and damage thereto; and exempting the Federal, State and County Governments from the provisions hereof while building, maintaining or improving such roads; and vesting in the Board of County Commissioners of said County power and authority to make, prescribe and promulgate rules and regulations for the protection of and governing traffic on said roads, and thereby to prescribe the weights of such vehicles and implements, and the width and character of the tires or supporting surfaces thereof, which shall be allowed the use of such roads, and generally regulating and governing the traffic on and use of such roads, and providing penalties for violation of such rules and regulations and providing for the adoption and promulgation thereof and rules of evidence to prove such rules and regulations; and providing such rules and regulations shall have the force and effect of law; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and providing the method by this Act may be repealed or modified; providing for the validity of all Sections and parts hereof not held invalid; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

Also—

## House Bill No. 391:

An Act to place the name of Marion F. Hicks of Lee, Florida, on the pension roll of the State of Florida, and to authorize the payment of a pension to the said Marion F. Hicks.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(Senate Bill No. 497):

An Act to Provide for the Creation of a Municipal Corporation to be known as the Town of DeSoto City, in Highlands County, Florida; to Fix and Determine the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said Town and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers; and to provide a referendum on the question of incorporating said town.

Have examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

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

Very respectfully,

R. H. ROWE,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled  
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills contained in the above report have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 319):

An Act to amend Chapter 8857 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1921, the same being entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 8208 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1919, 'same being entitled An Act to provide for the method and manner of working, building, constructing and maintaining Public Roads and Bridges in Walton County, Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.'"

Also—

(House Bill No. 820):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Lee County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing time warrants not to exceed the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, for and on behalf, and as the obligation and liability of Caloosa Valley

Highway Special Road and Bridge District of Lee County, Florida, to use the proceeds thereof for the purpose of constructing the roads and bridges in divisions Nos. four and five of said Special Road and Bridge District, and to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax against all the taxable property in said Special Road and Bridge District for the purpose of paying the interest on such time warrants and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity, and for the purpose of road and bridge construction in case such time warrants are not sold.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1081):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Nassau County, Florida, to fix the compensation and prescribe the duties of the Superintendent of Public Roads of Nassau County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 633):

An Act to place the name of Mrs. Mary Susan Fulford, of Bonifay, Florida, on the pension roll of the State of Florida, and to authorize the payment of a pension to the said Mary Susan Fulford.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1050):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Broward County, Florida, to execute or to cause to be executed indemnity bonds to the United States War Department and United States Coast Guard, etc.

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 have been duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on En-

rolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 1209):

An Act validating a certain ordinance of the City of West Palm Beach, Florida, passed November 8th, A. D. 1921 entitled "An Ordinance to prohibit the sale, manufacture, Transportation and Possession of Spirituous, Vincus, Malt and other Intoxicating Liquors."

Also—

(House Bill No. 966):

An Act of the Legislature of the State of Florida, granting to the City of Miami Beach, a Municipal Corporation of Florida, powers in addition to those contained in this charter; to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other Structures; the Percentage of Lot that may be occupied; the size of yards, courts and other open spaces; the density of population and the regulation and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence or other purposes; and granting powers to carry into effect such regulation and restriction.

Also—

(House Bill No. 774):

An Act granting pension to Mrs. Margaret Walding of Jackson County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1025):

An Act to Repeal Chapter 6284 of the Acts of 1911, entitled "An Act to Regulate the Hunting of Fox in Leon County, Florida, by non-residents of said County."

Also—

(House Bill No. 1177):

An Act to Abolish Special Road and Bridge District No. 3, Palm Beach County, Florida.

Also—

(Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 40):

An Act to Amend Section 5563 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida Relating to Intoxicated Persons operating automobiles and to provide for penalties for a violation of said section as amended.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 1174):

An Act to legalize and validate at law in equity the tax assessments and levies made by the tax assessor of the Town and for the town of MacClenny, Florida, of all Real Estate lying and being situate in said town, for the years of 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922; and to legalize and validate at law and in equity tax sales made by the Tax Collectors in and for the town of MacClenny, Florida, of all Real Estate lying and being situate in said town, made during the years of 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921 and 1922.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1092):

An Act to be entitled An Act authorizing Polk County, through its Board of County Commissioners to levy and collect a three mill tax for certain road and bridge purposes and to authorize the said Board to borrow money for certain road and bridge purposes against the said tax and to issue its time warrants as evidence of indebtedness therefor.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1217):

An Act prohibiting for a period of five years the hunting or the killing of wild deer, or wild turkey, in Polk County, Florida; providing penalties for violations.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to whom was referred—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 16):

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

That the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives be authorized to mail copies of the last day's Journal to each member of the Senate and of the House of Representatives, and that the Comptroller be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay the bill for such postage as may be necessary to comply with this Resolution out of the appropriation for expenses of the Legislature, 1923, when properly approved by the Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Also—

(Committee Substitute for House Bills No. 24 and 108):

An Act to prohibit the Manufacture, or Sale, of poisonous adulterations in Liquor intended for Beverage purposes and to punish the offense and declaring the presumption that all intoxicating liquors are poisonous.

Also—

(House Bill No. 940):

An Act to prohibit the Catching or Taking of Fish from Lake Rosalie and Kosta Lake or Tiger Lake in Polk County, Florida, by the use of seines, gill nets, haul nets or any other kind of net or device except hook and line.

Also—

(House Bill No. 803):

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

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 and concurrent resolution contained in the above report have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 775):

An Act to amend Sections 1 and 5 of Chapter 8842 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, the same being An Act validating and confirming the creation and organization of several Special Tax School Districts in Seminole County, Florida, namely; Sanford Special Tax School District No. 1; Longwood Special Tax School District No. 2; Ovideo Special Tax School District No. 3; Chuluota Special Tax School District No. 4; Geneva Special Tax School District No. 5; Lake Monroe Special Tax School District No. 6, and validating and confirming acts of said Districts by their Board of Trustees and the County Board of Public Instruction; validating and confirming bond issues of Sanford Special Tax School District No. 1 and Lake Monroe Special Tax School District No. 6, Seminole County, Florida; validating and confirming all obligations and tax levies heretofore made for said districts.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1058):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida to issue for and on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District Number Seventeen (17) of Palm Beach County, Florida, additional bonds to be used for the purpose of completing the Jupiter Island Bridge now in the course of construction.

Also—

(House Bill No. 244):

An Act granting pension to James J. Padgett of Osceola County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1054):

An Act extending the powers of the Municipality of Pablo Beach and designating said municipality as the City of Pablo Beach, and amending Sections 1, 16 and 27 of Chapter 5830 of the Laws of Florida, and Section 5, of Chapter 7215 of the Laws of Florida.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 945):

An Act for the relief of B. H. Baker, J. W. White, and J. H. Fears, and to authorize and direct the County Commissioners of Jackson County, Florida, to refund and repay to the said B. H. Baker, J. W. White and J. H. Fears, the sum of Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars heretofore paid by the said B. H. Baker, J. W. White and J. H. Fears to the Fine and Forfeiture Fund of Said County.

Also—

(House Bill No. 783):

An Act to Amend Chapter 6738, Special Acts of A. D. 1913, and Chapter 8328, Special Acts of A. D. 1919, Relative to the Charter of the Town of Orange Park, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 844):

An Act to Amend Section 972 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to shows, and a license tax based on admission charge; tax on each tent; proviso; no fractional license.

Also—

(Committee Substitute to House Bill No. 182):

An Act fixing a time within which owners of lands in the Everglade Drainage District which have been sold for Drainage Taxes prior to the year 1920 may redeem the same, and authorizing and directing the trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to Re-Convey to the proper owner any such lands so redeemed.

Also—

(House Bill No. 907):

An Act providing for the creation and establishment of bulkhead and reclamation districts in the County of Seminole and State of Florida; Providing the Manner in which Bulkheading and Reclamation shall be carried on and conducted in said Districts; Providing for the levying of special Assessments against all land in said districts specially benefitted by said Improvement and Providing Ways and Means of Financing the costs of any and all improvements in said Bulkhead and Reclamation Districts.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 1120):

An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate the acts and proceedings of the Town Council officers and agents of the Town of Sebring, Highlands County, Florida, relating to the authorizing, issuing and selling of Street Improvement Bonds of said Town, and to authorize the Town Council of the Town of Sebring to levy and assess a special tax upon the property in said Town fronting upon the Streets so improved, under authority and in pursuance of an ordinance of said Town adopted by the Town Council and Approved by the Mayor of said Town of Sebring on the 20th day of April A. D. 1923.

Also—

(House Bill No. 869):

An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Homestead, in the County of Dade and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and incorporate a City Government for the City of Homestead, Florida; to define the territorial boundaries; to prescribe the jurisdiction, powers and privileges and to authorize it to exercise such jurisdiction, powers and privileges and to impose penalties for the violation of its ordinances.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 993):

An Act to abolish the Present Charter and Municipal Government of Havana, Florida, in the County of Gadsden, and to Create in Lieu thereof, a new Charter and Municipal Government to be known as Havana, and Provide for its Jurisdiction, Powers and Immunities.

Also—

(House Bill No. 326):

An Act providing for Insurance on State Properties of more than Fifty Thousand Dollars on One Risk, and making appropriation therefor.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1208):

An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Polk County, Florida, to establish a County Hospital and Farm. Dollars (\$100,000) for such purpose, and authorizing the said Board to borrow not to exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) for such purpose, and authorizing the said Board to levy a tax to repay the same, and to levy a tax for the maintenance of the said Hospital and Farm, provided, the said Board first submits this Act to the qualified voters of Polk County, Florida, and the same receives approval of a majority of the Votes cast at the said election.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 974):

An Act to permit the qualified voters of Sarasota County,

Florida, to decide whether Live Stock shall be allowed to run or roam at large within the territorial limits of said County, except township Thirty-eight and Thirty-nine South, of Ranges Twenty-one and Twenty-two East, and providing for the enforcement of this Act and for the impounding of Live Stock found running or roaming at large in said portion of Sarasota County, and providing that persons damaged by such Live Stock running or roaming at large may recover damages therefor.

