

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

By permission—

The following reports were submitted and filed:

Mr. Scales, Chairman of the Committee on Forestry, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1927.

*Hon. S. W. Anderson,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Forestry, to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 847:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful to set fire to any wild forest, woods, lands or marshes by other than the owner of such lands and prescribing penalties for violations hereof; and providing civil liability for all damages by such fires.

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

Very respectfully,

J. H. SCALES,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 847, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

Mr. Hodges, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1927.

*Hon. S. W. Anderson,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

Your Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1752:

A bill to be entitled An Act making an appropriation

for the purchase of uniforms for members of the Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University of Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

WM. C. HODGES,  
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 1752, contained in the above report, was placed on the table under the rule.

Also—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., June 1, 1927.

*Hon. S. W. Anderson,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

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

House Bill No. 1613:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a State road to be known as State Road No. 166.

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

Very respectfully,

T. T. TURNBULL,  
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 1613, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Florida, June 1, 1927.

*Hon. S. W. Anderson,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Sir:*

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

House Bill No. 1554:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road to be known as State Road Number Ninety-eight.

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

Very respectfully,

T. T. TURNBULL,  
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 1554, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Mr. Singletary moved to waive the rules and the Senate do now take and consider House Bill No. 1289.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1289:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Dr. G. E. Pace, representative of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, on account of money belonging to the State on deposit in the Peoples Bank of Marianna to the credit of Dr. G. E. Pace and lost on account of the closing of said bank.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Mr. Singletary moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1289 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. 1289, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Cobb, Gary, Gillis, Hodges, McClellan, Malone, Mitchell, Overstreet, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Stewart, Taylor (11th Dist.), Turnbull, Wagg, Watson, Waybright—20.

Nays—Senator Whitaker—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. Dell moved to waive the rules and the Senate do now take and consider House Bill No. 1554.

And—

House Bill No. 1554:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road to be known as State Road number ninety-eight.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Mr. Dell moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1554 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. 1554, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr President, Senators Caro, Cobb, Dell, Edge, Etheredge, Gary, Gillis, Glynn, Hale, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Jennings, Knight, McCall, McClellan, Malone, Mitchell, Overstreet, Parrish, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor (11th Dist.), Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Walker, Watson, Waybright, Whitaker—38.

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—

Senator Turnbull introduced—

Senate Bill No. 932:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, empowering and directing the State Road Department of the State of Florida to number and re-number State roads designated as such by the Legislature of 1927.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 932 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 932, with title above stated, was read the second time by its title only.

Mr. Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and that Senate Bill No. 932 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. 932, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Caro, Cobb, Gary, Gillis, Glynn, Hinely, Hodges, Jennings, McCall, McClellan, Mitchell, Parrish, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright—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.

By consent—

Mr. Gillis, as chairman of Committee on Judiciary B, placed on the Calendar four bills, Nos. Senate Bill 807, Senate Bill 808, House Bill 1342, and House Bill 1458, as the committee will be unable to consider said bills owing to the lateness of the session.

Mr. Rowe moved to waive the rules and the Senate do now take up and consider House Bill No. 140.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 140:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6009 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida of 1920, relating to peremptory challenges of jurors by State and defendant.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Mr. Rowe moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 140 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. 140, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Cobb, Gary, Gillis, Glynn, Hinely, Knight, Mitchell, Parrish, Phillips, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (11th Dist.), Taylor (31st Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Watson, Waybright—21.

Nays—Senators Edge, Hale, Hodges, Jennings, McCall, McClellan, Malone, Stewart, Wagg, Whitaker—10.

So the bill passed, title as stated .

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

The following report was read :

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

*Hon. S. W. Anderson,*  
*President of the Senate.*

*Hon. Fred H. Davis,*  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

*Dear Sir :*

The Joint Conference Committee, appointed by the Senate and the House of Representatives, has considered the matter of House Bill 1274, viz. :

“An Act providing for a Special Educational Fund to be apportioned to the various counties for the maintenance of the Public Free Schools and supplying free text books in said counties, and repealing Chapter 10254, Laws of Florida.”

And the Senate amendments thereto, viz. :

“Strike out Section 3” and insert in lieu thereof the following : “That Section 4 of Chapter 10254, Acts of 1925, be amended to read as follows: after the word ‘shipped’ in line 13, add: provided, however, that any county school board may be permitted to accept an equal amount in cash in lieu of said books as provided for in this section, and the State Superintendent is hereby directed to pay over to said County an amount equal to the invoice of said books and cancel the requisition for books of said county. If any county or counties shall accept money as heretofore provided for in place of its quota of books, the said money may be used for the maintenance of the public free schools of said counties, provided, further, however, that no county shall receive more money than its proportional part as provided for in Section 2 of this Act.”

“In the title” . . . strike out the word “repealing” and insert in lieu thereof the following: “amending.”

“In section 2, line 6” strike out after the word “years,” balance of section.

And do unanimously recommend that the Senate recede from these amendments.

JOHN S. TAYLOR,  
J. MAXEY DELL,  
WM. C. HODGES,  
WM. A. MACKENZIE,  
S. PHILIPS,  
FRED M. VALZ.

Mr. Taylor (11th Dist.) moved that the Senate adopt the above report.

Which was agreed to.

And the report was adopted.

By unanimous consent—

Mr. Wagg withdrew House Bill No. 1133 from the Calendar of General Bills and placed it on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

Mr. McCall moved to waive the rules and the Senate do now take up and consider House Bill No. 5.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 5:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful to set fire to any wild forest, woods, land or marshes by other than the owner of such lands, and prescribing penalties for violations hereof; and providing civil liability for all damages caused by such fires.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Mr. Knight offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 5:

In Section 1, line 1, after word “whoever” insert the word “willfully”.

Mr. Knight moved the adoption of the amendment.

The amendment was not agreed to.

Mr. McCall moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 5 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. 5, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Cobb, Etheredge, Gary, Glynn, Hodges, Jennings, McCall, Parrish, Putnam, Scales, Singletary, Swearingen, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Whitaker—19.

Nays—Senators Edge, Gillis, Hinely, Knight, McClellan, Mitchell, Rowe, Smith—8.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Mr. Scales moved to waive the rules and the Senate do now take and consider House Bill No. 559.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 559:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3298 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to hearing, final decree and appeal in proceedings to validate bonds.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Mr. Scales moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 559 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. 559, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Cobb, Edge, Gary, Gillis, Hinely, Hodges, Jennings, Knight, McClellan, Mitchell, Parrish, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Taylor (31st Dist.), Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright—20.

So the bill passed.

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

Mr. Hodges moved to waive the rules and the Senate do now take up and consider—

House Bill No. 979:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Hugh L. Mays, of Tallahassee, Florida.

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

Mr. Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 979 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. 979, with title above stated, was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Cobb, Dell, Edge, Gary, Gillis, Glynn, Hinely, Jennings, Knight, McClellan, Mitchell, Parrish, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Smith, Swearingen, Taylor (11th Dist.), Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright—25.

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.

At 6:40 o'clock P. M., the Senate stood adjourned until 10:00 o'clock A. M. Thursday, June 2, 1927.