

Tuesday, June 2, 1925

The Senate convened at 10 A. M. pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Messrs, Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of June 1st was postponed for correction until tomorrow's session.

The following corrections of the Journal were made:

Friday, May 22, 1925, page 45; In the title of Senate Bill No. 545, second line; change word "committee" to read "commissioners."

And on page 46, in title of Senate Bill No. 546, last line of title, insert after word "abstracts" and before word "maps" the words "copies, minutes, extracts."

Thursday, May 28th, 1925, pages 4 and 5, in report of Committee on Enrolled Bills: In the title of Senate Bill No. 545, line 4, on page 5, make the word "plast" read "plats."

In the title of Senate Bill No. 546, page 5, strike out the word "time" between the word "sell" and the word "warrants" in second line of title.

In the report of the Committee on Enrolled Bills of the Senate reporting the enrollment of Senate Bill No. 470, as said report appears in the Senate Journal, under date of May 29, 1925, on page 52, between the word "extend" and the word "open," strike out the word "an" and insert in lieu thereof the word "and."

In the title to Senate Bill No. 470, as the same appears in the Senate Journal, under the date of May 18, 1925, on page 45 of the Senate Journal of that date, between the word "improve" and the word "street," strike out the name "Board" and insert in lieu thereof the name "Broad."

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. McDaniels—

Senate Bill No. 694:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the killing of any deer in Calhoun County, Florida, within a period of five years from the passage of this act, and to provide penalties for the violation of this act.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 694 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 694, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 694 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 694, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Singletary—

Senate Bill No. 695:

A bill to be entitled An Act making an appropriation

for the upkeep of the monument and grounds at Marianna, erected to commemorate the Battle of Marianna.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 695 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 695, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 695 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. 695, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—28.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Smith—

Senate Bill No. 696:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to James Conway, of Clay County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Smith moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 696 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 696, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Smith moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 696 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 696, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Clark,

Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist), Turner, Walker, Watson—26.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. McDaniels—

Senate Bill No. 697:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the killing of any deer in Gulf County, Florida, within a period of five years from the passage of this Act, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 697 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 697, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 697 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. 697, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. McDaniels—

Senate Bill No. 698:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the taking of fish, commonly known as "fresh water fish" from any of the lakes, rivers, lagoons, bayous, or streams of Gulf

County, Florida; to provide a license tax for fishing in said county, to provide a closed fishing season in said county, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 698 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 698, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 698 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 698, with title above stated was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.) Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Anderson—

Senate Bill No. 699:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to employ a plant pathologist to study and experiment in eradicating insect pests, diseases and other agencies affecting the production of tobacco and to pay him out of the General Fund of said County.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 699 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 699, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be further waived

and that Senate Bill No. 699 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 699, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Etheredge—
Senate Bill No. 700:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that all contracts for the expenditure of funds arising from the sale of county or district bonds in Highlands County, Florida, shall be submitted to and approved by a board of bond trustees before becoming effective; providing that no material furnished or work done which is to be paid for from any bond funds in Highlands County, Florida, shall be accepted, approved or paid for until such material or workmanship shall have been inspected and approved by the bond trustees; providing for the employment by the bond trustees of an engineer to take charge of and oversee all construction of work done under terms of any contract approved by board of bond trustees or to employ an advisory or consulting engineer to inspect materials and workmanship and approve work done and performed which is to be paid for from any bond funds in Highlands County, Florida; providing for the appointment of a board of bond trustees and designating the qualification of the members of a board of bond trustees.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 700 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 700, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 700 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 700, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Edge—

Senate Bill No. 701:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create, establish and constitute certain territory in Lake County, Florida, as a special road and bridge district to be known and designated as "Special Road and Bridge District No. 11, of Lake County, Florida"; providing for building, constructing, reconstructing and improving a certain road in said district, and prescribing the materials of which same shall be built, constructed, reconstructed and improved; providing for the issuance of bonds of said district, the proceeds of the sale of which shall be used for said purpose; providing for the levy and collection of taxes on all taxable property within said district, for the purpose of creating a sinking fund to pay the principal and interest of said bonds; providing for the holding of an election in said district to determine whether or not said bonds shall be issued, sold and delivered, and prescribing the duties and powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, in relation to said district.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 701 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 701, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 701 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 701, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Etheredge—
Senate Bill No. 702:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Town Commissioners of the Town of DeSoto City, Highlands County, Florida, by ordinance to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing bonds, bearing six per cent (6%) interest per annum, payable semi-annually, in such form, date or maturity and time and place or places of payment as the said Board of Town Commissioners may adopt, in the sum of \$50,000.00, the proceeds of which to be used for general municipal improvements; and have levy, assessment and collection of taxes to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds; and to provide for the sale and retirement of same; to name the depository for moneys derived from sale of said bonds and from taxes for a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 702 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 702, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that

Senate Bill No. 702 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 702, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By consent—

The Senate took up for consideration—

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 656:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Key West to sell the City Park, in Tract 10, according to Whitehead's map, Island of Key West, and directing the disposition of the funds realized from said sale.

Which amendment is as follows:

Strike out all of Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof:

"Section 2. The City Council is hereby required and directed to deposit the said proceeds of said sale in a "Park Fund" for the purpose of acquiring another suitable park site."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 656 together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

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

Which was agreed to.

And the action of the Senate thereon 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, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 642:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create, establish and organize a municipality in the County of Pasco and State of Florida, to be known and designated as the City of Elfers; to define its territorial boundaries, jurisdiction, powers and privileges; and designating the persons who shall serve as officers of said city until the election and qualification of its officers at the general election.

Which amendments are as follows:

In Section 45, strike out the entire section, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“Sec. 45. This Act shall take effect upon its becoming a law.”

Also—

In Section 1, line 4, strike all of Section 1, after the word “follows” in the 4th line, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Beginning at the center of Section 23, Township 26 South, Range 15 East; thence north along the north and south quarter section lines of sections 23, 14 and 11, said township and range, to the north line of said Section 11; thence east along the north section lines of Section 11 and 12, said township and range, to the northwest corner of said Section 12; thence south along the east line of said Section 12 to a point nine hundred ninety feet (990) feet south of the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of Section 7, Township 26 South, Range 16 East; thence due east one (1) mile to the east line of said Section 7; thence south along the east section lines of Sections 7 and 18, Township 26 South, Range 16 East, to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of Section 18, said township and range; thence east along the east and west quarter section lines of Sections 17 and 16 of said Township 26 South, Range 16 East to the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said Section 16; thence south to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 21, Township 26 South, Range 16 East; thence west to the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, of Section 20, said township and range; thence south to the east and west quarter section line of said Section 20; thence west along the east and west quarter section lines of Sections 20 and 19, Township 26 South, Range 16 East, and along the east and west quarter section lines of Sections 24 and 23, Township 26 South, Range 15 East, to the point of beginning.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 642, together with the amendments of the House of Representatives thereto, as contained in

the foregoing message, was placed before the Senate for consideration.

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

Which was agreed to.

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

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 642, 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, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 686:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter —, Acts of the Legislature of 1925, being An Act to legalize and validate the proceedings of the Town of Hastings, Florida, for the issuance and sale of twenty-five thousand dollars improvement bonds of the Town of Hastings, Florida, issue of 1925, and authorizing the issuance of said bonds, and the levy of taxes thereon.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 669:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Levy County, Florida, to issue bonds in the sum of one million, five hundred thousand dollars for the purpose of constructing and repairing highways.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 647:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 38 of the

Revised General Statutes of Florida, relative to the boundaries of Levy County.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 686, 669 and 647, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 721:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require any person, firm, or corporation engaged in the business of mining any mineral or subterranean product, to provide necessary places of deposit for the waste and debris of mine or mines operated by such person, firm or corporation, and to make it unlawful for any such person, firm or corporation to permit or allow the escape of waste and debris from any mine or mines operated by such person, firm or corporation into the streams and rivers, of this State, and to provide the penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act.

Which amendment is as follows:

Strike out Section Four of said bill.

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

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

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate refused to recede from its amendment to the bill.

On motion of Mr. Swearingen the House was requested to appoint a committee on conference to act with a similar committee from the Senate, to adjust, if possible, the difference existing between the Senate and the House of Representatives.

And the action of the Senate thereon 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., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 680:

A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing the board of bond trustees in Pinellas County, Florida, and providing for a department to be known as a "Department of Special Road and Bridge Districts," providing a clerk and providing for disposition of funds from special road and bridge districts in Pinellas County.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 682:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City of Marianna, a municipal corporation, to ac

quire by gift, purchase or otherwise lands and property, either within or without the limits of the City of Marianna to be improved, developed and used for a municipal golf course, and other purposes incident thereto; and to empower the City of Marianna to issue bonds of the City of Marianna for the acquisition, improvement and maintenance of such golf course, and of a club house or houses as an incident thereto.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 684:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all of the acts and proceedings taken, done, or had by the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, Florida, relating to the creation and organization of Special Road and Bridge District No. 11, Pinellas County, Florida, and the issuance and sale of one million dollars of bonds of said district.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 685:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create certain territory in Walton 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, and to provide for powers in said board of trustees to carry out the provisions of this act.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 680, 682, 684 and 685, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 677 :

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, on petition of a majority of the qualified electors who are freeholders residing in said County, to procure a loan of not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate of not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of acquiring land within said county and erecting thereon and furnishing a high school building to belong to the said Board, wherein to maintain a county high school for said Nassau County; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds; to make provisions for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds and the interest to become due thereon and to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 678 :

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, on petition of a majority of the qualified electors who are freeholders in Sepecial Tax School District Number One of Nassau County, Florida, to issue interestbearing time warrants against said Special Tax School District Number One. for the purpose of acquiring land for school buildings, repairing and equipping school buildings and improving school grounds; and for other purposes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 679 :

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Town of Micanopy, Florida, to issue bonds in the aggregate sum

of one hundred and fifteen thousand dollars, to be known as improvement bonds, the proceeds of thirty thousand dollars of which bonds shall be used for the purpose of constructing a water works system in said town, the proceeds of thirty-five thousand dollars of which bonds shall be used for the purpose of refunding outstanding indebtedness due and owing upon its electric light plant and for the enlargement of its electric light plant and the furnishing of additional electric current, and the proceeds of fifty thousand dollars of which bonds shall be used for the payment of one-third of the cost of the construction of street paving upon certain of the streets of said town, and providing for the construction of this Act.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 677, 678 and 679, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 673:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, to issue additional interest-bearing time warrants to the additional amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) against Special Tax School District Number Two of Nassau County, Florida, for the purpose of liquidating its indebtedness.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 674:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of

Public Instruction of Nassau County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said board in order to procure said loan to issue and sell not exceeding thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00); in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provisions for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 675:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 9525 of the Special Acts of 1923, being "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.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 673, 674 and 675, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 667:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend and enlarge the powers and authority of the City of Gainesville; to amend Section 2 of Chapter 5806, Laws of the State of Florida of A. D. 1907, entitled, An Act amending Sections 1, 2, 4, 8, 10 of an Act entitled An Act extending and enlarging the territorial limits and the powers of the City of Gainesville; a municipal corporation organized and existing in Alachua County, Florida, and providing for the exercise of those powers, the same being Chapter 5497, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1905; to amend Section 1 of Chapter 7651, Laws of the State of Florida of A. D. 1917, entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 6692 of the Laws of the State of Florida, entitled, An Act affecting the government of the City of Gainesville, and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said city, and creating certain offices; to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 6692, Laws of the State of Florida of A. D. 1913, entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Gainesville and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said city, and creating certain offices; to repeal Chapter 6693, Laws of the State of Florida of A. D. 1913, entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Gainesville and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said city, and creating certain offices; to authorize the said city to erect, construct, maintain and operate a Hospital therein; to prescribe the terms of office of the Aldermen of said city, and to provide for the manner of their election; to provide that the offices of tax assessor, tax collector, city clerk and city treasurer may be held by one and the same person, and to authorize such combined offices to be designated as may be desired and to determine who shall be authorized to drive motor vehicles within the territorial limits thereof and to issue licenses therefor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 668:

A bill to be entitled An Act to permit the use of pound nets in the salt waters bordering Taylor County, Florida.
Was taken up.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 671:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and establish a municipality to be known and designated as Town of Oak

Bill 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 an imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 667, 668 and 671, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Committee Substitute for—
House Bill No. 821:

A bill to be entitled An Act to license and regulate the business of making loans in certain counties in sums of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than ten per centum, per annum prescribing the rate of interest and charge therefor, and penalties for the violation thereof, and regulating the assignment of wages or salaries, earned or to be earned when given as security for any such loan.