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 bill contained in the above report has been 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.

The motion of Mr. Stokes to adopt Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11.

Was again taken up.

Pending the consideration of the adoption of the Resolution—

Mr. Johnson moved to waive the rules and that the Senate do now take up and consider House Bill No. 841.

Mr. Igou moved as a substitute for the motion of Mr. Johnson, that the Senate do now take up and consider House Bill No. 274.

Mr. Wells moved to lay the substitute motion on the table. Upon which a Yea and Nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Campbell, Eaton, Etheredge, Johnson, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Phillips, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—17.

Nays—Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Mitchell, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Stokes—14.

So the substitute motion was laid on the table.

The question then recurred upon the motion of Mr. Johnson to take up and consider House Bill No. 841.

Pending the further consideration of the motion—

Mr. Knight moved that the Senate do now adjourn:

Upon which a yea and vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Calkins, Cone, Hodges, Knight, MacWilliams, Russell, Stokes—7.

Nays—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Campbell, Colson, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Igou, Johnson, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—24.

So the motion to adjourn did not prevail.

The consideration of the motion of Mr. Johnson to waive the rules and take up and consider House Bill No. 841, was resumed.

The question was put upon the adoption of the motion.

Upon which a Yea and Nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Campbell, Colson, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Igou, Johnson, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—21.

Nays—Senators Calkins, Cone, Hodges, Knight, MacWilliams, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Stokes—10.

The motion of Mr. Johnson was agreed to.

#### House Bill No. 841:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State Live Stock Sanitary Board and to make the same body a corporate, and to prescribe the powers and duties of said Board, and to prescribe the qualifications of the members thereof, their compensation and term of office, and providing for the giving of a bond by the members of said Board for faithful performance of the duties of their office; providing for the employment of a State Veterinarian, prescribing his duties, term of office, compensation and bond to be given; providing for the division of the State of Florida into quarantine

areas and zones; prescribing the method and system of tick eradication work in the State of Florida; providing for notices to be given by said State Live Stock Sanitary Board; prescribing the method and manner of conducting tick eradication work, and designating where the same is to be begun, and defining the word "cattle" and providing for the payment of the cost and expense of carrying on said tick eradication work; providing for the levy of a tax to provide the necessary funds for tick eradication work, prescribing the method of enforcement of tick eradication work and providing for the sale of cattle thereunder; prescribing the duties and compensation of Sheriffs in connection with duties imposed upon Sheriffs by this Act. Providing for the disbursement of the funds arising from the sale of cattle made by authority of this Act; and the payment to owner of the net proceeds of any and all such sales; providing for the repeal of all laws and portions thereof in conflict with this Act, and providing when this Act shall become effective.

Was taken up, the same having been previously read the second time.

Mr. Russell, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 841:

In Section 14, lines 12 and 13, of the printed bill, strike out the words "Twenty-five" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One Hundred."

Mr. Russell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the consideration of which—

Mr. Malone moved that the Senate do extend the hour of the adjournment of this session of the Senate to 11 o'clock P. M. unless House Bill No. 841 shall sooner be disposed of.

Mr. Calkins moved as a substitute that the hour of adjournment be extended to 1:05 P. M.

Mr. Rowe moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

The motion of Mr. Rowe to adjourn was not agreed to.

The motion of Mr. Calkins to adjourn at 1:05 o'clock P. M., was not agreed to.

The question then recurred upon the motion of Mr. Malone, for extending the hour for adjournment to 11 o'clock, unless House Bill No. 841 be disposed of.

The motion of Mr. Malone prevailed.

Mr. Singletary moved that House Bill No. 841, be placed upon its passage at 12:30 o'clock to-day.

Pending the consideration of which—

Mr. Calkins moved that the Senate do now proceed to go into executive session to consider executive matters.

Which motion was not agreed to.

Mr. Wells moved as a substitute to the motion of Mr. Singletary that House Bill No. 841 be now put on the third reading and final passage.

Upon which a Yea and Nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Campbell, Eaton, Etheredge, Johnson, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Phillips, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—17.

Nays—Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Mitchell, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Stokes—14.

So the Substitute motion of Mr. Wells prevailed.

And House Bill No. 841 was read a third time for information.

By unanimous consent—

Mr. MacWilliams, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 841:

In Section 7, line 12, strike out the words and figures "Four Thousand (\$4,000.00) Dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) Dollars."

Mr. MacWilliams moved the adoption of the amendment.

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

Upon which a Yea and Nay vote was demanded.

Upon call of the roll the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Campbell, Eaton, Etheredge, Johnson, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Phillips, Rowe, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—18.

Nays—Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Hodges, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Mitchell, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Stokes—13.

So the amendment was laid on the table.

Mr. Johnson moved that no further amendment be offered to House Bill No. 841, and that a vote be immediately taken on the final passage of said bill.

Which motion prevailed.

And—

House Bill No. 841:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State Live Stock Sanitary Board and to make the same a body corporate, and to prescribe the powers and duties of said Board, and to prescribe the qualifications of the members thereof, their compensation and term of office, and providing for the giving of a bond by the members of said Board for faithful performance of the duties of their office; providing for the employment of a State Veterinarian, prescribing his duties, term of office, compensation and bond to be given; providing for the division of the State of Florida into quarantine areas and zones; prescribing the method and system of tick eradication work in the State of Florida; providing for notices to be given by said State Live Stock Sanitary Board; prescribing the method and manner of conducting tick eradication work, and designating where the same is to be begun, and defining the word "cattle" and providing for the payment of the cost and expense of carrying on said tick eradication work; providing for the levy of a tax to provide the necessary funds for tick eradication work, prescribing the method of enforcement of tick eradication work and providing for the sale of cattle thereunder; prescribing the duties and compensation of Sheriffs in connection with duties imposed upon Sheriffs by this Act, providing for the disbursement of the funds arising from the sale of cattle made by authority of this Act; and the payment to owner of the net proceeds of any and all such sales; providing for the repeal of all laws and portions thereof in conflict with this Act, and providing when this Act shall become effective.

Was read a the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Campbell, Eaton, Etheredge, Johnson, Lindsey, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Shelley, Singletary, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—16.

Nays—Senators Calkins, Colson, Cone, Epperson,

Hodges, Igou, Knabb, Knight, MacWilliams, Mitchell, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Stokes—15.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Lindsey offered the following explanation of his vote on House Bill 841:

The Quarantine Regulations so restricts the movements of Cattle that markets are depressed and low prices prevail, and it appears that the only relief must come through tick eradication, which cannot be obtained by the county unit basis. This bill provided for only one-half mill tax with which to pay for a two-year test under the zone system and we should thus secure, at minimum cost, a practical demonstration in both West and South Florida. I therefore vote yea.

Senator Etheredge votes, and his reason for voting thus is as follows: The bill as passed is not what I wish, but I believe it a step in the right direction and will enable the Stockmen to sell their cattle, no other bill was offered which would meet the requirements of the government.

E. J. ETHEREDGE.

By Consent—

Mr. Johnson, offered the following Resolution—

Senate Resolution No. 29.

By Committee on Rules:

Resolved by the Senate, That no Senator shall be allowed to speak more than five minutes upon any one question from this time to the close of this session without unanimous consent; provided that the Senator, or whoever is the author of any bill or amendment, shall have ten minutes to explain same.

J. B. JOHNSON,  
Chairman,  
JOHN S. TAYLOR,  
H. H. WELLS,

Which was read.

Pending the consideration of which Resolution—

The following Communications from the Governor were read:

STATE OF FLORIDA  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Tallahassee, May 31st, 1923.

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

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable Body, have been filed with the Secretary of State; same having been in my possession the Constitutional period of time provided in such cases, and have become laws without my approval:

Senate Bill No. 137:

An Act granting pension to James Sims of Columbia County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 138:

An Act granting pension to Mr. S. E. Collins, of Columbia County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 234:

An Act prohibiting the unauthorized making, buying, selling or giving away of duplicate switch keys of railroad companies.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 267:

An Act granting pension to Mrs. A. J. Anders of Bradford County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 439:

An Act to validate, ratify and confirm all acts, ordinances and proceedings heretofore had, held and passed by the town council of the Town of Hampton, Bradford County, Florida, and to ratify, validate and confirm any and all tax levies and assessments which have heretofore been made by the legally constituted authorities of the said town of

Hampton for municipal purposes and to authorize the collection of all such tax assessments, including the tax assessment for the year 1922, of said town in the manner now provided by Law.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 441:

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.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 442:

An Act regulating and fixing the compensation of the County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 469):

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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 487):

An Act to empower, authorize, require and direct the the proceeds realized from such tax to Union 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 any effort to liquidate and pay said indebtedness of Thirteen Thousand Dollars, under 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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 493):

An Act to legalize, and validate the proceedings of the City of Key West, Florida, for the issuance of \$200,000 Public Improvement Bonds of said City.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 512):

An Act to abolish the present corporation of the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and to establish a municipality of the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and to provide for its territorial limits, its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities, to appoint municipal officers and define their duties and powers.

Also—

(Senate Joint Resolution No. 214).

Very respectfully,

CARY A. HARDEE,

Governor.

Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(Senate Bill No. 596):

An Act for the relief of W. H. Dowling.

Very respectfully,

CARY A. HARDEE,

Governor.

Mr. Russell moved that the Senate do now take up and consider messages from the House of Representatives. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 639:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Authorize and Empower the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna in Volusia County, State of Florida, to Issue and Sell Interest Bearing Time Warrants in an Amount not to exceed Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), to bear interest not to exceed Six Per Cent. per Annum, Payable Annually or Semi-annually, to run for a period of not longer than two (2) years, for the purpose of raising funds with which to purchase and install an Oil Burning Combustion Engine, complete, with Generator, Exciter, Switchboard Panel and all piping necessary; also day oil tank and filtering tank and all wires necessary to connect with the present electric system, as an additional Unit for the Electric Light Plant of said City; to provide when Said Warrants shall become due and payable; to provide for the payment thereof and the raising of funds for such payment.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 641:

A bill to be entitled An Act Authorizing Town of Williston, Levy County, Florida, to Issue Bonds and Validating the Issuance of Bonds.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 645:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the pay of Jurors serving in the County Judge's Court of Okaloosa County, Florida.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills No. 639, 641, and 645 were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 1227:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the transfer of all proceeds remaining from the issue and sale of bonds of Special Road and Bridge District No. 3, in Putnam County Florida, after paying for the construction of the improvements for which said bonds were issued and sold.

Also—

House Bill No. 1226:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and prescribe the time, method and manner by which the Town of Holly Hill, Volusia County, Florida, or any portion thereof, may be annexed and to become a part of the Municipality of Daytona, Volusia County, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1227 contained in the above message was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1227 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1227 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1227 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. 1227 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, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1226, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1226, be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1226 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1226 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. 1226 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, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—29.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

#### MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 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. 604:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and establish the Turnbull Hammock Drainage District in this State and define its boundaries, to create and name a Board of Supervisors for said District, and to define its powers, authorizing the construction of canals, drains, dikes, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation and benefit of the lands embraced in said district and to levy assessment of taxes upon the lands embraced in such district and to provide for the collection of the same etc.

Together with the following amendments.

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 15, line 23, strike out the words Commissioners and insert in lieu thereof, Supervisors.

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 11, line 160, strike out the words, the East half (E½) of the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), lot two (2) Section Twenty-five (25).

Amendment No. 3:

In Section 11, line 148, strike out the words, the West half of Section (11), lot one (1) Section Fourteen (14), lot two (2) Section Fourteen (14), lots Three (3) Section Fourteen (14), lot Four (4), Section Fourteen (14).

## Amendment No. 4:

In Section 11, line 145, strike out the words, the North-east quarter (N. E.  $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section three (3), the east half of the Southeast quarter (E $\frac{1}{2}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section three (3).

## Amendment No. 5:

In Section 11, line 90, strike out the words, lot one (1) Section twenty-five (25), lot three (3) Section twenty-five (25).

## Amendment No. 6:

In Section 11, line 36, strike out the words, South half of Northwest quarter (S $\frac{1}{2}$  of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) Section eight (8) North half of Southwest quarter (N $\frac{1}{2}$  of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) Section Eight (8).

## Amendment No. 7:

In Section 1, at end of Section add: Except that part of Section six (6), and west half of Section eight (8), and west half of Section seventeen (17), and west half of Section twenty (20) in Township eighteen (18) South, Range Thirty-four (34) East which is included in above boundary.

And respectfully request the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 604, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 3, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 4, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 5, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 6, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 7, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 604, as amended by House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

The following Communication was ordered to be spread on the Journal.

Tallahassee, Florida.

May 31, 1923.

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

*Hon. L. D. Edge,*  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

*Tallahassee, Fla.*

*Gentleman:*

As Chairman of the Committee provided for by Chapter 8433 of the Laws of Florida, (1921), entitled "An Act to make an appropriation to assist in the erection of a Monument and establishing a Park on the Battle Field of Natural Bridge, in Leon County, Florida," I wish to report to the Legislature that the Monument provided for by said Act has been erected at the scene of the Battle of Natural Bridge on lands donated by private parties; the unveiling ceremonies having been held on Memorial Day, April 26th, 1922.

The Monument Committee, as provided for by the Act of the Legislature, was composed of Mrs. J. Stuart Lewis, as President of Anna Jackson Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy Chairman, Miss Sallie E. Blake, Mr. J. B. Fletcher, Mr. G. W. Rhodes and Mr. A. H. Williams.

Vouchers showing the expenditure of the Five Thousand Dollars appropriated by the Act above referred to have been filed in the office of the Comptroller of the State of Florida.

I wish to express the appreciation of Anna Jackson Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, for the appro-

priation made for the erection of this Monument to commemorate the valiant heroism of the defenders of the State Capitol in the Battle of Natural Bridge on the sixth day of March, A. D. 1865.

Very respectfully,  
MRS. J. STUART LEWIS,  
Chairman of Committee.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 614:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Five of Chapter —, Laws of Florida, said Chapter being entitled An Act enlarging the powers of the City of Chipley, a municipal corporation, and prescribing its powers and privileges relating to the pavement of the streets and construction of sidewalks, and providing for the costs of same.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 612:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing a supplemental, additional and alternative method of making local improvements for the City of St. Petersburg, a municipal corporation, authorizing and providing for special assessments for the cost thereof, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds for such municipality.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 611:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting powers and privileges to officers, agents and employes of the City of St. Petersburg, and providing for the zoning of said City and certain adjacent territory; to conserve and promote the in-

terests of such city and adjacent territory with reference to buildings, architecture, landscaping and art, and to confer other powers upon the City of St. Petersburg.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 616:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Okaloosa County, Florida, to issue Interest Bearing Time Warrants in the sum of thirty thousand dollars, bearing interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, in denominations of one thousand dollars each, payable serially, one on the first day of January A. D. 1925, and one on the first day of each January thereafter until and including the first day of January A. D. 1954, for the purpose of building, maintaining and repairing bridges in said Okaloosa County, Florida.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 614, 612, 611 and 616, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 384:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the protection of the Public Roads of Lake County, Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of the same.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 384, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 638:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the Corporate Limits of the City of Orlando and to give the said City of Orlando jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 636:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create the Pompano Drainage District in Broward County, Florida; to provide for the maintenance and operation of said district and to define its powers, rights, privileges, obligations, and boundaries; to create a Board of Supervisors for said District, and to define its powers; to authorize the construction of canals, locks, ditches, drains, dikes, reservoirs, roads and other works for the reclamation, improvement, convenience and benefit of the lands embraced in said district, and incidentally the construction of roads and bridges in said district; to levy assessments and taxes upon the lands in such district and to provide for the collection of the same, and the sale of lands to enforce the collection of such assessments; to authorize the Board of Supervisors of said district to borrow money, to issue bonds, notes, warrants, and evidences of indebtedness for said district; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act, and to provide penalty for the violation of such provisions.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 638 and 636 contained in the above message were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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 indefinitely postponed—

Senate Bill No. 644:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Declare the Placing, Depositing or leaving garbage, defective fruits or vegetables, or other Trash, within three hundred feet of any Public Highway in St. Lucie County, Florida, except within Incorporated Cities or Towns, to be a Public Nuisance; to prohibit the same, and to provide penalties for the violations of the provisions of this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 643:

A bill to be entitled An Act legalizing, validating and confirming the purchase of the water and electric light plant at Jasper, Florida, by the City of Jasper, Florida, and Authorizing the issuing of Interest Bearing Time Warrants in the sum of Twelve Thousand (\$12,000.00) Dollars in payment therefor.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 644 and 643 contained in the above message were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 642:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Create Certain Territory in Lake County, Florida, into a Special Road, and Bridge District to be known as "Eustis-Tavares Special Road and Bridge District of Lake County, Florida" 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 the Taxes on all taxable property within said District for the purpose of paying the interest and principal of said Bonds, Time Warrants or Script.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 642 contained in the above message was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 607:

A bill to be entitled An Act to raitfy, approve, validate and confirm election held in the Town of Crescent City, Putnam County, Florida, on December 14, 1921, to determine whether said Town should issue bonds in the sum of \$39,500.00, election held on October 20, 1922, changing the rate of interest to be paid on said bonds and electing three bond trustees, and all acts and proceedings had and taken leading up to and in the issuance of said bonds.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 610:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Town of Rockledge, Florida, a municipal corporation, to issue and sell bonds of the said Town for the purpose of paying certain existing indebtedness of said Town and for the purpose of repairing and re-oiling certain streets in said Town and for the purpose of paying for the Town's portion of paving certain streets in said Town; to prescribe the amount of such bonds and the manner of their issuance.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 609:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create, establish and constitute certain territory in Volusia County, Florida, into a Special Road and Bridge District, to be known and designated as Lake Helen-Osteen Special Road and Bridge District; providing for the building and construction of certain designated roads and bridges in said Lake Helen-Osteen Special Road and Bridge District; prescribing the material of which said roads and bridges shall be built and constructed, and the manner in which said roads and bridges shall be built, constructed and paid for; providing for the issuance and sale of One Hundred Ten Thousand (\$110,000.00) Dollars of bonds of said Lake Helen-Osteen Special Road and Bridge District with which to pay for the construction of said roads and bridges; providing that an election shall be held in said district to determine whether said bonds shall be issued; prescribing the date said election shall be held, and certain other details in relation to said election, and in relation to publishing notice of said election, and in relation to canvassing the returns of said election, and certifying to the result thereof; providing for the issuance of additional bonds of said district; prescribing certain rights,

duties and powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, in relation to the construction of the roads and bridges in said district, and in relation to the issuance and sale of bonds of said district, and in relation to assessing, levying and equalizing the special taxes of said district; prescribing certain rights, duties and powers of the Bond Trustees of said District; providing for the levy assessment and collection of a tax with which to pay the interest on the bonds of said district, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of said bonds at the maturity of same; providing for the levy, assessment and collection of a tax not exceeding fifteen mills on the dollar for repair and maintenance of the roads and bridges in said District; providing that said district shall be entitled to receive for the repair and maintenance of the roads and bridges in said district, its due proportion of the general county road tax, and providing that the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, may receive State or Federal aid in the construction of said roads.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 607, 610 and 609, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 619:

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

grant leave to applicants to establish ferries and toll bridges within the boundaries of said county for a period not exceeding thirty years, prescribing the limitations in connection with said grant, the right to acquire said toll bridges or ferries or other property used in connection therewith by said county after appraisal and for other purposes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 618:

A bill to be entitled An Act limiting the amount of Tonnage by motor vehicles, and restricting the use of trailers and log, timber, turpentine or other carts, wagons or vehicles and well machines, over certain roads in Levy County, Florida, and regulating the speed of and the use of wagons, carts, machines or disc harrows, automobiles or other vehicles, over the roads of said County, and authorizing the County Commissioners to bring suit in certain cases.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 620:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Wauchula, Florida, to issue Improvement Bonds of said City which shall be general obligations of said City.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 619, 618, 620 contained in the above message were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 622:

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

Also—

Senate Bill No. 625:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating and confirming assessments made by the City of Chipley, Florida, assessing the cost and expense of sidewalks constructed by said city against the abutting lots of real estate.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 630:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Board of Public Instruction of Gadsden County, Florida, to borrow money for the payment of school warrants when there are no funds in the County School Fund of said County for such purpose, and to pay interest on such loans not exceeding eight (8) per cent per annum.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 631:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the appointment of the Game and Fish Warden of Volusia County; to fix his compensation and prescribe his duties and powers.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 632:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting anyone from aiding or assisting any inmate of the Florida Industrial School for Girls, located in Marion County, Florida, from escaping or getting away therefrom, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 622, 625, 630, 631 and 632 contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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 requested the Senate to return to the House of Representatives Senate Bill No. 314.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bill No. 314 contained in the above message was ordered to be returned to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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 requested the Senate to return to the House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 96.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 96 contained in the above message was returned to the House of Representatives.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 621:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create certain territory in Washington County, Florida, into a Special Road and Bridge District, and to authorize and validate the building and construction of certain roads, culverts and bridges therein and to provide for the issuance of bonds etc.

Together with the following amendments:

1. In Section 19, line 7, after the word "District" strike out the balance of the Section.

2. In Section 18, line 8, after the figures "1922" strike out the words "or who thereafter qualified to vote in said district prior to the bond election."

3. In Section 18, line 4, after the word "real" strike out the words "or personal" and after the word "property" in said line strike out the words "or whose husband pays taxes on real or personal property."

4. In Section 23, line 2, after the word "repealed" strike out the word "and" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Provided this Act shall take effect by an affirmative vote of the qualified electors in said bond district No. 2 as provided in Section 18, 19 and 20 of this Act, after the approval by the Governor or upon its becoming a law without such approval, and in the event that a majority of

the qualified electors shall vote against the creation of said bond district No. 2 at an election to be held as provided in Section 18, 19 and 20 of this Act, then in the event this Act shall be void and of no effect."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 621, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 3 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 4 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 621 amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bill.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 568:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining the legal status of certain property in the State of Florida in its relation to the tax laws of this State.

To gether with the following amendment:

Between the words "Florida" and "solely" insert "or American Legion used for educational, literary, scientific, religious or charitable purposes."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 568, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 568 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 568 as amended by the House of Representatives and Concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 29, 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 adopted the following substitute for the House Amendment to—

Senate Bill No. 242:

A bill to be entitled An Act to enable the City of Orlando, 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 Substitute amendment is as follows:

"Provided that the Act shall not apply to any building or buildings occupied by public utilities rendering a public service and which are now subject to the regulation of the Railroad Commission.

The original amendment for which the above is substituted is as follows:

Strike out Section 7, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "This act shall become a law immediately upon its having been voted favorably upon by a majority of the qualified voters of the City of Orlando, Florida."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 242, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the Senate do concur to House Substitute Amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 242 as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 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. 121:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that attorneys at law may prepare transcript of the record for use on any

appeal to the Supreme Court; to require the certification of such transcripts by the clerk of the lower court and prescribe his compensation therefor, and prescribe penalties for the violation of this Act.

Together with the following amendments:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 2, line 5, after the word "him" insert the words "to compare same with the original record, correct any errors and."

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 3, line 2, after the words "appealed from" insert the words "within ten days."

Amendment No. 3:

In Section 3, line 4, after the word "cause" and before the words "and when" "correct any errors and verify the same."

Amendment No. 4:

In Section 4, line 2, after the word "transcript" insert the words "verification and certification."

Amendment No. 5:

In Section 4, line 3, after the word "Act" strike out all that follows in said Section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The Clerk shall receive as compensation for comparison, correction, verification and certification of the transcript prepared by attorneys of record in said causes ten (10c) cents for each three hundred words or fraction thereof of the original records compared, corrected and verified and fifty (50c) cents for the certificate."

Amendment No. 6:

In Section 5, line 6, strike out all the words after the word "Act."

Amendment No. 7:

In Section 6, line 6, after the words "provided for" strike out the words "his regular lawful fee" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The Clerk shall receive ten cents (10c) for each three hundred words or fraction thereof of the original record."

Amendment No. 8:

In title, line 2, after the word "require" insert the words "the comparison, correction, verification and."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bill No. 121, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Hodges moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 3, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 4 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 5, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 6, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 7, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 8, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 121, as amended, by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate was referred to the Committee on Engrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

Senate Bill No. 134:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and regulate organizations doing business in the State of Florida under what is commonly known as a Declaration of Trust; to prohibit such organizations from engaging in any business in Florida without first complying with any provisions of this Act; to prohibit brokers or other persons from selling or offering for sale any of the stock or unit of such organization without first complying with the provisions of this Act and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

Together with the following amendment:

In Section 2, line 4, strike out the words "five hundred dollars" and insert in lieu thereof the following "one hundred and fifty dollars."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bill No. 134, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Epperson moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the bill as amended, by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 30, 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. 187:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect and regulate the salt water fishing industry of the State of Florida.

With the following amendments.

1. In Section 1, line 5, after the word "fish" add "provided this section shall not apply to salt-water Mullet known as Silver Mullet."

2. In Section 1, Strike out the words "Nine inches," and insert in lieu thereof the following "six inches."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bill No. 187, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Scales moved that the Senate do not concur to House Amendment No. 1, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate refused to concur in the amendment.

Mr. Scales moved that the Senate do not concur to House Amendment No. 2, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate refused to concur in the amendment.

And the bill, with the House amendments and with the Senate's refusal to concur, was temporarily passed over.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

2712

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 3:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the assessment and collection of taxes upon any property in the State of Florida upon which ad valorem taxes could have been lawfully assessed for any year or years within five years previous to the year in which such assessment shall be made when the taxes which might have been lawfully assessed against such property for any cause have not been paid, or as to which an invalid assessment or sale shall appear to have been made.

Together with the following amendment.

In Section 2, add the following.

Provided, however, that this Act shall not have retroactive effect as to any property not assessable prior to April 3rd, 1923.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,  
B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 3, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Wells moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 3, as amended by the House of Representatives and as concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

2713

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 624:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a contingent Fund to be expended by the Governor of Florida in Defraying Expenses Incurred in and Incidental to the prosecution and Trial of criminal cases in the Circuit Courts of this State.

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

And Senate Bill No. 624 contained in the above message was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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 failed to pass—  
Senate Bill No. 19:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cure certain informalities in the execution of deeds and other instruments conveying or transferring real or personal property or in the

relinquishment of dower by married women prior to the first day of April, A. D. 1923.

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, Florida, May 31, 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 failed to pass, by the required constitutional three-fifths vote of all of the members elected to the House of Representatives for the session 1923.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 122:

A Joint Resolution proposing an Amendment to Section 17, of Article V. of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to the Jurisdiction of County Judges.

*Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida:*

That the following proposed amendment to Section 17 of Article V. of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to the jurisdiction of County Judges, be and the same is hereby agreed to, and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for approval or rejection at the next general election of Representatives to be held in the year 1924, that is to say, that Section 17 of Article V. of the Constitution of Florida shall be amended to read as follows:

Section 17. The County Judge shall have original jurisdiction in all cases at law in which the demand or value of property involved shall not exceed two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) Dollars; of proceedings relating to the forcible entry or unlawful detention of lands and tenements; and

of such criminal cases as the legislature may prescribe. The County Judge shall have jurisdiction of the settlement of the estate of decedents and minors, to order the sale of Real Estate of decedents and minors; to take probate of wills, to grant letters testamentary of administration and guardianship and to discharge the duties annually pertaining to courts of probate, he shall have the power of a committing magistrate and shall issue all license required by law to be issued in the County.

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, Florida, May 31, 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 indefinitely postponed—

Senate Bill No. 637:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the election and changing the salaries of the City Commissioners of the City of Pensacola.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 640:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the playground and Recreation Board of the City of Jacksonville, Duval County, Florida, and prescribing its powers and duties.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 627:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of persons who use shot-guns in the pursuit of game and for sport; to provide that all shot-gun shells loaded with powder and shot sold in the State of Florida shall be so marked as to indicate the character, quality and quantity of the load, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

With the following amendment.