Also—

House Bill No. 1292:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating, confirming, approving and ratifying that certain franchise granted by the board of county commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, on the 12th day of February, A. D. 1924, for the

construction and operation of a toll bridge across Matanzas Inlet, in said county, and the contract made and executed by the said board at the time of granting and in connection with said franchise and all proceedings, resolutions, motions and other actions passed, had, enacted, adopted, made or executed by said board on February 12th, A. D. 1924, in relation to the granting of said franchise.

Also—

House Bill No. 1293:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the compensation of the Judge of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County, to be paid by the County of Escambia.

Also—

House Bill No. 1294:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Dixie County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing time warrants to the amount of thirty thousand dollars, for the purpose of constructing, hard-surfacing, and maintaining district roads within the territorial limits of Special Tax Road District No. 1 in Dixie County, Florida, and providing for the payment of said interest-bearing time warrants and the interest thereon.

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. 821, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 821 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 821, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived and that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 821 be read the 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. 821, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hineley, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson—23.

Nays—Messrs. Gillis, Hodges, Wicker—3.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Wicker made the following explanation of his vote on House Bill No. 821:

I oppose House Bill No. 821 for the following reasons:

The Bill purported to be in the interest of small borrowers. The object of same was to prohibit the loan shark from doing business in the State of Florida. I am of the opinion that it is purely a bankers' bill in order that greater rate of interest may be charged for small loans. I am more fully confirmed in this view from the fact that it applies only to cities of 40,000 or more.

N. J. WICKER.

And House Bill No. 1292, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist.), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1292 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1292, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist.), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1292 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1292, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith,

Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1293, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title and on motion of Mr. Coe, was indefinitely postponed.

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

And House Bill No. 1294, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1294 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1294, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1294 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1294, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hinely, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 3, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1400:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 9712, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, and the laws amendatory thereto, enacted by the Legislature of Florida Session of 1925, and approved May 14, 1925, and to provide for the creation of a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Clewiston, in Hendry County, Florida; to fix and determine the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said city and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers; and to provide a referendum on the question of incorporating said city.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And House Bill No. 1400, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1400 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1400, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1400 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1400, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet,

Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Sw aringen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1409:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the appointment of Assistants to County Solicitor of Criminal Courts of Record in certain counties.

Also—

House Bill No. 1410:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Superintendents of Public Instruction, and the compensation of members of County School Boards in counties having a population between nineteen thousand and nineteen thousand and seven hundred persons according to the Federal census taken in 1920.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1409, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1409 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1409, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1409 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1409, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1410, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1410 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1410, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1410 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1410, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1411:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the construction, maintenance and operation of a toll bridge across Hillsborough Bay, at or near Gadsden Point in Hillsborough County, Florida, and to grant a right-of-way over and authorize the filling in of the submerged and other lands belonging to the State of Florida, in, upon, or adjacent to or under the waters of Hillsborough Bay, for the use of any toll bridge company undertaking the construction of such bridge and granting the right to construct buildings, wharves and docks on said lands.

Also—

House Bill No. 1412:

A bill to be entitled An Act to organize and establish a County Court for Martin County, Florida, to prescribe the terms thereof; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; to provide for the appointment of a Judge and Prosecuting Attorney.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1411, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved that the rules be

waived and that House Bill No. 1411 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1411, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1411 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1411, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1412, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1412 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1412, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1412 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1412, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.
And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1413:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of DeLand in Volusia County, Florida, and to prescribe its boundaries and powers.

Also—

House Bill No. 1414:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Hampton, in Bradford County, State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipal government to be known and designated as the city of Hampton; to legalize the ordinances of said Town and all official acts thereunder, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers, duties and privileges and for the exercise of the same and to provide for the officers thereof; their powers and duties, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1413, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1414, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Smith moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1414 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1414, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Smith moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1414 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1414, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1385:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, legalize and confirm an election held and bonds to be issued pursuant thereto in Special Tax School District No. 1, of Citrus County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1386:

A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Hernando County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding forty thousand dollars (\$40,000) in principal amount of interest bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provisions for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1385, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1385 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1385, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1385 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1385, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1386, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1386 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1386, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1386 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1386, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives.
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1387:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the granting of

franchises in the streets, public grounds and places of the City of St. Augustine, Florida; and expressly repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict and inconsistent with the provisions of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1388:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Brevard County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate of not exceeding $5\frac{1}{2}$ per cent per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1387, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist.), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1387 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1387, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist.) moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1387 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1387, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet,

Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1388, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1388 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1388, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1388 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1388, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1408:

A bill to be entitled An Act to confirm and validate an issue of \$15,000.00 bonds of Hardee County, Florida, issued for the purpose of providing funds with which to complete the jail in said county.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1408, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1408 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1408, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1408 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1408, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—
The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1380:

A bill to be entitled An Act describing the boundaries and territory of Special Tax School District No. 1, of Lee County, Florida, validating all and every of the acts and things done by the County Board of Public Instruction of Lee County, Florida, with reference to said territory as a Special Tax School District of Lee County, Florida, declaring the said territory to be Special Tax School District No. 1 of Lee County, Florida, validating a special election held within said territory on the 17th day of March, 1925, for the purpose of issuing bonds of said district to the amount of three hundred fifty thousand dollars to be used for acquiring, building, enlarging or otherwise improving buildings on school grounds in said district and authorizing an assessment, levy and collection of an annual tax against all the taxable property in said district for the purpose of paying the interest on and providing a sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds at maturity thereof.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1380, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1380 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1380, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1380 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1380, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1381:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, and the Board of Bond Trustees of Leesburg Special Road and Bridge District in Lake County, Florida, to divert and use certain surplus funds for the construction of roads other than those for which bonds of said Leesburg Special Road and Bridge District were originally issued.

Also—

House Bill No. 1382:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Town of Howey to levy and collect a Special Tax for Publicity Purposes, and providing for the expenditure thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1383:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, legalize and confirm an election held and bonds to be issued pursuant thereto in Special Tax School District No. 13, of Citrus County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1384:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the construction, maintenance and operation of toll roads and bridges used in connection therewith, in the County of Duval 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.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1381, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1381 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1381, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1381 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1381, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet,

Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1382, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1382 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1382, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1382 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1382, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1383, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1383 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1383, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1383 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1383, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1384, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1384 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1384, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1384 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1384, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1391:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 9 of Chapter 9606, Acts of 1923, being An Act in relation to the running at large of live stock within Sarasota County, to provide damages to the owner of any property damaged by such live stock, and a penalty for violation of the provisions of said Act, and for the taking effect of this amendment.

Also—

House Bill No. 1393:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of the Town of LaBelle, Hendry County, "by ordinance" to prohibit live stock from running at large within the corporate limits of the said town of LaBelle, and to provide a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1394:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present charter and municipal government of the Town of Campbellton, in Jackson County, and to create in lieu thereof a new charter and municipal government, to be known as the town of Campbellton, and provide for its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities; to validate all taxes, assessments and licenses heretofore made or imposed by the Town of Campbellton, and preserve intact all debts and obligations of said town.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1391, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1391 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1391, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1391 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1391, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1393, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1393 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1393, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1393 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1393, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith,

Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1394, contained in the foregoing message was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1398:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect the fresh water fish in the lakes, rivers and streams of DeSoto County, Florida, and to regulate the taking thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1399:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Okeechobee County, by resolution, to use certain moneys owing to the County of Okeechobee by the State Road Department, in the construction of that portion of State Road No. 29 being and lying in Okeechobee County, or by resolution authorizing said County Commissioners to authorize the State Road Department aforesaid to use such moneys in the construction of said road.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1398, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1398 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1398, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1398 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1398, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1399, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1399 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1399, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1399 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1399, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1395:

A bill to be entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville; fixing the salaries of certain officers of the city of Jacksonville; prescribing the limit of taxation for ordinary corporation purposes by said city of Jacksonville; and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said city.

Also—

House Bill No. 1396:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Monroe County in the State of Florida, to procure a loan for the purpose of acquiring land within such county and erecting thereon and furnishing a high school building to belong to such board, wherein to maintain a County High School for such County and, or for the purpose of paying outstanding indebtedness of

such Board of Public Instruction; to authorize such Board in order to procure such loan to issue and sell interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants; to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds or warrants.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And House Bill No. 1395, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1396, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1396 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1396, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1396 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1396, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1415:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the maximum compensation of County Commissioners in counties having a population of not less than four thousand seven hundred (4,700) and not more than four thousand eight hundred (4,800).

Also—

House Bill No. 1416:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Putnam County, Florida, to issue not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing negotiable bonds for the purpose of acquiring one or more tracts of land within said county and erecting thereon and furnishing one or more high school buildings to belong to the said Board, wherein to maintain a county high school for said Putnam County; to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds and the interest to become due thereon and to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds; to call an election for the ratification of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1415, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and on motion of Mr. Hale the bill was indefinitely postponed.

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

And House Bill No. 1416, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1416 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1416, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1416 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1416, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

*Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1417:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any person to mar, deface, injure, or despoil the County Court

House, or any county municipal or other public building or the floors, walls, steps, or any part of any such building, in Taylor County, Florida, and prescribing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1419:

A bill to be entitled An Act relative to statements of the receipts and expenses of the City Commission of the City of Palatka, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1418:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Taylor County, Florida, to issue and sell interest-bearing coupon warrants not to exceed three hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of constructing, grading, improving or repairing highways in said county.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNIS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1417, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1419, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1419 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1419, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1419 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1419, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hincley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1418, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1. 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1389:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Levy County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding one hundred twenty-six thousand dollars (\$126,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding one hundred twenty-six thousand dollars (\$126,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from

the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Also—

House Bill No. 1390:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, validating and confirming all of the acts and proceedings taken, done or had by the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, Florida, relating to the creation and organization of Special Road and Bridge District No. 11, Pinellas County, Florida, and the issuance and sale of one million dollars of bonds of said district.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And House Bill No. 1389, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Turner moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1389 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1389, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Turner moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1389 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1389, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Halone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1390, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

On motion of Mr. Taylor, of the 11th District, the bill was indefinitely postponed.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1404:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, when it shall deem it expedient to provide for the issuance of bonds of Manatee County, Florida, in an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00, for the purpose of acquiring a plat of ground and constructing thereon a Public Hospital together with any necessary building or buildings and for proper equipment of same; providing for an election and the conduct of same; providing for the construction and maintenance of said Hospital and the regulation of same; providing for the levy of a tax for the payment of said bonds and for the levy of a tax for the annual maintenance of said Hospital, and providing for the sale of said bonds.

Also—

House Bill No. 1405:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the paving of the public roads outside the corporate limits of municipalities, and for assessing the cost thereof against abutting property owners in Manatee County, Florida, and giving the Board of County Commissioners of such county full power and authority therefor.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1404, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1404 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1404, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1404 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1404, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniel, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1405, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1405 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1405, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1405 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1405, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the placing of advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to regulate the placing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of Pinellas County and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1407:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Board of Public Instruction of Hardee County, Florida, to sell ninety thousand (\$90,000.00) dollars bonds of Zolfo Special Tax School District No. 3, Hardee County, Florida, at private sale, for not less than par, plus a premium of three per cent (3%) of the par value thereof, or if adver-

tised for thirty (30) days, to sell said bonds at not less than ninety-five (95%) per cent of the par value thereof.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1406, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title and was placed on the Clendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1407, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1407 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1407, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1407 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1407, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1401:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the hunting and killing of deer and wild turkey in Flagler County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1402:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the open and closed season as to squirrel in Gadsden County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1403:

A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Jefferson County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1401, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1401 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1401, with title above stated, was read the second by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1401 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1401, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1402, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1403, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 412:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 4, 7 and 9, of Chapter 7905, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, entitled "An Act relating to the inspection measurement, analysis and fixing the standards of certain oils and gases sold in this State, to authorize the collection of an inspection fee and disposition thereof, to provide for the appointment of an Assistant State Chemist, oil inspectors, clerical help and prescribe their duties, and to define the powers and duties of state attorneys and other prosecuting attorneys and the Commissioner of Agriculture in connection herewith, and to provide for the condemnation and confiscation of pumps used in violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 540:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 451, Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to salaries of County Superintendents.

Also—

House Bill No. 714:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the Division of Inspection in the Department of Commissioner of Agriculture of the State of Florida to provide for the employment of and to prescribe the duties of supervisor of inspectors in such division; to provide for the appointment, the dispensing with, and for the salary and expenses of inspectors and other employees in the division hereby created; to abolish the offices of "oil inspectors," "food, drug and fertilizer inspectors for the chemical division of the Department of Agriculture" and "citrus fruit inspectors"; to prescribe the duties of inspectors provided for in this Act; to provide for the disposition of funds arising from the several objects of inspection, and prescribing certain duties of the State Chemist and Assistant State Chemists.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 412, 540 and 714, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles, and were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference, under the rule.

Also—
The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1147:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of prosecuting attorney for county courts in counties which have a population of more than ten thousand, seven hundred (10,700), and not more than ten thousand, nine hundred (10,900, according to the State census of 1925, and which has not established therein a criminal court of record.

Also—

House Bill No. 1259:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Mrs. R. B. Wells, widow of R. B. Wells, deceased, and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, to pay to said Mrs. R. B. Wells the sum of five hundred dollars per year, payable in equal monthly installments until she has been paid the sum of two thousand dollars.

Also—

House Bill No. 1341:

A bill to be entitled An Act empowering the City of Leesburg, State of Florida, to provide, maintain and conduct recreation systems and to acquire, establish, conduct and maintain playgrounds, recreation centers and other recreational facilities and activities; defining the powers of such municipality, its governing bodies and park boards in connection with all such matters, and providing for the creation of playground and recreation boards or commissions; the election and the terms of the members thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1343:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3 of an Act enacted at the regular session of the Florida Legislature of 1925, entitled: "An Act providing for the sale and issuance of bonds in the sum of forty thousand dollars by the County of Glades, State of Florida, for constructing roads and bridges in said county providing for a sinking fund with which to pay the principal and interest on said bonds as same matures, and specifying what interest said bonds are to bear, the form of said bonds, and the date of maturity of same."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1147, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1147 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1147, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1147 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1147, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniel, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

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

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1259, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1259 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1259, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1341, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1341 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1341, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1341 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1341, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith,

Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1343, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1343 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1343, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1343 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1343, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1345:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the placing of advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to prohibit the placing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of Highlands County, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1347:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of DeLand, Volusia Count, Florida, and to organize, incorporate and establish a new city government for the same and to provide for its jurisdiction and powers.

Also—

House Bill No. 1349:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Calhoun County, Florida, to levy a tax of two mills upon all the taxable property of Calhoun County, Florida, for the purpose of producing an advertising fund, and authorizing the said Board of County Commissioners to expend said fund in advertising said county.

Also—

House Bill No. 1350:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the placing of advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to prohibit the placing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of Marion County, Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1351:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, to levy a tax of not to exceed two mills on the dollar on all taxable property in said county to be used for publicity purposes.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1345 and 1347, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles and were placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1349, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1349 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1349, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. McDaniels moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1349 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1349, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1350, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1350 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1350, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1350 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1350, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1351, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1351 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1351, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1351 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1351, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1352:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, to issue certain interest-bearing time warrants for the purpose of raising funds with which to equip the county offices, secure transcription of records, secure road-working machinery and other equipment and for any other county purpose, and providing the rate of interest which said warrants shall bear, how and when payable, and the period for which said warrants shall run, and providing for the levy of a special tax to cover interest and to create a sinking fund for the redemption of said warrants.

Also—

House Bill No. 1353:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize and validate the creation and bonds of Special Road and Bridge District No 4 of St. Lucie County, Florida, and all acts and proceedings in relation thereto, and providing for the performance of duties in connection therewith by the Board of County Commissioners and proper officers of Indian River County in the event said county is created.

Also—

House Bill No. 1354:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the placing of

advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to prohibit the placing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of Lake County, Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1355:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect fish in the rivers, creeks, canals and inside waters of Indian River County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1356:

A bill to be entitled An Act to organize and establish a County Court in and for Indian River County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; to provide for the appointment of Prosecuting Attorney for said county; and prescribing the fees and salaries of the Judge and Prosecuting Attorney of said court.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1352, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1352 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1352, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1352 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1352, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet,

Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1353, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1353 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1353, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1353 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1353, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1354, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1355, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1355 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1355, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1355 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1355, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1356, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1356 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1356, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1356 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1356, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1357:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, to borrow money on negotiable notes at not exceeding eight per cent interest per annum to an amount not exceeding forty per cent of income of said board from taxes for the current fiscal year, for the purpose of paying current expenses.

Also—

House Bill No. 1358:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, to construct roads and bridges in the several special road and bridge districts of said county, either by letting said work by contract, or without letting said work by contract, as said board may determine.

Also—

House Bill No. 1359:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the nomination in primaries by the voters of the County at large of all candidates for County Commissioners and Board of Public Instructions in Jefferson County, Florida.

Also—

House Bill No. 1363:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Jacksonville and to include therein the territory now included within the corporate limits of the City of South Jacksonville and other territory, and

to prescribe the jurisdiction and powers of the City of Jacksonville; to abolish the existing city government of the City of South Jacksonville; and to create within the City of Jacksonville the borough of South Jacksonville and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to provide for its abolishment.

Also—

House Bill No. 1365:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish the municipality of the Town of Cocoa Beach, fix its territorial limits, provide for its government and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1357, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1357 be read the second time by its only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1357, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1357 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1357, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1358, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1358 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1358, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1358 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1358, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1359 and 1363, contained in the foregoing message, were read the first time by their titles and were placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

And House Bill No. 1365, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1365 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1365, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1365 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1365, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1367:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Pompano, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of Pompano and official acts thereunder; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the Town of Pompano, in Palm Beach County, Florida; and to fix and provide its territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers," being Chapter 6754, Special Acts of 1913, by striking out the word "twenty" in the sixth line of Section 65, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "thirty".

Also—

House Bill No. 1368:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the placing of advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to prohibit the plac-

ing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of St. Lucie County, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1369:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the placing of advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to prohibit the placing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of Indian River County, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1371:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a license tax on dogs in Lafayette County and providing a penalty for failure to procure such license and providing a measure of liability for killing dogs not so licensed.

Also—

House Bill No. 1373:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing an alternative method of fixing the rate of interest on evidences of indebtedness issued by the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, or any taxing unit or governmental agency represented by it providing for the sale of such securities, the validation thereof and for the construction of this Act, and specifying the evidences of indebtedness of said county to which this Act shall apply.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And House Bill No. 1367, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1367 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

An House Bill No. 1367, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1367 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1367, with title above state, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1368, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1368 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1368, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1368 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1368, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1369, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1369 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1369, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1369 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1369, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Seales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1371, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1371 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1371, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1371 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1371, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Seales, Singletary, Smith,

Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1373, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1373 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1373, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1373 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1373, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform

the Senate that the House of Representatives returns herewith to the Senate—

House Bill No. 1374:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize Manatee County to improve highways upon petition and to pay the cost thereof by special assessment in whole or in part and to issue bonds and levy taxes.

Also—

House Bill No. 1375:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating five promissory notes or warrants issued as evidence of said indebtedness; validating the action of the board in borrowing \$20,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing a site for the erection of a high school building for Special Tax School District No. 1 and validating three certain promissory notes issued as evidence of said indebtedness.

Also—

House Bill No. 1376:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating the action of the Board of Public Instruction for Seminole County and the action of the Board of Trustees of Special Tax School District No. 4 of said county in borrowing twenty-five hundred dollars for the purpose of completing a new school building for Special Tax School District No. 4.

Also—

House Bill No. 1377:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Pasco County, Florida, to issue bonds of Special School District Number 7 of Pasco County, Florida, for the purpose of acquiring a site for and the erection of a public school building, and providing for the issuance and sale of said bonds, the creation of a sinking fund for the retirement thereof; regulating the custody and expenditure of the proceeds of said bonds by the Trustees of said Special Tax School District Number 7 of Pasco County, Florida, and the calling and providing for the holding of an election for the ratification of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And House Bill No. 1374, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1374 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1374, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1374 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1374, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1375, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1375 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1375, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1375 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1375, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith,

Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1376, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1376 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1376, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1376 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1376, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1377, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1377 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1377, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1377 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1377, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1379:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida, to issue interest-bearing coupon warrants in the sum of fifty thousand (\$50,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be required to procure funds to pay the current expenses of conducting the county government until such time as funds from tax collections are available for such purposes; to authorize the sale of such time warrants and to provide the manner in which the same shall be paid off.

House Bill No. 1378:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section One of An Act entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of New Port Richey in the County of Pasco, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of New Port Richey in Pasco County,

Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of New Port Richey and official acts, and to adopt the same as those of said City of New Port Richey; to prescribe the time within which suits can be brought against said city and for notice thereof; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said city and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers; to validate all contracts of said Town of New Port Richey; to authorize said city to assess street improvement now in progress against the abutting property and to issue special improvement bonds to be paid for by street assessments, passed by the Legislature of the State of Florida at its regular session held in Tallahassee, the Capitol, in A. D. 1925.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1379, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1379 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1379, with title above stated was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1379 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1379, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1378, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1291 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1291:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the fees to be charged by the sheriffs of the several counties of the State of Florida, and to repeal Chapter 7886, Acts of 1919, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act fixing the compensation of sheriffs of the several counties of the State of Florida."

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1291 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1291, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor, of 11th District, moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1291 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. 1291, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Scales, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—29.

Nays—Mr. Rowe—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Hale moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 412 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 412:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 4. 7 and 9, of Chapter 7905, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919, entitled "An Act relating to the inspection measurement, analysis and fixing the standards of certain oils and gases sold in this State, to authorize the collection of an inspection fee and disposition thereof, to provide for the appointment of an Assistant State Chemist, oil inspectors, clerical help and prescribe their duties, and to define the powers and duties state attorneys and other prosecuting attorneys and the Commissioner of Agriculture in connection herewith, and to provide for the condemnation and confiscation of pumps used in violation of this Act.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 412 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 412, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 412:

In Section 7, line 6, strike out the words "carefully inspect all self-measuring pumps at least once every thirty days located in the territory assigned to them by the Commissioner of Agriculture, and in case any pump is found to be inaccurate by giving short measure in excess of eight ounces to a measure of five gallons," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "familiarize themselves with the accuracy-adjusting devices on the various makes of self-measuring pumps in use in the territory assigned to them by the Commissioner of Agriculture, That they shall carefully inspect all of such pumps located in the territory assigned to them at least once every thirty days, that on all such pumps found to be giving accurate measure, with a variation of not to exceed four ounces from the actual on a measure of five gallons, he shall place a lead and wire seal, to be provided by the Commissioner of Agriculture, on the adjusting devices in such a way that the adjustment cannot be altered without breaking the seal. Any pump that is found to be giving inaccurate measure in excess of four ounces, the inspector shall then and there notify the operator of the pump, whether owner or leasee, to make the necessary adjustments, the inspector to lend his assist-

ance with the standard measure provided for testing such pumps. After the adjustments have been made the adjusting devices are to be sealed in the same manner as provided for those pumps found originally accurate. On all pumps that have apparently been altered for the purpose of giving short measure in excess of eight ounces on a measure of five gallons, or that cannot be adjusted within a range of eight ounces, either over or under, on a measure of five gallons."

Mr. Hale moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 412:

Add the following at the end of Section Seven:

"After the passage of this Act it shall be unlawful for anyone to break a seal applied by an inspector to a pump, without first securing consent of the Commissioner of Agriculture, which consent may be given through one of the duly authorized inspectors. Any one convicted of breaking such a seal shall be punished as for a misdemeanor by a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or thirty days in jail.

Mr. Hale moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 412, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 412, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Mr. Hale moved to waive the rules and that House Bill No. 412 be put back on second reading for amendment.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Mr. Hale offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 412:

In Section 4, line 5, strike out the word "fifteen" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "nine".

Mr. Hale moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 412, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 412, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hodges, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—25.

Nays—Mr. Knight—1.

So the bill passed, as amended, title as stated.

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

Mr. Hale moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 955 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 955:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting, confirming and vesting, and regulating the exercise of, the right of eminent domain in the condemnation of lands and property for State road purposes; confirming, vesting in and granting unto the State Road Department the power of eminent domain to condemn all necessary lands and property for securing rights of way for State roads and bridges in connection therewith and for acquiring any material and property necessary and useful for State road building purposes; declaring the State Road Department to be a body corporate, for the purpose of this Act; granting unto the several counties of this State power and authority to furnish the State Road Department lands necessary for rights of way for State road purposes, and the power of eminent domain to condemn said lands; regulating, defining and setting out the procedure to be followed in condemning lands and other property for State road purposes; and granting authority to proceed with State road or bridge construction pending condemnation under certain circumstances.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate and read the second time in full.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 955 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 955, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Knight, McDaniels, Overstreet, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Wicker—23.

Nays—Messrs. Hodges, Malone, Phillips, Rowe, Russell—5.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

The President handed down the following committee appointments:

Committee on conference on House Bill No. 168: Senators Butler, Gillis and Etheredge, as requested by the House of Representatives and directed by the Senate.