Strike out Section 5 and insert:

Section 5. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to apply to shells already contracted for at the time of the taking effect of this Act, and this Act shall not go into effect until January 1st, 1924.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 627, together with the amendment of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to and the bill as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 450:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend sections 19, 20, 21, 30, 32, 41, 44, 49, 50, 51, 52 and 53 of the Act approved May 5, 1921, entitled "An Act to Regulate and Provide for the Military Forces of the State of Florida, and to promote their efficiency," and for other purposes, being Chapter 8502 of the Laws of Florida.

With the following amendments:

1. In Section 1, line 4, strike out the words, Military Department and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The Governor of."

2. In Section 1, lines 15 and 16, strike out the words "Military Department" and insert in lieu the following "the Treasury of the State of Florida."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 450, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the bill as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 615:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, 3, 9, 10 and 11 of Chapter 8865 of the Laws of Florida, the same being An Act relating to hunting in the Twelfth Senatorial District of the State of Florida, and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

With the following amendment:

Add a new Section, "Section 12:" "This Act shall not apply to Dixie and LaFayette Counties."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 615, together with the amendment of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Scales moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

The bill as amended, by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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 failed to pass by the Constitutional three-fifths vote of all the members elected to the House of Representatives for the session 1923.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 358:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 1 of Article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to taxation and finance.

*Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida,*

That the following amendment of Section 1 of Article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to taxation and finance, is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the next general election of Representatives, to be held in the year 1924; that is to say, that Section 1, Article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Florida, be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The Legislature shall provide for a uniform and equal rate of taxation, except that it may provide for special rate or rates on intangible property, but such special rate or rates shall not exceed five mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of such intangible property, which special rate or rates, or the taxes collected therefrom may be apportioned by the Legislature, and shall be exclusive of all other State, County, District and municipal taxes; and shall prescribe such regulations as shall secure a just valuation of all property, both real and personal, excepting such property as may be exempted by law for municipal, educational, literary, scientific, religious or charitable pur-

poses, and there shall be exempt from all taxation to the head of each family residing in this State, household goods and personal effects to the value of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars.

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, Florida, May 31, 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 adopted—  
House Concurrent Resolution No. 25:

Whereas, The Legislature of Florida in its regular session now drawing to a close, has been engrossed with the duties of enacting laws and submitting to the people proposed changes in our fundamental law; and during this time there has been great interest among the people in matters pertaining to law and our government; and

Whereas, It is well recognized that legislation alone will not correct all weaknesses in a government or in the economic, social and moral life of its people; but there are forces within the hearts of the people themselves more potent for good or evil than enactments of legislative bodies; and

Whereas, Washington, the Father of our Country realized the need of a fine moral fiber and strong character of citizenship when he said: "The strength of a Republic is in the character of its citizens, their intelligence and their morals, inseparable from their religion;" and

Whereas, The needs of the hour for a better, happier and more contented people cannot be wholly met by legislative enactments or governmental panaceas; therefore,

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

Section 1. That we urge upon the people of the State that they give attention to fostering a conscious duty of civic righteousness, a high moral plane of individual conduct, a rediscovery and a renewal of the vitalizing forces of their religious faith.

Section 2. That we urge upon the schools and all the educational forces of the State that emphasis be placed upon morality, good conscience, respect for authority—parental and that of the government—and that individual and civic righteousness be exalted.

Section 3. That we commend the efforts made by all the religious forces among our people for a quickened individual conscience, a well grounded faith and placing the precepts of the Golden Rule above the desire for gold; to the end that our State and our Nation may be indeed an abode of peace, happiness, prosperity and righteousness.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 25, contained in the above message, was read the first time.

Mr. Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Concurrent Resolution No. 25 be read a second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 25 was read a second time.

Mr. Taylor moved to adopt the resolution.

Which was agreed to.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to request

the Senate to return to the House of Representatives for further consideration—

Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 358:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section One of Article Nine of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relative to taxation and finance.

Also—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 122:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 17 of Article V of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relative to the jurisdiction of County Judges.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 358 and Senate Joint Resolution No. 122, contained in the above message, were returned to the House of Representatives as requested by the House.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives

Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 637:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to James M. Straughn, of Walton County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 562:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Sarah Ann Hardee.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 637 and 562 contained in the above message were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 516:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to J. M. Dorman, of Baker County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 427:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to Mrs. Martha L. Dickinson.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 355:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to Harrison Hinson, of Washington County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 279:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to J. G. Williams, of Bradford County, Florida.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 459:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to W. E. Phillips, of Baker County, Florida.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 516, 427, 355, 279 and 459 contained in the above message were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 1260:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the territorial limits upon which tax for the redemption of certain time warrants in Lee County, and for the interest thereon, shall be applicable, and repealing all laws in conflict with this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1260, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1260 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1260 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1260 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. 1260 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, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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—  
Substitute for Senate Bill No. 314:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 7833, Acts of 1919, entitled "An Act providing for the care, maintenance and control of the State Convicts, and providing for the carrying out of the provisions of this Act, and making an appropriation therefor, approved May 24, 1919," as amended by Chapter 8423, Acts of 1921, approved May 16, 1921, to repeal Sections 6268, 6269, 6270 and 6271 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida relating to the appointment, compensation, terms of employment, qualifications, powers and duties of supervisors of convicts; to provide for the employment of inspectors of convicts; to prescribe their powers and duties; to fix their compensation; and to fix penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act; to prescribe certain rules to be ob-

served by persons in control of convicts, and to prescribe penalties for violating the same; to prescribe certain duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture and of the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, and to prohibit corporal punishment of convicts and prisoners, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this Act.

Together with the following amendments:

In Section 1, line 36, strike out the words beginning with the word "no," in line 36, down to and including "State Prison Farm," in line 39.

In Section 1, line 29, strike out the semicolon (;) after "farm" and insert instead a comma (,), and insert the following: "And no class of convicts shall be transferred to the State Road Department when in the opinion of the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions such convict can be worked to advantage on the State Prison Farm."

In Section 8, strike out Section 8 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "It shall be forever unlawful for any corporal punishment, any cruel or inhuman punishment or any punishment by which the flesh of the body is broken, bruised or lacerated to be inflicted upon any convict at any time or place or upon any prisoner at any time or place. Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall immediately be discharged and shall not again be employed in any capacity in connection with the prison system of this State, and shall be punished as provided by law for whatever offense he may have committed in perpetrating the act. No prisoner shall be punished because of any report or representation which he may have made to any inspector."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And Substitute for Senate Bill No. 314, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, were placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 3, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the bill, as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 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. 626:

A bill to be entitled An Act to appropriate money for the payment of the salary of a Justice of the Supreme Court from the 15th day of May, A. D. 1923, to the 1st day of July, A. D. 1923, and to pay the salaries of Circuit Judges and the expenses of Circuit Judges authorized by law to be paid, and to pay the salaries of the State's Attorneys, and to pay salaries of Court Reporters, which are found not to be provided for in the appropriations contained in the General Appropriation Bill, and to pay for the printing, binding and publishing of the Supreme Court Reports of the State of Florida.

Together with the following amendments:

Amendment No. 1:

After Section 1, insert Section 1½ to read as follows:

"A sufficient sum is hereby appropriated out of moneys in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the salaries, the expenses and maintenance of the Department of the Hotel Commission as contemplated and pro-

vided for by the enactment of Senate Bill No. 171 in so far and to the extent that such salaries, expenses and maintenance have not been provided for in the provisions of the General Appropriation Bill, which has been enacted by this session of the Legislature.

Amendment No. 2:

To the title of the bill add the following:

“And to appropriate a sufficient amount to pay the difference between the amount of salaries and maintenance as contemplated and provided in the General Appropriation Bill and that contemplated and provided in Senate Bill No. 171.”

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 626, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 1.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Lindsay moved that the Senate do concur to House Amendment No. 2 contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the bill as amended by the House of Representatives and concurred in by the Senate amended was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Mr. Igou moved that House Bill No. 1063 be made a Special Order for consideration at 9 o'clock P. M. today.

Which was agreed to.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 1193:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the levy of taxes for the years 1923 and 1924.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1193 contained in the above message was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1193 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1193 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1193 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. 1193 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, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—25.

Nays—Senators Mapoles, Stokes—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 710:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the construction of a caretakers home on the grounds of the Olustee Monument, at Olustee, Florida, and to make an appropriation to pay same.

Also—

House Bill No. 1232:

A bill to be entitled An Act limiting the amount of tonnage, and regulating the use of trailers and log, timber, turpentine, or other carts, wagons or vehicles, over certain roads in Cedar Key Special Road District No. 7 in Levy County, Florida, and authorizing the County Commissioners to bring suit in certain cases.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 710 contained in the above message was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 710 be read a second time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 710 was read a second time.

And on motion the bill remained on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading for further consideration.

And House Bill No. 1232 contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1232 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1232 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1232 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. 1232 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, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, McWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 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. 1259:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. H. Hyden, and authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to determine and settle the claim of said J. H. Hyden, for damages to a certain automobile, caused by exposure to the elements while the said automobile was being held as evidence in a certain Criminal

Case; also damages for being deprived of the use of said automobile during the period for which it was held.

Also—

House Bill No. 1258:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the pay of Jurors serving in the County Judge's Court of Santa Rosa County, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1259 contained in the above message was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1259 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1259 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1259 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. 1259 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, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1258, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1258 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1258 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Lindsey moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1258 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. 1258 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, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Overstreet moved that House Bill No. 1128 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1128:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Seminole County, Florida, to levy and collect for a period of five years a special tax upon the taxable property in said county, to be expended by said Board of County Commissioners for investigational work in said county in the production of agricultural products and for the control of plant diseases and insect pests, and in the payment of the salary and expenses of the County Demonstration Agent.