By permission—

The following reports were submitted:

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred—
House Bill No. 204:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Peyton Page, of Nassau County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

D. E. KNIGHT,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 204, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

So:

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

(Senate Bill No. 614):

An Act amending Section 5 of Chapter 9646 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, entitled "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 Commissioners' District No. 1 in said County and providing for the payment thereof;" relating to the payment of the principal and interest of the time warrants authorized by said Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 654):

An Act granting a pension to Charles A. Finley.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 443):

An Act fixing the dates for holding the terms of the Circuit Court of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of Florida, composed of the Counties of Osceola and Orange.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 622):

An Act to cancel the penalties and costs, imposed against certain lands in Hastings Drainage District, located in the Counties of St. Johns and Putnam in the State of Florida, to provide for the payment of drainage taxes now due said Hastings Drainage District and the issuance of receipts therefor.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 381):

An Act for the payment of pension to Richard A. Davis, of Baker County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 613):

An Act amending Section 5 of Chapter 9648 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, entitled: "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;" relating to the payment of the principal and interest of the time warrants issued by this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 528):

An Act creating and incorporating a special taxing district in Sarasota County, Florida, to be known as the "Sarasota Inlet District"; fixing and prescribing the boundaries of said district; providing for the government and administration of the same; providing and defining the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof; authorizing and empowering such board to construct an inlet connecting Sarasota Bay with the Gulf of Mexico and to deepen Sarasota Pass in said district and authorizing and providing for the construction and completion of all the works necessary or proper in connection therewith; authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of said district; authorizing and empowering said board to borrow money on the note or notes of said district; authorizing and providing for the levy and collection of taxes for the payment of the said bonds and the interest thereon, and for the payment of said notes of the interest thereon, and authorizing and providing for the levy and collection of additional taxes for the repair and maintenance of said works; authorizing and empowering the said board to prevent injury to works controlled under or in pursuance of this Act, and authorizing generally the powers and duties of said board in this behalf.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 604):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Walton County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest-bearing time warrants or bonds for the purpose of constructing a court house in Walton County, Florida, furnishing equipment therefor and the improvement of the court house grounds, and providing the manner of sale of such time warrants or bonds and providing for the levy and collection of taxes for payment of the principal and interest of such time warrants or bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 597):

An Act to make valid certain municipal improvement bonds of the Town of Dunedin to define the authority of the said town to issue certain improvement certificates, and to validate certain proceedings in respect of the issuance of said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 582):

An Act validating certain municipal improvement bonds of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, and proceedings pertaining thereto, and validating refunding bonds of said city, and proceedings pertaining thereto, to be issued for the purpose of refunding said municipal improvement bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 317):

An Act requiring the record of all judgments and decrees rendered in the Federal Courts of the State of Florida to be recorded in the several counties in the State in which property of the defendants is located before such judgment or decrees shall attach as a lien thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 587):

An Act to authorize and empower the City of Bartow, to provide for the laying of sanitary sewerage and storm drainage in any street, boulevard or alley in said city, and to assess all or any part of the costs thereof against property benefited, to issue improvement bonds against the same, and otherwise to avail itself of all of the rights,

privileges and authorities enumerated in Section 9298 of the Laws of Florida, with reference thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 626):

An Act to authorize the construction, maintenance and operation of a toll road and bridges used in connection therewith between Cedar Point and Fort George Island in the County of Duval 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. 609):

An Act empowering the County of Escambia alone or in conjunction with others to acquire or lease any bridge or bridges now existing or hereafter to be constructed over and across Perdido Bay and Perdido River for use in connection with and as a part of any hard surfaced road or highway in said county and to maintain and operate same as a toll bridges or free bridge.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 380):

An Act to amend Section 1 of Article 2 of Chapter 9950 of the Special Acts of the Legislature of 1923, being an Act creating a municipality known and designated as the City of Bushnell and defining its territorial boundaries and jurisdiction, and providing that said Chapter and the provisions thereof apply to, be binding upon and enforceable against new territory included herein and providing for the regulation of the filing of plats or maps of land within or contiguous to the city limits of the City of Bushnell.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 624):

An Act authorizing cities and towns in counties having a population of not less than sixty-three (63,000) thousand and not more than sixty-five (65,000) thousand inhabitants, according to the State census of 1925, to levy a tax for the support of musical organizations and providing a method of submitting to the qualified voters of the cities and towns the right to levy such tax and the right to revoke such authority.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 595) :

An Act to prohibit the running or roaming at large of cattle, hogs, sheep and other live stock in Marion County; to provide for an election to be held by the registered voters who are freeholders in said County to determine if this Act shall become operative; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act, and to provide that the owners of property damaged or destroyed by such live stock running or roaming at large may recover damages for such injury or destruction.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 525) :

An Act to legalize and validate the election held in Special Road and Bridge District Number Seven of Lake County, Florida, on the 4th of April, 1925, and all resolutions of the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, relative thereto, and all acts of the said Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, and other officials and agents of Lake County, Florida, relative to said election called for the purpose of creating and constituting a special road and bridge district in Lake County, Florida, to be known and designated as "Special Road and Bridge District Number 7," and the issuance of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) of negotiable coupon bonds of said County on behalf of said Special Road and Bridge District for the purpose of constructing and maintaining roads and bridges in said Special Road and Bridge District No. 7 of Lake County, Florida, and to authorize Lake County, Florida, to issue said bonds on behalf of said Special Road and Bridge District No. 7.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 607) :

An Act authorizing and requiring the Democratic Executive Committee of the County of Baker, State of Florida, to return to all candidates on a pro rata basis of assessment as they now have unexpended.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 496) :

An Act to abolish the municipality of Belleair Heights, Pinellas County, Florida, and to create and establish a

municipality to be known as the Town of Belleair, in Pinellas County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of Belleair Heights, and official acts thereunder, and to adopt the same as the ordinances of said Town of Belleair; to validate the contracts of the said Town of Belleair Heights; to fix and prescribe the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said Town of Belleair, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers, and repealing Chapter 9686 of the Acts of 1923.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 585):

An Act authorizing Dade County, Florida, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding bonds of said county in the sum of three hundred thousand dollars issued during the years 1913 and 1914.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 576):

An Act to provide for the creation of a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Indian Rocks Beach, in the County of Pinellas, State of Florida; to fix and determine the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said town and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 578):

An Act to provide for the re-taking of the census of Duval County, Florida, for the year 1925, and making provisions for the payment of the expenses thereof, and to authorize Duval County, in the State of Florida, to expend moneys of said county for the payment to the Commissioner of Agriculture of the expenses of re-taking of such census, and to assess and levy taxes necessary for that purpose, and to vest in said county the power, in the discretion of the Board of County Commissioners of said county, to receive and use for any of the purposes aforesaid gifts or donations of money or property.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 527):

An Act to legalize and validate the proceedings of the Town Council and other town officials and agents of the Town of Groveland, Lake County, Florida, relative to the issue of bonds under authority of Chapter 9298 of Acts of

the Legislature of the State of Florida for the session of 1923 for the purpose of grading, constructing, hard-surfacing and paving streets in said Town of Groveland, Lake County, Florida, and for the validation and approval of said town relative thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 581):

An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter —, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of the Legislature of 1925, being an Act providing for the issuance and sale of bonds in the sum of \$125,000 by the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Santa Rosa, State of Florida, to fund the outstanding indebtedness of the said Board of Public Instruction; providing a sinking fund with which to pay the principal and interest of said bonds as same mature, specifying what interest said bonds are to bear, the date and maturity of the same, prescribing certain duties of the said Board of Public Instruction; prohibiting said Board from borrowing money after the sale of such bonds, and prescribing penalties for a violation hereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 600):

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

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 596):

An Act to validate certain improvement bonds of the City of Dunedin and certain proceedings of the City Council of said city relating to improvement bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 541):

An Act to authorize the Town of Groveland, Lake County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity 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 signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,
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. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 842):

An Act creating, organizing and incorporating a special taxing district in St. Lucie County, Florida, to be known and designated as Jensen Road and Bridge District, prescribing the boundaries thereof; providing for the government and administration of said district; to define the powers and purposes of said District and of the Board of Commissioners thereof; to authorize said Board to construct, improve, and maintain a bridge across the Indian River in said District, and the roads and approaches and bridges connecting said bridge with the Atlantic Ocean Beach and the western part of the District; to construct all other works necessary or proper in connection with said bridge, and roads; to require the Board of Commissioners to charge tolls for use of said bridge; to provide for the acquiring of property or condemnation thereof, for District purposes; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes for district purposes; to validate and confirm former tax levies and

assessments; to authorize said board to borrow money and issue and sell bonds; to procure money to carry out the provisions of this act; to prevent injury to works constructed under this act and to provide penalties therefor; to confer upon and charge to said district all properties, debts and obligations of the citizens, inhabitants and property owners of the Fourth Commissioners District, acting or claiming to act as an Incorporated Taxing District under the name of Jensen Bridge District; to give owner of bonds or other obligations of the District a lien on the bridge; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith and generally to provide for the construction, improvement and maintenance of said bridges and roads and abolishing the special taxing district in said County known as Jensen Bridge District.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1154):

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

Also—

(House Bill No. 682):

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

Also—

(House Bill No. 1240):

An Act fixing the compensation of Superintendents of Public Instruction in counties having a population of not more than seventy-five hundred and not less than seven thousand, according to the State census of 1925.

Also—

(House Memorial No. 10):

A Memorial to the Congress of the United States asking for the enactment of legislation providing for a survey and the construction of a canal from Lake Wimico in Calhoun County, Florida, to St. Joseph Bay in said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1256):

An Act prescribing the compensation of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of St. Lucie County, Florida, for making abstracts of title in said county.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1200):

An Act to provide for the letting of city contracts, or the doing of public improvements, by the City of St. Cloud, without the letting of contracts.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1097):

An Act amending Section Two of An Act entitled "An Act relating to municipal improvements in the City of Orlando," approved May 12, 1915.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1242):

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

Also—

(House Bill No. 93):

An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 9149, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923 entitled "An Act regulating the amount of par value of the Capital Stock of Insurance Companies Surety Companies and sick and funeral benefit companies organized under the laws of Florida, and requiring associations, companies and corporations doing a sick and funeral benefit insurance business in Florida to set aside a reserve for the protection of policyholders and to make a deposit of cash or certain approved securities with the treasurer of Florida."

Also—

(House Bill No. 1186):

An Act to create, establish and constitute certain territory in Orange County, Florida, as a special tax district to be known and designated as "The West Orange Navigation District"; authorizing and empowering said district to improve Lake Apopka and to connect said lake with other lakes and waters located in said district with navigable canals and waterways; providing for the government and administration of said district; defining the duties and powers of Board of Commissioners thereof; providing for the issuance of bonds of said district, the proceeds of the sale of which shall be used for the purposes herein set forth; providing for the levy and collection of taxes on all taxable property within said district for the purpose of creating a sinking fund, pay the principal and interest of said bonds, and to prescribe penalties for injuring or destroying any property of said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 175):

An Act providing the name in which real estate shall be assessed in cases where no return of same is made for the purpose of taxation.

Also—

(House Bill No. 123):

An Act to provide for the conservation and protection of certain wild trees, shrubs and plants in the State of Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 548):

An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Ophelia H. Neal, of Lake County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 115):

An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 9364 of the Laws of Florida, relating to charges to juries and direction of verdicts by the Court.

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,

S. W. ANDERSON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

The bills and memorials 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. Anderson, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 1161):

An Act amending Section 74, of Chapter 9945 of the Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said City of West Palm Beach and official acts thereunder, and to adopt the same as the ordinances of said city of West Palm Beach; to prescribe the time within which suits can be brought against said city and for notice thereof; and to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers and providing for a referendum of this Act."

Also—

(House Bill No. 1080) :

An Act to prohibit the manufacture, sale, barter or exchange, transportation and possession of alcoholic or other intoxicating liquors or beverages within the corporate limits of the Town of Starke, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and providing rules of practice in the enforcement of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1152) :

An Act to enlarge the power of the Board of Supervisors of the Indian Prairie Sub-Drainage District, and to authorize said Board of Supervisors to borrow money for the early completion of the work in said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 847) :

An Act providing a supplemental, additional and alternative method for the establishment, government and maintenance of City Planning Boards within municipalities in the County of Pinellas, State of Florida, and prescribing their powers and duties.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1169) :

An Act to provide a supplemental, additional and alternative method of making local improvements in the City of Rockledge, Brevard County, Florida, authorizing and providing for the levy and collection of special assessments to pay for the cost thereof and authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds by the City of Rockledge in connection with said local improvements, said bonds to be general obligations of said City of Rockledge.

Also—

(House Bill No. 858) :

An Act to authorize and empower the City of Palatka, Florida, to purchase, construct, establish and maintain municipal golf courses, tennis courts, athletic fields and such other athletic or amusement parks and places as the City Commission of the City of Palatka, Florida, may deem expedient and for the best interest of said city and its inhabitants; to provide for the maintenance thereof

and to legalize, validate and confirm all of the proceedings, contracts, disbursements, acts and doings of the City of Palatka, and the City Commission of said City of Palatka, in the purchase and construction of the present municipal golf course in said City of Palatka.

Also—

(House Bill No. 958) :

An Act to create and establish a municipality in Charlotte County, Florida, to be known and designated as the Town of Charlotte Harbor; to define its territorial boundary, and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, privileges and offices.

Also—

(House Bill No. 800) ;

An Act defining the term "embalming"; to provide a State Board of Embalming for the State of Florida; granting to such State Board certain powers, and prescribing certain duties of said Board; regulating the profession of embalming in the State of Florida; fixing the license fees to be paid by embalmers, undertakers, and dealers in burial supplies; prescribing qualifications of embalmers, and providing for the examination thereof; to provide for the better protection of lives and health and the prevention of the spread of infectious and contagious diseases; providing for the revocation of embalmers license, and making unlawful violations thereof, and providing penalties for such violations.

Also—

(House Bill No. 323) :

An Act concerning domestic building and loan associations and repealing Chapter 6971, Acts of 1915, and Chapter 9147, Acts of 1923, relating to the same subject.

Also—

(House Bill No. 99) :

An Act relating to the qualifications and licensing of insurance agents.

Also—

(House Bill No. 926) :

An Act granting a pension to Mrs. Josephine Freeman.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1134):

An Act to authorize the County Board of Public Instruction of Suwannee County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding one hundred and ten thousand dollars (\$110,000) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness, to authorize said board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding one hundred ten thousand (\$110,000) dollars in principal amount of interest bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1184):

An Act to authorize the City of St. Cloud to limit buildings, according to their use or construction, to specified districts.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1076):

An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, in behalf of East Lake County Special Road and Bridge District of Lake County, Florida, to issue and sell bonds, interest-bearing time warrants or script 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 said bonds, interest-bearing time warrants or script, the proceeds from the sale of said bonds to be used in the payment of the outstanding indebtedness of said East Lake County Special Road and Bridge District of Lake County, Florida, arising from the construction and maintenance of roads and bridges in said district.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1072):

An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, to issue and sell bonds, interest-bearing

time warrants or scrip, in behalf of said county and to provide for the levy and collection of a tax on all taxable property within said county for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of said bonds, the proceeds derived from the sale of said bonds, time warrants of scrip to be use for the payment of the outstanding indebtedness of said county arising from the construction and furnishing of the court house at Tavares, Lake County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1251):

An Act changing the name of Mosquito Creek in Okechobee County to Magnolia Creek.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1254):

An Act to legalize and validate the execution, issuance, sale and delivery of bonds of St. Lucie Inlet District in Palm Beach and St. Lucie Counties and all acts and proceedings taken by St. Lucie Inlet District in reference thereto and authorizing sale at private sale and providing for change of county boundaries.

Also—

(House Bill No. 788):

An Act to amend Section 3533 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to bond required of contractor of public work; stipulation to pay for labor or material furnished; action on bond by person performing labor and furnishing material; procedure.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1079):

An Act providing for the protection of game birds and squirrels in Lake County, Florida; providing for a closed season for deer and wild turkey in said county; providing the time at which game birds may be hunted or killed.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1244):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, if they deem it expedient, to take from the proceeds of the road bonds of said county of the issue of 1924, not exceeding

the sum of twenty-seven thousand dollars for the construction of a bridge or bridges across the Ocklawaha River.

Also—

(House Bill No. 95) :

An Act to regulate the division of commissions by agents of Insurance and Surety Companies, to require the return of certain premiums on insurance and surety business written in Florida for taxation, to repeal Chapter 9152, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act in relation to insurance, indemnity and bonding in the State of Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof," and to repeal all other laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 299) :

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest-bearing time warrants of said County in the sum or sums not to exceed in the aggregate fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars, for the purpose of raising funds with which to construct, repair, extend, improve, maintain, oil, hard-surface or otherwise improve all or any part of the public roads and highways, and to construct, repair, improve, and maintain bridges and culverts, in County Commissioners' District No. 3, in said County, and acquiring machinery, tools and equipment for the construction, maintenance and repair of said roads, bridges and culverts, and for other County purposes, and providing for the payment of said time warrants.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No.23) :

Whereas, pursuant and in response to an invitation extended by the Florida Centennial Celebration Committee, the States of Maryland, Maine, Virginia, California, Arizona, Missouri, Massachusetts, Texas, Alabama and the Territory of Hawaii furnished the flags of their respective States to be used in celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the establishment of the State Capital at Tallahassee, which flags have since that time been given to the State of Florida to be placed in the State Capitol Building, said flags having been made a gift to the State of Florida,

by said States; and, Whereas, the State of Florida, through its Legislature, desires to express its thanks and appreciation for said State flags; now therefore:

Also—

(House Bill No. 491):

An Act exempting the cash surrender values of life insurance policies from certain legal processes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1138):

An Act enlarging the power of the Board of Supervisors of the Istokpoga Sub-Drainage District, and authorizing said board of supervisors to borrow money for the early completion of the work or to enter into a contract for said work prior to the approval by the Court of the assessments to be made against said land by the Commissioners to be appointed by the Court.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1027):

An Act to create a Special Road and Bridge District out of certain territory in Jackson County; and to provide for the election of trustees thereof, the construction of certain roads and bridges therein, by said trustees, and to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds of said district for that purpose.

Also—

(House Bill No. 932):

An Act to establish Manatee Valley Drainage District in the County of Manatee, State of Florida, and define its boundaries, to create a Board of Supervisors for said district, and to define its powers, incidents, immunities and liabilities and to provide for the government and operation of said drainage district under the provisions of this Act and the provisions of Chapter 6458, of the General Acts and Resolutions adopted by the legislature of the State of Florida at its regular session for the year 1913, and all amendments to said Chapter 6458.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1071):

An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County,

Florida, to issue and sell time warrants in a sum not to exceed \$120,000.00 once in each year, and to provide for the application of the funds derived from such issue and sale of such time warrants in constructing, grading, hardsurfacing and maintaining the public roads and the building of bridges for use in connection with such public roads in said county, and authorizing and empowering the said Board by Resolution to provide for payment of interest and raising a sinking fund for payment of said time warrants, and authorizing and empowering the said Board to levy annually a tax sufficient for such purpose, and providing that the amount of such time warrants in addition to all other indebtedness of said County shall never exceed an amount equal to 40 per cent. for the assessed valuation of the taxable property of said county, and fixing a minimum price for which such time warrants may be sold.

Also—

(House Bill No. 456):

An Act to amend Sections 5481 and 5485 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relative to seizure of liquors, property and keeping records of same.

Also—

(House Bill No. 803):

An Act to create and establish a municipality to be known as the Town of Scottsmoor, in Brevard County, Florida; and to fix and provide its territorial limits, to prescribe and authorize its jurisdiction and powers and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

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,

S. W. ANDERSON,

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 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. Coe moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 146 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Committee Substitute for—

House Bill No. 146:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1477 and 1478 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, relating to the authorization of County Commissioners to employ a prosecuting attorney to prosecute cases in the County Judge's Court and fix the compensation of the same.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Coe moved that the rules be waived and that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 146 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 146, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Coe moved that the rules be waived and that Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 146 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Bill No. 146, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Cone, Etheredge, Gillis, Hineley, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—26.

Nays—Mr. Wicker—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Calkins moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1232 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1232:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the office of Assistant State Attorney in certain judicial circuits of the State of Florida, providing for their appointment and term of office, prescribing their powers and duties, and providing for their compensation.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1232, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1232 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1232, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Edge, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Putnam, Russell, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Watson, Wicker—17.

Nays—Messrs. Cone, Gillis, Knight, Phillips, Rowe, Scales, Turnbull—7.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

On motion of Mr. Cone, the recess hour was extended to 1:20 o'clock P. M.

By permission—

The following bills were introduced:

By Mr. Etheredge—

Senate Bill No. 703:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Avon Park, formerly DeSoto, now Highlands, County, Florida, and to establish, organize and incorporate a city government for the City of Avon Park; to define its territorial boundaries; to prescribe its judicial powers and privileges, and provide for the exercise of same, and to authorize

the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 703 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 703, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 703 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 703, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Etheredge—

Senate Bill No. 704:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a special tax district for publicity purposes in Highlands County, Florida; to establish and organize a board of supervisors for such district; to outline duties and powers of said board of supervisors; to define the territorial limits of the said district; and to authorize the levy of taxes, provide for their expenditure, and name the first board of supervisors.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 704 be read the second time by its title

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 704, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 704 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 704, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniel, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Colson—

Senate Bill No. 705:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining what is a legal fence in the County of Alachua, State of Florida, and providing for the impounding of cattle, hogs, mules, sheep and goats found trespassing within an enclosure by a legal fence, and providing for a lien of such animals and a method of collecting same.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Colson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 705 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 705 with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Colson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 705 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 705 with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniel, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Taylor (11th District)—
Senate Bill No. 706:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a toll bridge across Old Tampa Bay and to grant a right of way over and authorize the filling in of the submerged and other lands belonging to the State of Florida, in, upon, or adjacent to or under the waters of Old Tampa Bay, for the use of any toll bridge company undertaking the construction of such bridge in order to secure more direct communication by land between the cities of Tampa and Clearwater and communities contiguous or adjacent thereto and granting the right to construct buildings, wharves and docks on said lands, providing for jurisdiction and control by the Railroad Commission.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Taylor (11th District) moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 706 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 706, with title above stated was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (11th District) moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 706 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 706, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Overstreet—
Senate Bill No. 707:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Orange County to use the proceeds of County bonds which were voted and sold for the enlargement of the court house of Orange County, for other court house purposes.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 707 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 707, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 707 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 707, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule

By Mr. Putnam—
Senate Bill No. 708:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing a supplemental, additional and alternative method of making local improvements in the Town of Holly Hill, County of Volusia, State of Florida, authorizing and providing for special assessments for cost thereof and authorizing and providing for special assessments for the costs thereof, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of said Town of Holly Hill in connection with said local improvements, said bonds to be general obligations of the said Town of Holly Hill.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 708 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 708, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 708 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 708, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Taylor, (31st Dist.), moved to waive the rules and take up, out of its order, House Bill No. 1323 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1323:

A bill to be entitled An Act remitting under certain circumstances the penalties which have accrued or hereafter to accrue prior to January 1st, 1926, on the delinquent drainage taxes due to the Bunnell Drainage District, in Flagler and Volusia Counties, Florida, levied for the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924, and providing that the Board of Supervisors and Receiver of said Bunnell Drainage District shall be authorized to remit to any taxpayer under certain circumstances any penalty heretofore paid on delinquent drainage taxes of said district for the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924, upon the application of taxpayers who have paid such penalties.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1323 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1323, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist.) moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1323 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1323, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Butler moved that when the Senate adjourns this morning for another session today that it shall recess to 8:30 o'clock P. M. to consider local bills and executive matters only.

Which motion did not prevail.

Mr. Anderson moved that when the Senate takes a recess this morning it shall recess to 3:30 o'clock P. M. today.

Which was agreed to.

The extended hour for recess having arrived, the Senate, at 1:21 o'clock P. M., took a recess to 3:30 o'clock P. M. today.

AFTERNOON SESSION—3:30 O'CLOCK.

The Senate convened at 3:30 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

A quorum present.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

The following communication from the Governor was received and read:

State of Florida, Executive Department,
Tallahassee, June 2, 1925.

*Honorable John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate,
Tallahassee, Florida.*

Dear Sir:

This Session of the Legislature is rapidly nearing a close and no legislation has been enacted providing for additional revenue for road construction. I, therefore, urge upon your Honorable Body not to permit the session to end without passing a law increasing the gasoline tax that the State Road Department may have additional funds so necessary for the carrying on of the operations of the program outlined by the Legislature. I am sure that the members of the Legislature are as anxious to avoid an extraordinary session for this purpose as is the Chief Executive. Our duty to the State will not permit us to overlook the importance of providing revenue for the building of highways.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN W. MARTIN,
Governor.

The communication was, on motion, referred to the Committee on Roads and Highways, with instructions to said Committee that they report on same by 12 o'clock tomorrow.

Also—

The following communication from the Governor was received and read:

State of Florida, Executive Department,
Tallahassee, June 2, 1925.

*Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate,
Tallahassee, Florida.*

Sir:

I have information that important legislation relating to the drainage of the Everglades has not been passed by both branches of the Law-making Body. The session is fast nearing the end and it would be a calamity if it should close without taking care of this legislation which is of paramount importance to the continued development and progress of the whole State. I, therefore, respectfully call upon the Senate and the House to act promptly and not permit the session to die without having enacted necessary legislation to continue this work. If something isn't done this great reclamation project will have to be abandoned. This the people of Florida do not want and I am sure that members of the Legislature are as desirous of avoiding an extra-ordinary session for this purpose as is the Chief Executive.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN W. MARTIN,
Governor.