Was taken up.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1128 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1128 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1128 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. 1128 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, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 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 refused to concur in the Senate amendment to—

House Bill No. 1200:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate fishing in the waters of the lakes, ponds, rivers and streams within Jackson County, Florida; to provide a license tax for non-residents to be allowed to fish in the waters of said county, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Which said amendment is as follows:

In Section 3, lines 4 and 5, strike out the words \$50.00 and 50c and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$2.00 and 25c."

And respectfully requests the Senate to recede from its said amendment.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1200, together with the amendments

of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

Mr. Singletary moved that the Senate do not recede from its amendment, contained in the above message, to House Bill No. 1200.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate refused to recede from its action.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 589:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize Honorable Duncan U. Fletcher to deliver to the President of the Florida Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, certain monies held by him as a balance of the sum appropriated for the construction of a monument at Olustee, Florida; to authorize the President of the Florida Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, to expend the said money, together with other funds that may come into her hands for such purpose, in the improvement of and beautifying of the grounds of the Olustee Monument at Olustee, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 589, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 589 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 589 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 589 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. 589 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cone, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wicker—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

The following Communications were received from the Governor.

STATE OF FLORIDA  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Tallahassee, May 31st, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

I have the honor to inform you that the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable Body, have been filed with the Secretary of State; same having been in my possession the Constitutional period of time provided in such cases, and have become laws without my approval:

(Senate Bill No. 272):

An Act relating to judgments and decrees of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 365):

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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 392):

An Act to amend Section 1, of chapter 7146 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida of 1915, said Act being entitled "An Act relating to the paving, grading, curbing, laying out, opening, repairing or otherwise improving of the streets, alleys, and highways of the City of DeLand, Florida, and to the laying, constructing and repairing of sidewalks in said city, and giving to said city a lien for the cost of such improvements; and providing for the issuance of certificates of indebtedness, for such cost; and providing for their payment or collection.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 394):

An Act relating to the Government and powers of the Town of Lake Worth, in Palm Beach County, Florida; authorizing, approving, ratifying, legalizing, validating and confirming certain certificates of indebtedness of said town of Lake Worth and declaring and making said certificates of indebtedness to be legally binding, direct and negotiable obligations of said Town of Lake Worth.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 430):

An Act giving and granting to the Park-Wood Lumber Company, a corporation, its successors, and assigns, the consent and authority of the State of Florida to construct one or more bridges over the Canal from St. Andrews Bay

to the Apalachicola River for the purpose of conveying logs and timber from its lands on the East side of said canal to its mill at Port St. Joe, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 433):

An Act to authorize the Town of Umatilla, Lake County, Florida, to construct, purchase, lease, establish, maintain, and operate a municipal plant for the purpose of manufacturing, furnishing and distributing electricity, ice and water for municipal purposes and for use by consumers thereof; to maintain in connection therewith a cold storage plant; to prescribe rules and regulations for the distribution of water, ice and electricity and the use of said cold storage plant and to provide for the payment by consumers and users thereof proper compensation therefor; to authorize said Town to reconstruct, extend or enlarge said municipal plant; to borrow money for last mentioned purpose or to maintain and operate said plant; and to confer upon said Town all rights and privileges provided by the laws of the State of Florida with reference to similar municipal plants.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 434):

An Act to amend Sections one, three and four, Article thirteen of Chapter 8376, Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida for the year 1919, with reference to the issuance and sale of municipal bonds of the Town of Umatilla, Lake County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 435):

An Act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Umatilla, Lake County, Florida, and to give the said Town of Umatilla jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 454):

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 municipi-

ality 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, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 461):

An Act to amend Chapter 8387 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, of An Act entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Waldo, in Alachua County, Florida, to legalize the Ordinances of said town and all official Acts thereunder; to create and establish the municipality of the City of Waldo in Alachua County, Florida; to prescribe its boundaries and to provide its jurisdiction and powers and officers thereof" and providing for the exercise of those powers, and to enable the City of Waldo to provide for the paving of any street or parts of streets in said City, and for the general improvements in said city, and to subject in every such case the lots or parcels of land fronting or abutting on any street or part of street where such improvements may be made, to a lien in favor of said City, for all or a specified part of the cost of the work and material to authorize the enforcement and collection by said City of all such liens and to authorize said City of Waldo, Florida, to issue its certificates of indebtedness.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 501):

An Act to create certain territory in Putnam County, Florida, into a Special Road and Bridge District; to legalize and validate an election and the result as shown by the canvass of the returns thereof, held in said territory, constituting the said territory into a Special Road and Bridge District and to authorize, legalize and validate the building and construction of certain roads and bridges named therein, and for the issuance of bonds to pay therefore, and the appointment of a Board of Bond Trustees, and to invest said Trustees with certain powers and duties, and to carry into effect the object and purposes of said election; and to provide for the collection, use and control of funds within said territory for interest and sinking fund for said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 502):

An Act regulating and fixing the compensation of the County Solicitor of Monroe County, Florida.

Very respectfully,

CARY A. HARDEE,

Governor.

STATE OF FLORIDA  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Tallahassee, May 30, 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 Secretary of State:

(Senate Bill No. 7):

An Act prescribing the number, names, and requirements for certificates of teachers and for the issuance of the certificates; to provide for a system of teachers' examinations; to prescribe the duties of county superintendents relative to the conducting of examinations; to provide for a teachers' reading circle course; to give the force of law to the rules and regulations prescribed by the State Board of Education for the execution of the provisions of this Act; and to repeal all laws in conflict with this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 9):

An Act imposing license taxes upon gasoline or other like products of petroleum; providing for the reports of sale 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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 227):

An Act to prohibit the maintenance of a bucket shop, office, store, or other place wherein is conducted or permitted the pretended buying or selling of the shares of stock or bonds of any corporation, cotton, grain, provisions, or other commodities or personal property either on margin or otherwise, without any intention of receiving or paying for the property so bought or of delivering of the property so sold, and defining a bucket shop; to declare the maintenance of such offices or agencies a misdemeanor; to prescribe penalties for the violation of certain provisions of this Act; to define what shall constitute prima facie evidence of guilt in prosecutions under this Act; to define what shall be a lawful and enforceable contract for the purchase and sale of stocks, bonds, cotton, grain, provisions, or other commodities, or personal property for immediate or future delivery, and to define the rights of such brokers or agents or merchants as may be employed in connection with such contracts or transactions; and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 374):

An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions to pay for material furnished and work done on the State Capitol building not contemplated when the work of repairing and remodeling the building was begun; to authorize the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions to pay for furniture purchased for the Senate Chamber and House of Representatives, and to purchase furniture for committee rooms; to provide for additional work on the Capitol building, and for constructing walks, drives and beautifying the Capitol grounds, and making an appropriation for the same.

Very respectfully,

CARY A. HARDEE,

Governor.

On motion of Mr. Malone, the Secretary was directed not to have Calendars printed for tomorrow (Friday).

Mr. Scales moved that the Senate do now take a recess to 8 o'clock p. m.

Which was agreed to.  
Thereupon the Senate at 6:20 o'clock P. M. took a recess to 8 o'clock P. M. this day.

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EVENING SESSION.

THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1923.

The Senate met at 8 o'clock P. M.

The President in the Chair.

The following Senators answered to roll call:

Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Eaton, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—32.

A quorum present.

Mr. Russell moved that House Bill No. 376 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 376:

A bill to be entitled An Act in relation to insurance, indemnity and bonding in the State of Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 376 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 376 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. 376 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Johnson, Knabb,

Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Scales moved that House Bill No. 274 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 274:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect the title of motor vehicles within the State; to provide for the issuance of certificates of title and evidence of registration thereof; to regulate the purchase, sale, and transfer of ownership thereof; and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof.

Was taken up.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 274 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 274 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 274 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. 274 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—30.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Campbell moved that House Bill No. 406 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the subjecting of estates by entireties in equity, for the value of labor performed and materials furnished in the construction, alteration or repair of buildings thereon, providing for the effect of the filing of such notice and the form thereof, and limiting the time within which such notice of lis pendens may be filed and suit in equity instituted.

Was taken up.

Mr. Campbell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 406 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 406 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Campbell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 406 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. 406 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Butler, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—23.

Nays—Senators Knight, Mitchell—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Hodges moved that House Bill No. 264 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 264:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4503, of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relative to limit of indebtedness of corporations not for profit.

Was taken up.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 264 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 264 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 264 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. 264 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Butler, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Knight moved that House Bill No. 227, be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 227:

A bill to be entitled An Act relative to the possession of intoxicating liquors.

Was taken up.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 227 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 227 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Epperson, Knabb, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Putnam, Russell, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wicker—19.

Nays—Senators Cone, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Scales—5.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Calkins moved that House Bill No. 265 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 265:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3114, of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida relating to Service by Publication on non-residents in suits for Specific Performances.

Was taken up.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 265 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 265 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 265 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. 265 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, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Johnson, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singleary, Stokes, Wells, Wicker—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

At 9:05 o'clock—

Mr. Rowe rose to a question of personal privilege, stating that the privilege was one of custom, giving to the Senate in the near closing hours of the session, a few moments devoted to social intercourse. He then proceeded to present to the President, on behalf of the Senators, an elegant silver service as a token of their appreciation of that officer's faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of the office and the warm place he holds in the hearts of each one.

To which the President feelingly replied.

Bill Secretary C. Y. Byrd followed with the presentation, on behalf of the attaches, of a silver platter as an

expression of their appreciation of the President's uniform consideration and courtesy.