The communication was referred to the Committee on Drainage, with instruction to said committee that they report on same by 12 o'clock tomorrow.

Mr. Butler moved to waive the rules and take up out of his order House Bill No. 1363 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1363:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Jacksonville and to include therein the territory now included within the corporate limits of the City of South Jacksonville and other territory, and to prescribe the jurisdiction and powers of the City of Jacksonville; to abolish the existing city government of the City of South Jacksonville; and to create within the City of Jacksonville the borough of South Jacksonville and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to provide for its abolishment.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1363 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1363, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Bell offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1363:

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

Section 1. That the corporate limits of the City of Jacksonville, a municipal corporation heretofore created and now existing in Duval County, Florida, be, and the same are hereby extended so as to include all of the territory within the following described boundaries, that is to say:

Beginning at the intersection of the edge of the channel on the westerly side of the St. Johns River and the northerly boundary line of the Florida Country Club property if extended, all in Township 3, South Range 26 East; thence westerly along the northerly boundary line of said Florida Country Club property to the intersection of the easterly line of the right of way of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad (formerly J. T. & K. W. Railroad); thence northerly along the easterly and southerly line of the right of way of the said Atlantic Coast Line Railroad to the point of intersection of said right of way line and the easterly boundary line of the "Town of Murray Hill," if extended; thence northerly across the right of way of the said Atlantic Coast Line Railroad and along the easterly line of the Town of Murray Hill to the intersection of the easterly and northerly boundary lines of the Town of Murray Hill; thence due east a distance of fifty (50) feet, more or less, to the easterly property line of Nelson Avenue; thence northerly along the easterly property line of Nelson Avenue to the intersection of the said easterly line of Nelson Avenue and the southerly property line of Warrington Avenue; thence easterly along the southerly property line of Warrington Avenue to the intersection of the southerly property line of Warrington Avenue and the westerly property line of Shearer Avenue; thence due north across the property of the Seaboard Air Line Railway to a point one hundred (100) feet south of the south property line of

Enterprise street; thence westerly parallel to and one hundred (100) feet south of the south property line of Enterprise street to the easterly property line of Spencerian drive; thence

North along the east property line of Spencerian Drive and along the east property line of Melson Avenue to the south line of the right of way of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad (formerly J. & S. W. Railroad); thence

Easterly along the south line of the right of way of said Atlantic Coast Line Railroad (formerly J. & S. W. Railroad) to Moncrief Creek; thence

Along the southerly low water line of said Moncrief Creek to the southerly low water line of Trout Creek; thence

Easterly along the southerly low water line of Trout Creek to the intersection of the southerly low water line of said Trout Creek and the easterly line of Lot 13 in Lawton's Panama Park if extended; thence

Southerly along the easterly line of said Lot 13 of Lawton's Panama Park to the north property line of Virginia Street; thence

Westerly along the north property line of Virginia Street a distance of fifty (50) feet, more or less; thence

Southerly across Virginia Street and along the westerly property line of Cummer Avenue and of Talleyrand Avenue to the northerly low water line of Long Branch; thence

Easterly along the northerly low water line of Long Branch to the edge of the channel on the westerly side of the St. Johns River; thence

Due southeast across the St. Johns River to the easterly edge of the channel of said river; thence

Southerly along the easterly edge of the channel of the St. Johns River to the intersection of said easterly edge of the channel of the St. Johns River and the easterly boundary line of the City of South Jacksonville if extended; thence

Southerly and westerly along the easterly and southerly boundary line of the City of South Jacksonville to the intersection of the easterly edge of the channel of the St. Johns River and the southerly boundary line of the City of South Jacksonville if extended; thence

Southwesterly across the channel of the St. Johns River to the intersection of the westerly edge of the channel of said river and the northely boundary line of the

said Florida Country Club property if extended, the point of beginning.”

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

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1363, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1363, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Butler moved that when the Senate shall take a recess this afternoon, it shall take a recess to 8:30 o'clock tonight.

Mr. Knight moved as a substitute motion that the Senate shall recess to 8:30 o'clock P. M. to consider local bills and executive business.

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

The motion of Mr. Gillis did not prevail.

The question then recurred upon the substitute motion made by Mr. Knight.

Which substitute motion prevailed.

Mr. Edge moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Substitute for House Bill No. 1370 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Substitute for—

House Bill No. 1370:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the operation of motor driven and other vehicles on the Public High-

ways of the State of Florida and to provide for the enforcement and punishment for the violation of this Act.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, and read the second time in full.

Mr. Knight offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1370:

In Section 4, line 1, after the word "operate" add the following: "Upon any hard-surfaced road in Florida."

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Knight offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1370:

In Section 7, line 4, strike out the word: "and" after the word "Dollars"

And insert in lieu thereof the following: "or".

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Edge moved that the rules be waived and that Substitute for House Bill No. 1370, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Substitute for House Bill No. 1370, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Edge, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Rowe, Scales, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Wicker—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Watson moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 510 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 510:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant certain lands, submerged and partly submerged, in Biscayne Bay East of the City of Miami, Florida, to the City of Miami, in Dade County, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, having been read the third time.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anedrson, Butler, Clark, Coe, Edge, Hodges, Knight, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—24.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Rowe moved that the Senate do now go into executive session.

Mr. Phillips moved as a substitute that the Senate shall proceed to the consideration of executive business at 6:15 o'clock.

The substitute motion prevailed.

Mr. Overstreet moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 348 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 348:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4375, Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the right to occupy roads.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, and read the second time in full.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 348 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 348, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—20.

Nays—Mr. Scales—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Hodges moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Seante Bill No. 296 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 296:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and establish a State Board of Guardianship for Children, provide for members thereof, their terms of office, prescribe their powers and duties and make appropriations therefor.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, and read the second time in full.

Mr. Hodges offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 296:

In Section 7 strike out 5000 whenever it appears and insert in lieu thereof 2400.

Mr. Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 296:

In Section 4, line 5, after the word "shall" insert in lieu thereof the following: "be private and shall".

Mr. Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 296:

In Section 4, line 9, strike out after the word: "consanguinity" all of the remainder of said Section 4.

Mr. Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Hodges offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 296:

In Section 5, line 3, strike out the words "be under the authority and direction of" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "operate in concert with said".

Mr. Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 296, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Mr. Phillips moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 247 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 247:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3, Chapter 9134 Acts of the Legislature of Florida, A. D. 1923,

in reference to awarding scholarships to the Florida State College for Women and the University of Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Phillips moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 247 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 247, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Phillips moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 247 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 247, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Clark, Coe, Colson, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Smith, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson—17.

Nays—Mr. Singletary—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Overstreet moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 308 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 308:

A bill to be entitled An Act to confer upon companies furnishing telephone, telegraph service and electric light or power, when operating outside the incorporated limits of cities or towns in this State, the rights, powers and privileges of eminent domain now exercised and enjoyed by railroad and canal companies in this State as to and concerning the condemnation of public and private property for right-of-way.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 308 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 308, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 308 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 308, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Clark, Coe, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Smith, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Smith moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 409 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 409:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of W. C. Thompson, of Macclenny, Baker County, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Clark, Coe, Cone, Etheredge, Gillis, Hineley, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Wicker moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 66 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 66:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State Board of Veterinary Examiners, to prescribe its powers and duties, to prescribe the qualification of the membership thereof, their compensation and term of office and providing for the giving of bond by the treasurer thereof for the faithful performance of his duty, to define the practice of

veterinary medicine and surgery in Florida, to vest in said board the authority to examine diplomas and credentials and affidavits of applicants and to hold examinations for applicants, to issue and revoke licenses to practice veterinary medicine and surgery, to collect fees for licenses and examinations, to disburse funds accruing to the board from the collection of fees, to provide penalties for the violation of this act, and providing when this act shall become effective.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 66 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 66, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 66 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 66, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Pending the passage of the bill, the further consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Mr. Walker moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1113 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1113:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal all provisions of the law of this State requiring the registration and display of registration numbers on motor vehicles by non-residents of the State of Florida after thirty days and to re-enact Section 1020 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, entitled "Registration not to Apply to Non-residents."

Mr. Walker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1113 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1113, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Walker moved that the rules be waived and that

House Bill No. 1113 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1113, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hineley, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By unanimous consent—

Mr. Watson was permitted to withdraw Senate Bill No. 157 from the Calendar.

Mr. Clark moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 127 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 127:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the compensation of jurors in the courts of the county judges of the several counties of this State.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 127 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 127, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Clark offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 127:

Add to the title at the end thereof the following:

“Having no county court, criminal court or court of record.”

Mr. Clark moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Clark offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 127:

In Section 1, line 2, insert after the word "State", the following: "in counties having no county court, criminal court or court of record."

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

Mr. Clark moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 127, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 127, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Clark, Cone, Etheredge, Gillis, Hineley, Hodges, Malone, Overstreet, Phillips, Russell, Scales, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Watson—17.

Nays—Messrs. Coe, Knight, McDaniels, Rowe, Smith, Turnbull, Walker, Wicker—8.

So the bill passed, as amended, title as stated.

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

Mr. Knight moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 681 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 681:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5141 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, and to fix the status of dogs as domestic animals.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate and read the second time in full.

Mr. Knight moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 681 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 681, with tile above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, Overstreet, Phillips, Russell, Scales, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—22.

Nays—Mr. Gillis—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By consent—

Mr. Wicker substituted House Bill No. 194 for Senate Bill No. 66.

And—

House Bill No. 194:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State Board of Veterinary Examiners, to prescribe its powers and duties, to prescribe the qualification of the membership thereof, their compensation and the term of office and providing for the giving of bond by the Treasurer thereof for the faithful performance of his duty, to define the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in Florida, to vest in said board the authority to examine diplomas and credentials and affidavits of applicants and to hold examinations for applicants, to issue and revoke licenses to practice veterinary medicine and surgery, to collect fees for licenses, and examinations, to disburse funds accruing to the board from the collection of fees, to provide penalties for the violation of this Act, and providing when this Act shall become effective.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Wicker moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 194 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 194, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Clark, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Malone, Overstreet, Rowe, Singletary, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson, Wicker—19.

Nays—Messrs. Coe, Hineley, Knight, Phillips, Russell, Scales, Smith—7.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By unanimous consent Mr. Wicker withdrew Senate Bill No. 66.

Mr. Malone moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1163 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1163:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a stenographer for circuit judges in circuits where there is no court reporter.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1163 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1163, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Malone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1163 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1163, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Messrs. Anderson, Hodges, Malone, Overstreet, Phillips, Scales, Smith, Swearingen—8.

Nays—Messrs. Butler, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Etheredge, Gillis, Knight, McDaniels, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Turnbull, Turner, Walker—16.

So the bill failed to pass.

Mr. Etheredge moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 601 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 601:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3796 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Florida, dispensing with the words of limitation and fee simple in deeds of conveyance.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 601 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 601, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Coe offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 601:

At the end of the title add the words: "—and validating deeds formerly executed which omitted such words."

Mr. Coe moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Etheredge moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 601, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 601, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Clark, Coe, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Overstreet, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Watson—14.

Nays—Messrs. Cone, Hodges, Knight, Malone, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Turnbull, Walker—10.

So the bill passed, as amended, title as stated.

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

Mr. Anderson moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 120 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 120:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Sidney J. Catts, Jr., as Adjutant-General of Florida, for the loss of part of salary from September 1st, 1919, to January 1st, 1921.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, and read the second time in full.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 120 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 120, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Colson, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hodges, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Smith, Turner, Watson, Wicker—19.

Nays—Messrs. Coe, Cone, Knight, Rowe, Singletary, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Walker—9.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By permission, the following reports were submitted:

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 614):

An Act amending Section 5 of Chapter 9646 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, entitled "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"; relating to the payment of the principal and interest of the time warrants authorized by said Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 654):

An Act granting a pension to Charles A. Finley.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 443):

An Act fixing the dates for holding the terms of the Circuit Court of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of Florida, composed of the counties of Osceola and Orange.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 622):

An Act to cancel the penalties and costs imposed against certain lands in Hastings Drainage District, located in the counties of St. Johns and Putnam, in the State of Florida, to provide for the payment of drainage taxes now due said Hastings Drainage District and the issuance of receipts therefor.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 381):

An Act for the payment of pension to Richard A. Day of Baker County, Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 613):

An Act amending Section 5 of Chapter 9648 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, entitled: "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; relating to the payment of the principal and interest of the time warrants issued by this Act.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 528):

An Act creating and incorporating a Special Taxing District in Sarasota County, Florida, to be known as the "Sarasota Inlet District"; fixing and prescribing the boundaries of said district; providing for the government and administration of the same; providing and defining the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof; authorizing and empowering such board to construct an inlet connecting Sarasota Bay with the Gulf of Mexico and to deepen Sarasota Pass in said district and authorizing and providing for the construction and completion of all the works necessary or proper in connection therewith; authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of said district; authorizing and empowering said board to borrow money on the note or notes of said district; authorizing and providing for the levy and collec-

tion of taxes for the payment of the said bonds and the interest thereon, and for the payment of said notes of the interest thereon, and authorizing and providing for the levy and collection of additional taxes for the repair and maintenance of said works; authorizing and empowering the said board to prevent injury works controlled under or in pursuance of this Act, and authorizing generally the powers and duties of said board in this behalf.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 604):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Walton County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest-bearing time warrants or bonds for the purpose of constructing a Court House in Walton County, Florida, furnishing equipment therefor and the improvement of the Court House grounds, and providing the manner of sale of such time warrants or bonds and providing for the levy and collection of taxes for payment of the principal and interest of such time warrants or bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 597):

An Act to make valid certain municipal improvement bonds of the Town of Dunedin, to define the authority of the said town to issue certain improvement certificates, and to validate certain proceedings in respect of the issuance of said bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 582):

An Act validating certain municipal improvement bonds of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, and proceedings pertaining thereto, and validating refunding bonds of said city, and proceedings pertaining thereto, to be issued for the purpose of refunding said municipal improvement bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 317):

An Act requiring the record of all judgments and decrees rendered in the Federal Courts of the State of Florida to be recorded in the several counties of the State in which property of the defendants is located before such judgment or decrees shall attach as a lien thereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 587) :

An Act to authorize and empower the City of Bartow, to provide for the laying of sanitary sewerage and storm drainage in any street, boulevard or alley in said city, and to assess all or any part of the costs thereof against property benefited, to issue improvement bonds against the same, and otherwise to avail itself of all of the rights, privileges and authorities enumerated in Section 9298 of the Laws of Florida, with reference thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 626) :

An Act to authorize the construction, maintenance and operation of a toll road and bridges used in connection therewith between Cedar Point and Fort George Island in the County of Duval 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. 609) :

An Act empowering the County of Escambia alone or in conjunction with others to acquire or lease any bridge or bridges now existing or hereafter to be constructed over and across Perdido Bay and Perdido River for use in connection with and as a part of any hard-surfaced road or highway in said county and to maintain and operate same as a toll bridge or free bridge.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 380) :

An Act to amend Section 1 of Article 2 of Chapter 9950 of the Special Acts of the Legislature of 1923; being an Act creating a municipality known and designated as the City of Bushnell and defining its territorial boundaries and jurisdiction, and providing that said chapter and the provisions thereof apply to, be binding upon and enforceable against new territory included herein and providing for the regulation of the filing of plats or maps of land within or contiguous to the city limits of the City of Bushnell.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 624):

An Act authorizing cities and towns in counties having a population of not less than sixty-three (63,000) thousand and not more than sixty-five (65,000) thousand inhabitants, according to the State census of 1925, to levy a tax for the support of musical organizations and providing a method of submitting to the qualified voters of the cities and towns the right to levy such tax and the right to revoke such authority.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 595):

An Act to prohibit the running or roaming at large of cattle, hogs, sheep and other livestock in Marion County; to provide for an election to be held by the registered voters who are free holders in said county to determine if this Act shall become operative; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act, and to provide that the owners of property damaged or destroyed by such livestock running or roaming at large may recover damages for such injury or destruction.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 525):

An Act to legalize and validate the election held in Special Road and Bridge District No. Seven of Lake County, Florida, on the 4th of April, 1925, and all resolutions of the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, relative thereto, and all acts of the said Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida, and other officials and agents of Lake County, Florida, relative to said election called for the purpose of creating and constituting a Special Road and Bridge District in Lake County, Florida, to be known and designated as, "Special Road and Bridge District Number Seven", and the issuance of seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000.00) of negotiable coupon bonds of said county on behalf of said Special Road and Bridge District for the purpose of constructing, and maintaining roads and bridges in said Special Road and Bridge District Number Seven of Lake County, Florida, and to authorize Lake County, Florida, to issue bonds on behalf of said Special Road and Bridge District Number Seven.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 607) :

An Act authorizing and requiring the Democratic Executive Committee of the County of Baker, State of Florida, to return to all candidates on a pro rata basis of assessment, as they now have unexpended.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 496) :

An Act to abolish the municipality of Belleair Heights, Pinellas County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipality to be known as the Town of Belleair, in Pinellas County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of Belleair Heights, and official acts thereunder, and to adopt the same as the ordinances of said town of Belleair; to validate the contracts of the said town of Belleair Heights; to fix and prescribe the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said town of Belleair, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers, and repealing Chapter 9686 of the Acts of 1923.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 585) :

An Act authorizing Dade County, Florida, to issue bonds for the purpose of refunding bonds of said County in the sum of three hundred thousand dollars issued during the years 1913 and 1914.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 576) :

An Act to provide for the creation of a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Indian Rocks Beach, in the County of Pinellas, State of Florida; to fix and determine the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said town and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 578) :

An Act to provide for the re-taking of the census of Duval County, Florida, for the year 1925, and making provisions for the payment of the expenses thereof, and to authorize Duval County, in the State of Florida, to expend moneys of said county for the payment to the Commissioner of Agriculture of the expenses of re-taking of such

census, and to assess and levy taxes necessary for that purpose, and to vest in said county the power, in the discretion of the Board of County Commissioners of said county, to receive and use for any of the purposes aforesaid gifts or donations of money or property.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 527):

An Act to legalize and validate the proceedings of the Town Council and other town officials and agents of the Town of Groveland, Lake County, Florida, relative to the issue of bonds under authority of Chapter 9298 of Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida for the session of 1923 for the purpose of grading, constructing, hard-surfacing and paving streets in said Town of Groveland, Lake County, Florida, and for the validation and approval of said town relative thereto.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 581):

An Act to amend Section 11 of Chapter _____, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of the Legislature of 1925, being: An Act providing for the issuance and sale of bonds in the sum of \$125,000 by the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Santa Rosa, State of Florida, to fund the outstanding indebtedness of the said Board of Public Instruction; providing a sinking fund with which to pay the principal and interest of said bonds as same mature, specifying what interest said bonds are to bear, the date and maturity of the same, prescribing certain duties of the said Board of Public Instruction; prohibiting said Board from borrowing money after the sale of such bonds, and prescribing penalties for a violation hereof.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 600):

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

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 596):

An Act to validate certain improvement bonds of the

City of Dunedin and certain proceedings of the City Council of said city relating to improvement bonds.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 541) :

An Act to authorize the Town of Groveland, Lake County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

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

Very respectfully,

S. W. ANDERSON,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
Bills on the Part of the Senate.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 101 :

A bill to be entitled An Act to require the State Board of Pensions of the State of Florida, to increase the pension of Sarah Franklin, of Hernando County, State of Florida, from twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars to forty (\$40.00) dollars per month.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 634 (after third reading) :

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the sale and issuance of bonds in the sum of ten thousand dollars by the County of Hendry, State of Florida, for the purpose of improving grounds of court house and paving streets and sidewalks adjacent thereto; and to provide a system of waterworks and sewerage for said court house in said county; providing for a sinking fund with which to pay the principal and interest on said bonds as same mature, and specifying what interest said bonds are to bear, the form of said bonds and the date of maturity.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 327 (after third reading):

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2212 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida providing for examination by Board of Pharmacy and qualification of applicants.

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

Very respectfully,

W. W. PHILLIPS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 101, 634, 327 and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 250, contained in the above report, were ordered to be referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills, and Senate Bill No. 681 was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 250:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring tax collectors to give notice to tax-payers and to mortgage and lien holders in certain cases.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 681 (after third reading):

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension under certain conditions to negroes who were engaged in the service of the State of Florida during the war between the States, and providing for the payment thereof.

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

Very respectfully,

W. W. PHILLIPS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 250 and 681 contained in the above report, were ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 642:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create, establish and organize a municipality in the County of Pasco and State of Florida to be known as the City of Elfers; to define its territorial boundaries, jurisdiction, powers and privileges; and designating the persons who shall serve as officers of said city until the election and qualification of its officers at the general election.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 656 (after third reading):

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Key West to sell the City Park in Tract 10 according to Whitehead's Map Island of Key West, and directing the disposition of the funds realized from said sale.

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

Very respectfully,

W. W. PHILLIPS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 642 and 656, contained in the above report, were ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 296:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and establish a State Board of Guardianship for Children, provide for members thereof, their term of office, prescribe their powers and duties and make appropriations therefor.

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

Very respectfully,

W. W. PHILLIPS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 296, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Mr. Scales moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order Senate Bill No. 95 for consideration.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Hineley, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Putnam, Scales, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—17.

Nays—Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Gillis, Hodges, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Walker, Wicker—14.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

So the motion prevailed—

And—

Senate Bill No. 95:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a State Advertising Board, defining its powers and duties, making appropriations for the advertising of Florida as a State by said

board, and providing for the necessary expenses of said board in relation thereto.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Scales moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment to Senate Bill No. 95 was adopted.

Which amendment is as follows:

“Strike out the figures \$200,000 wherever they appear and insert in lieu thereof \$50,000.00

The question was put upon the motion to reconsider.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

The roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Butler, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Hineley, Knight, Malone, Overstreet, Putnam, Scales, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—16.

Nays—Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Gillis, Hodges, Phillips, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Wicker—13.

The Chair ruled that the motion to reconsider the vote by which the amendment was adopted prevailed.

So, the Senate reconsidered its action.

Pending the further consideration of the amendment—

The hour for recess arrived, and the Senate, at 6:30 o'clock P. M., took a recess to 8:30 o'clock P. M. today.

NIGHT SESSION—8:30 O'CLOCK

The Senate convened at 8:30 o'clock P. M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hale, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—22.

A quorum present.

Mr. Calkins moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 204 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 204:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Peyton Page, of Nassau County, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 204 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 204, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Calkins moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 204 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 204, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Watson—19.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Overstreet moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 987 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 987:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to William Frost Mobley, of Seminole County, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 987 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 987, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Overstreet moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 987 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 987, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Watson—18.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By permission—

The following bills were introduced:

By Mr. Swearingen—

Senate Bill No. 709:

A bill to be entitled An Act extending the riparian rights of land owners abutting on inland lakes in counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than sixty-three (63,000) thousand and not more than sixty-four (64,000) thousand inhabitants according to the State census of 1925, constituting a part of legally established drainage districts and drainage districts to be established hereafter.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 709 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 709, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill 709 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 709, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson.—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Etheredge—

Senate Bill No. 710:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Sarasota, Florida, by resolution, to issue negotiable interest-bearing bonds, bearing not to exceed six per cent (6%) interest per annum, payable semi-annually, in such form, date of maturity and time and place or places of payment as the said Board of County Commissioners may adopt, up to \$500,000.00, the proceeds of which to be used for the construction of a court house for Sarasota County, Florida, and for furnishing fixtures for said building, and for paving and work incidental to the preparation of the grounds and streets around said building, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds, and to provide for the sale and retirement of same.

Which was read the first time by its title.

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

By Mr. Anderson—

Senate Bill No. 711:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to levy a special tax for publicity purposes.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 711 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 711, with title above stated was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Anderson moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 711 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 711, with title above stated was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips,

Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor
(31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By Mr. Smith —

Senate Bill No. 712:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of
County Commissioners of counties having a population
of 5,321 inhabitants and over, and less than 5,625 inhabi-
tants according to the last Federal census.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Smith moved that the rules be waived and that
Senate Bill No. 712 be read the second time by its title
only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 712, with title above stated, was
read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Smith moved that the rules be waived and that
Senate Bill No. 712 be read the third time in full and put
upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 712, with title above stated, was
read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark,
Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips,
Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor
(31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Turnbull moved to waive the rules and take up
out of its order House Bill No. 1359 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1359:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the nomina-
tion in primaries by the voters of the county at large
of all candidates for county commissioners, and board of
public instruction in Jefferson County, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1359 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1359, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1359 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1359, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Turnbull moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1403 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1403:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Jefferson County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding twenty thousand (\$20,000.00) dollars in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and that

House Bill No. 1403 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1403, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1403 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1403, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By unanimous consent—

Mr. Putnam was permitted to withdraw Senate Bill No. 255 from the Calendar.