This was followed by the presentation of a beautiful gold watch to President pro tem. Hon. B. H. Lindsey by Senator Wells on behalf of the Senators, as a token of their regard for him and appreciation of his efficient service as vice-presiding officer.

To which Senator Lindsey feelingly replied.

Colonel Byrd, on behalf of the attaches, presented a beautiful gold pen to Captain C. A. Finley, Secretary of the Senate, as a token of their esteem and for his kindness toward them and of their affection for him.

To which the Secretary feelingly replied, stressing their loyalty to the body they served, and their able assistance to the Secretary.

Mr. Phillips moved that the hour of adjournment be fixed at 12:30 a. m. June 1, 1923.

Which was not agreed to.

By consent—

The following reports were submitted:

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 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(House Bill No. 889):

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Groveland, Florida, to legalize the Ordinances of said Town and all official Acts thereof; to create and establish the municipality of the Town of Groveland, in Lake County, Florida, and to provide its jurisdiction and powers and officers thereof.

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 bill contained in the above report has been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 990):

An Act to permit the qualified voters of Polk County, Florida to decide whether Live Stock shall be allowed to run or roam at large within the territorial limits of said County, and to require the fencing of County boundaries, and providing for the enforcement and carrying out of this Act, and for the impounding and sale of Live Stock found running or roaming at large in said County.

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, 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 bill contained in the above report has been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part on the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber.  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 546):

An Act giving and granting to S. A. Alford, as Receiver of the B. C. and St. A. Railroad Company, a corporation, his successors and assigns, the consent and authority of the State of Florida, to erect, construct, build, control and operate a bridge for railroad purposes over and across the North Arm of St. Andrews Bay, the same being navigable water in the County of Bay, State of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 557):

An Act to amend Section 3 and to repeal Section 19 of Chapter 7657 of the Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act relating to police pension and relief fund of the City of Jacksonville," approved May 25th, 1917, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 600):

An Act relating to and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to issue interest bearing time warrants for the purpose of securing funds with which to construct and repair certain public

roads and bridges in County Commissioner's District No. 1 in said county and providing for the payment thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 594):

An Act to establish a Criminal Court of Record in Polk County, State of Florida.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 172):

An Act to prohibit the running or roaming at large of live stock in a certain portion of Lake County; to provide penalties for 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.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 521):

An Act to Create Territory in Putnam County, Florida, into a Special Road and Bridge District; and to authorize the maintenance and construction of County Roads therein and for the Creation, Construction and Maintenance of County Bridges, therein, and for the appointment of a Board of Bond Trustees for such District; and to Invest said Trustees with certain powers and duties and to provide for the disposition, use, control and expenditure of a General Fund, and other funds collected in said District and for Road and Bridge purposes; and to Grant said Trustees the Power and Authority to administer and carry out the provisions of an Act, and an election to be held thereunder in Putnam County, Florida, for the erection of a Bridge across the St. John's River in Said County from the proceeds to be derived from the sale of Bonds, if any shall be voted for such purpose.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 171):

An Act to amend sections 211, 212, 2124, 2125, 2133, 2134, 2142, 2147, 2151, 2153 and 2355 of the Revised General Statutes, pertaining to the Hotel Commissioner and Inspectors, their salaries, powers and duties; the construction, regulation and protection of hotels, apartment houses, rooming house, restaurants and eating places, their guests and tenants; and the limitation of the expenditures of the Hotel Commission to an amount not to exceed its collections; and providing for the limitation of liability of Hotel keepers for property of guests.

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 have been duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on En-

rolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 537):

An Act prohibiting the operation upon or over the public roads of Alachua County, Florida, of vehicles, trucks, tractors, implements, log-carts, log-wagons, and trailers, traction engines, trailers and other implements without rubber or smooth surfaced 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 County Commissioners of said county; and providing for the operation on such roads of such vehicles used for transportation of logs, timber or turpentine products in accordance with the rules and regulations to be fixed by said Board of County Commissioners for the repair or damage by said vehicles, and providing penalties for violation of such provisions; and providing for recovery of damage 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 evidence for civil actions and criminal prosecutions 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 County Commissioners in said county the power and authority to make, prescribe and

promulgate rules and regulations for the protection of and covering traffic on said roads, and to prescribe the weights of such vehicles and implements and the width and character of the tires or supporting surfaces thereof which will be allowed the use of such roads, and generally regulating and governing the traffic on and use of such roads, and providing penalties for violation of such rules and regulations, and providing for the adoption and promulgation thereof and rules and evidence to prove such rules and regulations; and providing that such rules and regulations shall have the force and effect of law; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and providing the method by which this Act may be repealed or modified; providing for the validation of all sections and parts hereof not held invalid; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

Have examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

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

Very respectfully,

R. H. ROWE,

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

The bill contained in the above report has been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 593) :

An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Chipley, a municipal corporation in this State, to require and compel the owners of dwelling and business houses within reach of sewerage in said City to connect with such sewerage and providing penalties for violation thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 595) :

An Act to legalize and validate certain elections held in and for Special School Districts of Calhoun County, Florida to-wit: Districts number two, four, eight, nine, eleven, twelve, fourteen, eighteen, twenty, twenty-one twenty-two held on April 28th, 1923, and Districts Number one, five, seven, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, and nineteen held on May 12th, 1923.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 592) :

An Act to repeal Chapter 8276, Special Acts of 1919, entitled An Act to incorporate the Town of Indian Beach of the County of Sarasota, State of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 599) :

An Act amending the City Charter of the City of Jacksonville relating to Wards and Councilmen.

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 have been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on En-

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 1923.

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

Sir :

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

(Senate Bill No. 436) :

An Act requiring the State Pension Board to investigate all claims for pensions heretofore or hereinafter granted under special Acts of the Legislature, and to drop from such pension roll any special pensioner whom it is found deserted the Confederate Army or Navy or who did not render any service to the Confederate States as soldier or sailor.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 602) :

An Act to validate, approve and confirm all of the acts and proceedings taken by, for and on behalf of the Halifax Drainage District of Volusia County, Florida, since the creation of the said District, and to validate, approve and confirm all of the acts and proceedings had in and by the Circuit Court on and for Volusia County, Florida, the Board of Supervisors, the Board of Commissioners and all officers and agents of said Halifax Drainage District acting for and on behalf of the said District in carrying out the affairs of the said District; to validate, approve and confirm the appointment of all Supervisors of said District by the Board of Drainage Commissioners of the State of Florida; and to validate, approve and confirm all acts and proceedings had taken in the matter of the issue and sale of the bonds issued by said District; to approve, validate and confirm all tax assessments and levies made by said District; to validate, approve and confirm all advertisements of notices had by the said Drainage District for any and all purposes whatsoever.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 597):

An Act to provide for a special election in Election District Number 32, of Duval County, Florida, to decide whether or not hogs or cattle shall be allowed to run at large in said District; forbidding owners to allow hogs or cattle to run at large contrary to the result of such election, and providing penalties therefor.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(Senate Bill No. 601):

An Act to create, establish and constitute certain territory in Volusia County, Florida, into a Special Road and Bridge District, to be known and designated as Orange City-Enterprise Special Road and Bridge District; prescribing the material of which said Roads and Bridges shall

be built and constructed and the manner in which said roads and bridges shall be built, constructed and paid for; providing for the issuance and sale of One Hundred Thirty Thousand (\$130,000.00) Dollars of bonds of said Orange City-Enterprise Special Road and Bridge District with which to pay for the construction of said roads and bridges, providing that an election shall be held in said district to determine whether said bonds shall be issued; prescribing the date said election shall be held, and certain other details in relation to said election, and in relation to publishing notice of said election, and in relation to canvassing the returns of said election and certifying to the result thereof; providing for the issuance of additional bonds of said district; prescribing certain rights, duties and powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, in relation of the construction of the roads and bridges in said district and in relation to the issuance and sale of bonds of said district, and in relation to assessing, levying and equalizing the special taxes of said district; prescribing certain rights, duties and powers of the bond trustees of said district; providing for the levy, assessment and collection of a tax with which to pay the interest on the bonds of said district, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of said bonds at the maturity of the same; providing for the levy, assessment and collection of a tax not exceeding fifteen mills on the dollar for the repair and maintenance of the roads and bridges in said district; providing that said district shall be entitled to receive for the repair and maintenance of the roads and bridges in said district, its due proportion of the general County road tax, and providing that the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, may receive State or Federal aid in the construction of said roads.

Have examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

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

Very respectfully,

R. H. ROWE,

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

The bill contained in the above report has been 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. Rowe, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 1923.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 585):

An Act relating to and authorizing Volusia County, Florida, to purchase the two bridges across the St. Johns River at Harden's Ferry and Crows Bluff in Volusia County, Florida; relating to and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of said county to issue time warrants or bonds for such purposes and also to repair or rebuild said bridges, either or both; and relating to and authorizing the County Commissioners of said County to fix and collect tolls and charges thereon.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 587):

An Act to abolish the present Charter and Municipal Government of the Town of Graceville, in Jackson County, and to create in lieu thereof a new charter and municipal government, to be known as the City of Graceville, and provide for its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities; to validate all taxes, assessments and licenses heretofore made or imposed by the Town of Graceville, and preserve intact all debts and obligations of said Town.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 523):

An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Ormond, in the County of Volusia, and the

State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a Municipality to be known and designated as the town of Ormond, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 565):

An Act to create and establish a municipality to be known and designated as Town of Everglades and to define its territorial boundaries and provide for the organization and government thereof, and for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes therein; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances.

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 have been 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.