And—

Senate Bill No. 676:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Daytona Beach, in the County of Volusia and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known, described and designated as the City of Daytona Beach, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its officers, jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 676 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 676, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 676:

Strike out Section 199, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“The foregoing sections of this Act shall take effect upon their ratification by a majority of the qualified electors voting at a special election to be held within the territorial boundaries described in Section 2 of this Act, provided that 20 per cent of the qualified electors residing in said territory shall petition the Town Council of the Town of Daytona Beach for such election within 60 days after the passage of this Act. If 20 per cent of the qualified electors do not petition the Town Council as aforesaid within 60 days, then, and in that event, this Act shall become a law. The special election herein provided for shall be held at a time to be designated by the Town Council of the Town of Daytona Beach, and the Town Council and town officials of said town shall discharge such duties in connection with the calling and holding of said election as are now required of them by law for special elections, and the said election shall be governed in all respects by the law applying to special elections. Those who are duly qualified electors within the territory above described at the time said special election is held, and no others shall be allowed to vote at said election.

Mr. Putnam moved to lay the amendment in the table. Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 676, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 676, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Coe, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1266:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize certain incorporated cities in the State of Florida to require the erection of protective gates or bars at railway crossings.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and

that House Bill No. 1266 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1266, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1266 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1266, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1333:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the open and closed season of the hunting and shooting of quail and dove in Hamilton County, Florida, and prescribing the open season for catching fresh water fish in Hamilton County, Florida, and providing how they may be caught, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1333 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1333, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1333 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1333, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips,

Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1334:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 5811, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1907, same being the Charter Act of the City of Jasper, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1334 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1334, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Cone moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1334 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1334, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1335:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Putnam County, Florida, to levy a tax not to exceed one mill on the dollar annually on the taxable, real and personal property in said county, to advertise and otherwise give publicity to the natural and other advantages of said county, and to provide the method of expenditure of the moneys arising from said taxes.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that

House Bill No. 1335 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1335, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Russell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1335 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1335, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Turnbull moved that the Senate do reconsider the vote by which it passed House Bill No. 1359.

The question was put upon the motion to reconsider, and the Senate rescinded its action.

On motion the bill was placed on Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

House Bill No. 1325:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1, of Article IX, of Chapter 6805, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913, said Chapter 6805 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1913, being an Act entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Bunnell, St. Johns County, Florida, and to establish, organize and incorporate a Town and Municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Bunnell and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of the same."

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Taylor (31st District) moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1325 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1325, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (31st District) moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1325 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1325, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1328:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the taking of fresh water fish from certain fresh water lakes in Leon County, Florida, during the spawning season, with certain exceptions; and to regulate the manner of taking such fish in said county.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1328 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1328, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1328 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1328, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1324:

A bill to be entitled An Act remitting under certain circumstances the penalties which have accrued or hereafter to accrue prior to January 1, 1926, on the delinquent drainage taxes due to the Bimini Drainage District in Flagler County, Florida, levied for the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924, and providing that the Board of Supervisors of said Bimini Drainage District shall be authorized to remit to any taxpayer under certain circumstances any penalty heretofore paid on delinquent drainage taxes of said district levied for the years 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924 upon the application of taxpayers who have paid such penalties.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist.), moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1324 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1324, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Taylor (31st Dist.), moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1324 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1324, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1313:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, to issue and sell bonds and to levy taxes for the payment of the principal thereof, and interest thereon, without the ordinance proposing the issuance of bonds being approved by a majority vote of the

electors of the city, or without the same being submitted to a vote of the electors of the city, to the full amount of State paving liens held against property within said city and remaining unpaid.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1313 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1313, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1313 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1313, with title above state, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1314:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, validate and confirm all tax assessments, assessments of street improvement and sidewalk liens of the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, and special masters' deeds issued in the foreclosure of tax liens.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1314 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1314, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1314 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1314, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singeary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1315:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 31 of Chapter 7659, Laws of Florida, approved May 30, 1917, entitled "An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville; abolishing certain offices and boards, creating a City Commission, and prescribing its powers and duties; providing for and prescribing the powers and duties of the Trustees of the Jacksonville Free Public Library; creating a Board of Charities and prescribing its powers and duties, and its relation to the Board of County Commissioners; providing other officers and prescribing their powers and duties; and conferring additional jurisdiction, powers and duties on said city."

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1315 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1315, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1315 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1315, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1316:

A bill to be entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, and relating to the paving of streets in said city upon petition of the owners of abutting property.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1316 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1316, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1316 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1316, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1306:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, establish, and designate Road No. 37 extending from New Smyrna to Sanford, a county road of Volusia County, Florida; to invest the Board of County Commissioners of said county with jurisdiction, powers and duties thereover, and prohibiting the State Road Department from interfering in any way with said road, or exercising jurisdiction, power or control thereover.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1306 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1306, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1306 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1306, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1307:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend portions of Chapter 9836, Chapter 9023, Chapter 7672, of the Laws of Florida, relating to the municipal government of the City of Miami Beach, Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1307 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1307, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Watson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1307:

Strike out all Section 6 and make Section 6 read as follows:

Section 6. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to deprive the County of Dade, or the Board of County Commissioners thereof, or the Board of Public Instruction of said county, or any political sub-division in said County of Dade, of the jurisdiction over, or the control, management and possession of any highway, road, park or parkway, school property or equipment or any other property devoted to public uses now or hereafter held, acquired, owned or controlled by or in the possession of either thereof, or interfere therewith, nor shall this Act be construed

to affect or control in any manner whatsoever the conduct or determination of any litigation now pending or hereafter instituted, involving the same or any part or portion thereof, and all the said matters and things herein in this paragraph hereof set forth are hereby specifically excluded from the operation hereof."

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

Mr. Watson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1307:

Add after Section 6, the following:

"Section 7. This Act shall take effect immediately upon its approval by the Governor, or upon its becoming a law without his approval."

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

Mr. Watson moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1307, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1307, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill, as amended, passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1312:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Jacksonville and to include therein the territory now included within the corporate limits of the Town of Murray Hill, and to prescribe the jurisdiction and powers of the City of Jacksonville; to provide for the holding of an election of the Town of Murray Hill and for the submission to the qualified electors of said town the question of its abolishment and inclusion in the City of Jacksonville, and to provide for the abolishment of the Town of Murray Hill and its inclusion in the City of Jacksonville.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1312 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1312, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Butler moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1312 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1312, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1305:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Port Orange, Volusia County, and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Port Orange, in the County of Volusia and State of Florida, and to refuse its territorial boundaries and provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1305 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1305, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1305:

Strike out Section 52 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

“The foregoing sections of this Act shall take effect upon their ratification by a majority of the qualified electors voting a special election to be held within the ter-

territorial boundaries described in Section 2 of this Act, provided that 20% of the qualified electors residing in said territory shall petition the Town Council of the Town of Port Orange for such election within 60 days after the passage of this Act.. If 20% of the qualified electors do not petition the Town Council as aforesaid within 60 days, then and in that event, this Act shall become a law.

The special election herein provided for shall be held at a time to be designated by the Town Council of the Town of Port Orange, and the Town Council and town officials of said town shall discharge such duties in connection with the calling and holding of said election as are now required of them by law for special elections, and the said election shall be governed in all respects by the law applying to special elections. Those who are duly qualified electors within the territory above described at the time said special election is held, and no others shall be allowed to vote as said election.

Mr. Putnam moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1305, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1305, as amended, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill, as amended, passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be certified to the House

Mr. Singletary moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1394 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1394:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present charter and municipal government of the Town of Campbellton in Jackson County, and to create in lieu thereof a new charter and municipal government, to be known as the Town of Campbellton, and provide for its jurisdiction,

powers, privileges and immunities; to validate all taxes, assessments and licenses heretofore made or imposed by the Town of Campbellton, and preserved intact all debts and obligations of said town.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1394 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1394, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1394 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1394, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Swearingen moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1406 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the placing of advertising signs upon the property of another without the written consent of the owner, and to regulate the placing of advertising signs on the rights of way of the public highways of Pinellas County, and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1406 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1406, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1406 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1406, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Calkins moved that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of messages from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has laid on the table—

Senate Bill No. 292:

A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for salaries and other current expenses of the State for two years from June 30, 1925.

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, Fla., June 2, 1925

Hon. John S. Taylor,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted—
House Concurrent Resolution No. 24:

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That by resolution of the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, there be and is hereby created a joint committee on the part of the House and on the part of the Senate to be composed of eight members on the part of the House and nine members on the part of the Senate, selected by the respective branches of the Legislature with authority and direction to prepare an appropriation bill for the years 1925-27 forthwith, and report the same at the earliest possible time, and the House respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 24, contained in the above message, was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Calkins House Concurrent Resolution No. 24 was made a special order for consideration at 10:15 o'clock A. M. tomorrow.

Also—
The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives
Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 321:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1569 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the bond of tax collectors.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 329:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4874 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the duties of inspectors of marks and brands of livestock, and providing certain fees for such inspection.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 518:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, validate and confirm all proceedings had and done in the calling and holding an election in Special Tax School District No. 28 of Jackson County, Florida, on May 12, 1925, and legalizing, validating and confirming an issue of bonds of \$400,000 in pursuance of said election and authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of Jackson County, Florida, to issue said bonds and requiring a tax levy to pay the principal and interest of said bonds.

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 321, 329 and 518, contained in the foregoing 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, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 190:

A bill to be entitled An Act assenting to and accepting the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 11, A. D. 1916, and all amendments thereto, the same being entitled "An Act to provide that the United States shall aid the States in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes," and providing for the levy of a tax on all taxable property in this State to meet the same.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 191:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6182 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to extradition of fugitives from justice, so as to provide for the assessment and collection of a fee of \$5 for the issuance of extradition warrants.

Also —

Senate Bill No. 274:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the protection of the property of the State Institutions of the State of Florida, and belonging to the State Board of Control or to the State Plant Board of said State of Florida, from vandalism and other acts and injuries to said property; and also relating to the protection of soil, muck, clay, rock, minerals, timber and other natural resources or property; and also relating to the protection of game, song bird or other birds and wild animals and relating to the taking of fish from the said property and on the said property of said Board of Control and State Plant Board and under the jurisdiction of the State Institutions of Learning of the State of Florida.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 190, 191, and 274, contained in the foregoing message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

Tallahassee, Fla., June 2, 1925.
House of Representatives,

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1443:

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

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

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

And House Bill No. 1443, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1301:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Daytona, Town of Daytona Beach, and Town of Seabreeze, in County of Volusia and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Daytona Beach in Volusia County and State of Florida. To define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

Also—

House Bill No. 1392:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the board of Public Instruction of Lake County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding sixty thousand (\$60,000.00) dollars and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provisions for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

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

And House Bill No. 1301, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1301 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1301, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Putnam moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1301 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1301, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

And House Bill No. 1392, contained in the foregoing message was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Also—

The following message from the House of Representatives was received:

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Florida, June 2, 1925.

Hon. John S. Taylor,
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. 1342:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining what is legal fence in the County of DeSoto and State of Florida, and providing for the impounding of cattle, horses, hogs, mules, sheep and goats found trespassing within an inclosure enclosed by a legal fence, and providing for a lien on such animals and a method of collecting same.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate thereto.

Very respectfully,

B. A. MEGINNISS,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1342, contained in the foregoing message, was read the first time by its title, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills without reference, under the rule.

Mr. Hale moved to waive the rules and take up out of its order House Bill No. 1309 for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1309:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Hernando in the County of Citrus, State of Florida, and to establish, organize and create a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Hernando, in the County of Citrus and State of Florida.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1309 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1309, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1309 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1309, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was.

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hale, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1310:

A bill to be entitled An Act to organize, incorporate and establish a municipal government for the City of Lecanto, and fix the corporate limits and provide a common seal, and to grant a charter to said municipality and provide for its government and administrations.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1310 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1310, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1310 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1310, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hale, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By permission—

Mr. Hale introduced:

Senate Bill No. 713:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hernando County, to levy not more than two (2) mills on the dollar on all taxable property in said county during the year 1925 and 1926 for the purpose of advertising the resources of Hernando County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 713 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 713, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Hale moved that the rules be further waived and that Senate Bill No. 713 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 713, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Hale, Hodges, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Russell, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Calkins moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate, at 9:40 o'clock P. M., stood adjourned to 10 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, June 3rd, A. D. 1925.

Wednesday, June 3, 1925

The Senate convened at 10 A. M., pursuant to adjournment.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Messrs. Anderson, Butler, Calkins, Clark, Coe, Colson, Cone, Edge, Etheredge, Gillis, Hale, Hineley, Hodges, Knight, Malone, McDaniels, Overstreet, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Russell, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Walker, Watson, Wicker—32.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of June 1st was postponed for correction until to-morrow's session.

The Journal of June 2nd not yet received.

The Senate Journal of Thursday, May 28th, 1925, was corrected as follows:

The eighth line from the bottom of page 68 is hereby corrected to read: "and House Bill No. 1181," instead of "and House Bill No. 181," as it appears in the printed Journal of said date.