The hour having arrived for the special consideration of—

House Bill No. 1063:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating an additional Judicial Circuit in the State of Florida, to be designated as the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit, and to create the Circuit Court thereof, and to provide for a Judge and State Attorney for the said Court, and defining and fixing the territorial limits and the boundaries of the said Sixteenth Judicial Circuit, and the territorial limits and boundaries of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit, and of the Fifth Judicial Circuit, and providing the time for holding the terms of Court in the said Judicial Circuits, and prescribing the effect on pending cases in the said Courts, and making ap-

appropriation for payment of salaries of Judge and State's Attorney.

It was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1063 be read a second time in full for information.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1063 was read a second time in full for information.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1063 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. 1063 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 Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Igou, Knabb, Lindsey, Mapoles, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Shelley, Stokes, Taylor, Wells—16.

Nays—Senators Anderson, Colson, Cone, Etheredge, Johnson, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Rowe, Scales, Wicker—12.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

#### PAIRED ON ABOVE.

Mr. Singletary was paired with Mr. Eaton. If Mr. Eaton were present and voting Mr. Singletary would vote nay and Mr. Eaton would vote yea.

Mr. Scales moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 9 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Mapoles moved that Committee House Bill No. 1225 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Committee House Bill No. 1225:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and defining an airless cushion tire with holes running through from side to side near rim surface with blocks of rubber between holes and classifying same.

Was taken up.

Mr. Mapoles moved that the rules be waived and Committee House Bill No. 1225 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1225 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Mapoles moved that the rules be further waived and that Committee House Bill No. 1225 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee House Bill No. 1225 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, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Colson, Cone, Etheredge, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor—24.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By permission—

Mr. MacWilliams introduced—

Senate Bill No. 646:

A bill to be entitled An Act making an appropriation to Eugene Hawkins for extra services as janitor of the Senate.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 646 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 646 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. MacWilliams moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 646 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. 646 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Campbell, Cone, Etheredge, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Stokes, Taylor, Wicker—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Johnson moved that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 335 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 335:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Section 4356 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the appropriation of State lands for right-of-way and terminal purposes.

Was taken up.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 335 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 335 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 335 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 335 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, Campbell, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Singletary, Taylor, Wicker—19.

Nays—Senators Butler, Putnam, Scales—3.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Scales, moved at 11 o'clock P. M. that the Senate do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Butler moved that House Bill No. 478 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 478:

A bill to be entitled An Act to direct all official boards of the State of Florida, or any county or municipality in this State, when charged with the duty of constructing public buildings, to give preference to materialmen, contractors; builders and architects, who reside within the State of Florida.

Was taken up.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 478 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 478 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 478 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. 478 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, Butler, Campbell, Epperson, Etheredge, Igou, Johnson, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Singletary—17.

Nays—Senators, Calkins, Colson, Cone, Hodges, Mitchell, Taylor, Wicker—7.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Overstreet moved that House Bill No. 403 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 403:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2854 of

the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the notice of lis pendens on property of married women, and providing for the time within which said notice shall be filed and suit instituted.

Was taken up.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 403 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 403 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 403 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. 403 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, Butler, Calkins, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Taylor, Wicker—19.

Nays—Senator Knight—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Wicker moved that House Bill No. 271, be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 271:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Road Department, imposing certain duties upon said Department and conferring certain powers upon the same.

Was taken up.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 271 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 271 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 271 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. 271 was read a third time in full.  
Mr. Wicker, offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 271:

Strike out Section 4 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 4. Suits at law and in equity may be maintained by and against the State Road Department on any claim arising under contract for work done. Provided, no suit sounding in tort shall be maintained against the Department.

Mr. Wicker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Taylor, Wicker—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill as amended, passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Etheredge moved that House Bill No. 978 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 978:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5410 of the General Revised Statutes of the Senate of Florida, pertaining to the incorporation of non-profit corporations.

Was taken up.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 978 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 978 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 978 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. 978 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, Butler, Calkins, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Singletary, Taylor, Wicker—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 579 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 579:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for two additional bank examiners, to prescribe their duties and compensation, and to make appropriation therefor.

Was taken up.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 579 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 579 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Knight offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 579:

Strike word "two" in title of bill and insert the word "one."

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Anderson moved that the vote by which the amendment of Mr. Knight was adopted be reconsidered.

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Knight offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 579:

In Section 1, line 2, strike out the word two and insert in lieu thereof the following: one.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Epperson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 579, 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. 579, as amended, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Hodges, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Singletary, Wicker—17.

Nays—Senators MacWilliams, Mapoles—2.

So the bill, as amended, passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Turnbull moved that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 745 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 745:

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.

Was taken up.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 745 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 745 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be further waived and that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 745 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 745 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, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Singletary, Wicker—17.

Nays—Senators Butler, Hodges, Taylor—3.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Turnbull moved that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 746 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Committee Substitute for—  
House Bill No. 746:

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

Was taken up.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 746 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 746 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be further waived and that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 746 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 746 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, Colson, Cone, Etheredge, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Singletary, Wicker—15.

Nays—Senators Butler, Taylor—2.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Knight moved that House Bill No. 886 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 886:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing certain regulations of the use of and traffic on State roads; prohibiting

the use of certain vehicles on such roads; fixing the maximum weight of load that may be carried on such roads; defining the term "State Road" and fixing penalties for the violation of any of the terms hereof.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 886 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 886 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Butler, Colson, Etheredge, Igou, Knight, MacWilliams, Malone, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Wicker—12.

Nays—Senators Anderson, Hodges, Lindsey, Mapoles, Singletary—5.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By consent—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, May 31, 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. 604:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and establish the Turnbull Hammock Drainage District in this State and define its boundaries, to create and name a Board of Super-

visors for said district, and to define its powers, authorizing the construction of canals, drains, dikes, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation and benefit of the lands embraced in said district and to levy assessment of taxes upon the lands embraced in such district and to provide for the collection of the same etc.

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

Very respectfully,  
W. J. SINGLETARY,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 604, contained in the above report was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 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 indefinitely postponed—

Senate Bill No. 292:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Two of Chapter 8545 of the Acts of 1921 relating to the compensation of Superintendents of Public Instruction in counties having a population of more than thirty-seven thousand and not more than forty thousand people, according to the State census of 1915.

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, Florida, May 31, 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 by the constitutional three-fifths vote of all the members elected to the House of Representatives for the session 1923.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 333:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Article 12, Section 17, of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to the issuance of bonds by Special Tax School Districts and the levy of a tax to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest thereon.

*Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida:*

That the following amendment of Section 17 of Article 12 of the Constitution of the State of Florida, as ratified at the General Election of Representatives held in the year 1912 be and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State at the next General Election of Representatives to be held in the year 1924, for ratification or rejection. That said Section 17 shall be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 17. The Legislature may provide for Special Tax School Districts to issue bonds for the exclusive use of public free schools within any such Special Tax School District, whenever a majority of the qualified electors thereof who are freeholders shall vote in favor of the issuance of such bonds, but no bonds shall be issued hereunder which shall exceed, together with the existing indebtedness of such Special Tax School District 20 per cent of the assessed value of the taxable property of such District according to the last assessment for State and county pur-

poses prior to the issuing of such bonds. Any bonds issued hereunder shall become payable within thirty years from the date of issuance in annual installments which shall commence not more than three years after the date of issue. Each annual installment shall be not less than three per cent of the total amount of the issue. Whenever any such Special Tax School District has voted in favor of the issuance of such bonds a special tax for the payment of the interest on said bonds and the principal thereof as the same shall become due and payable, shall be levied on the taxable property within the district voting for their issuance in accordance with law, providing for the levy of taxes and such tax shall not be applied to any purpose other than the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

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

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 31, 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. 382:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the registration of dealers in Motor Vehicles and the issuing to such dealers Motor Vehicle Demonstration Tags; also to provide for the transfer of registration of a motor vehicle from a dealer in motor vehicles to the purchaser.

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

And Senate Bill No. 382, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Mr. Igou moved that House Bill No. 405 be taken up out of its order and now considered.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 405:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3525 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to statutory liens and the provisions applicable to remedies against either real or personal property, providing for attorney's fees to be allowed plaintiff.

Was taken up.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 405 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 405 was read a second time by its title only.

Mr. Igou moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 405 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. 405 was read a third time in full.

Pending the call of the roll upon the passage of the bill—  
Mr. Hodges raised the point of no quorum being present.

Upon the call of the roll, the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Butler, Colson, Cone, Epperson, Etheredge, Igou, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Singletary, Wicker—17.

A quorum present.

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

Thereupon the Senate stood adjourned to 10 o'clock A. M. June 1, 1923.

#### CONFIRMATIONS AND REJECTIONS.

The following appointments by the Governor were confirmed and rejected:

Additional Judge for the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, authorized by Acts of 1923, Mitchell D. Price.

Circuit Judge for the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit, authorized by Acts of 1923, W. T. Harrison.

State Attorney for the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit, authorized by Acts of 1923, G. B. Knowles.

J. E. Trice, Arcadia, and Mrs. B. S. Hancock to be members of Board of Managers, Florida Farm Colony for the Epileptic and Feeble-minded.

John R. Hardee, to be Harbor Master, Port of Fernandina.

The Senate refused to consent to the appointment of Geo. E. Munson, to be Harbor Master for the Port of Miami.

Friday, June 1, 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, Knabb, Knight, Lindsey, MacWilliams, Malone, Mapoles, Mitchell, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Shelley, Singletary, Stokes, Taylor, Wells, Wicker—32.

A quorum present.

#### 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, Fla., June 1, 1923.

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

*Sir:*

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

(Joint Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 105):

An Act making appropriations for salaries and other current expenses of the State for two years from June 30, 1923.

Have examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

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

Very respectfully,

**R. H. ROWE,**  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled  
Bills on the Part of the Senate.