

# JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1929

The Senate convened at eleven o'clock, a. m., pursuant to adjournment on Thursday, April 11, 1929.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Neel, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—38.

A quorum present.

Prayer by Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of April 11, 1929, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

## REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Mr. J. M. Dell, of 32nd. District, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 12th, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred: Senate Bill No. 35:

An Act to Authorize the City of Leesburg, Florida, to Incur Indebtedness for the Purpose of Paying Principal and/or Interest on Any Bonded Indebtedness of said City in the Event of Deficiency in the Fund or Funds Provided for Such Payments.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 54:

An Act to Authorize and Empower the City of Orlando, by its Governing Authority to Borrow Money in Anticipation of Receipt of Taxes and to Issue its Promissory Note Therefor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 56:

An Act to Authorize the City of Orlando, Florida, to Borrow Money in Anticipation of Collection of Delinquent Taxes and to Issue Negotiable Notes of such City for Money so Borrowed.

Also—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5:

A Resolution upon the death of Dr. Albert Alexander Murphree, late President of the University of Florida.

Also—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4:

A Resolution Granting the Use of the Senate Chamber and the Hall of Representatives, and Legislative Committee Rooms in the State Capitol, if needed, for Use of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Florida During Its Centennial Session in Tallahassee in April, 1930.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly enrolled and herewith present the same for the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

Very respectfully,

J. MAXEY DELL  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on  
Enrolled Bills on the Part  
of the Senate.

The Bills and Resolutions contained in the above report were thereupon duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session, and ordered referred to the Chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate to be conveyed to the House for the signatures of the Speaker and Chief Clerk thereof.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator A. M. Taylor, of 31st District, Chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 12, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 60:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 8502, Laws of Florida, being an act entitled: "An Act to regulate and provide for the Military forces of the State of Florida, and to promote its efficiency; to prescribe rules, regulations and means for its organization, administration, armament, equipment, discipline, control and supervision; to provide for its maintenance, support and upkeep; to authorize and empower the Governor of Florida to make and publish Rules and Regulations for the reorganization of the Florida National Guard, in conformity to Acts of Congress relating to the National Guard; to authorize the Governor to take necessary steps for procuring aid, equipment and appropriations from the Federal Government for the National Guard; to provide means for the enforcement of this Act to fix penalties and punishments for the violation of this Act; and to repeal articles I, II, and III of Chapter I, Military Code of Florida, under Title VIII Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, as amended by the Act approved June 7, 1923, as such Chapter 8502 was amended by the Act approved June 7, 1923, the same being Chapter 9337, Laws of Florida, and by the Act approved May 28, 1925, being Chapter 10185, Laws of Florida," as such Chapter 8502 was amended by Chapter 12089, Laws of Florida, approved May 30, 1927; and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith.

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

Very respectfully,

A. M. TAYLOR,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 60, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator J. J. Swearingen, of 7th District, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary "B", to whom was referred: Senate Bill No. 25:

"A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Section 5751, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, Relating to Deficiency Decrees and Common Law Suit to Recover Deficiency."

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 25, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator J. J. Swearingen, of 7th District, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary "B", to whom was referred: Senate Bill No. 72:

"A Bill to be Entitled An Act to Amend Section 3431 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, relating to the Right to a Writ of Garnishment."

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 72, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. J. J. Swearingen, of Seventh District, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11th, 1927.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary "B", to whom was referred—

Senate Bill No. 66, entitled:

"A bill to be entitled an Act to amend Section 5276 of Article 11 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, entitled Article 11, "Notice of Institution of Suit, Personal and by Publication."

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

Very respectfully,  
JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 66, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Mr. J. J. Swearingen, of Seventh District, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11th, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:  
Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 62, entitled:

"A bill to be entitled an Act to Repeal Chapter 12409 Acts of the Legislature of 1927, being An Act to Amend Sections 777, 794 and 795 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to notice of application for Tax Deed, Manner of Obtaining Tax Deed. Limitation of Time in which Suit may be Brought, and refunding of taxes and other expenses where land is recovered from tax deed holders."

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

Very respectfully,  
JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 62, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator J. J. Swearingen, of Seventh District, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11th, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:  
Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 61, entitled:

"A bill to be entitled An Act to Repeal Chapter 11,829 Acts of the Legislature of 1927, being an Act requiring each corporation doing business in the State of Florida to file with the Secretary of State a certificate either designating the office of a Clerk of a Circuit Court and the Clerk of said Court for any county as its office and agent for the service of process, or a certificate showing its office or place of business for the service of process in this State and accurately and correctly stating the location thereof, and also requiring said corporation to keep its office or place of business open during certain hours of each and every day, excepting Sundays and legal holidays, and requiring each of said corporations to keep at said office during said hours one or more officers or agents and providing that process in all civil cases issuing out of any of the Courts in this State may be served upon any officer, director or agent of said corporation at said office, and providing for service of process by publication upon any corporation that shall fail or refuse to file said certificate within the Secretary of State, or that shall fail or refuse to keep its office at its place of business open during the hours and upon the days hereinafter designated, or that shall fail or refuse to keep at said office during said hours one or more officers or agents, and providing for service of process by publication upon any association or foreign corporation which shall not have qualified to do business in this State, but which shall have or appear to have, or to have had, any interest in property within this State, providing that foreign corporations which have heretofore and shall hereafter qualify to transact business in this State shall file with the Secretary of State a list of their officers and directors; providing the conditions under which foreign corporations may maintain actions in the courts of this State, and other purposes."

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

Very respectfully,  
JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 61, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator J. J. Swearingen, of Seventh District, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:  
Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 50, entitled:  
"A bill to be entitled An Act to Provide Additional Penalties and Disqualifications to be Imposed upon Persons Convicted of the Offense of Operating a Motor Vehicle while Drunk."

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

Very respectfully,  
JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 50, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator J. J. Swearingen, of Seventh District, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:  
Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 40, entitled:  
"A bill to be entitled An Act Relating to the Issuing of State Licenses to Persons, Firms or Corporations Engaged in the Solicitation and Sale of Insurance in the State of Florida."

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

Very respectfully,  
JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 40, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator J. J. Swearingen, of Seventh District, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:  
Senate Bill No. 16, entitled:

"A Bill to be entitled An Act Ratifying, Validating and Confirming all Conveyances of Land Heretofore made by the Board of County Commissioners of any County in the State of Florida, or by or under the Authority of any such Board."

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

Very respectfully,  
JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,  
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 16, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Caro—  
Senate Bill No. 119:

A bill to be entitled An Act recognizing, granting and confirming power and authority in the County of Escambia to purchase from the United States that portion of Santa Rosa Island authorized to be sold by the Act of Congress, Chapter 54, approved March 12, 1926, declaring such power to have existed at the time of and ever since the passage of said Act authorizing said County of Escambia to hold and retain and use or to permit by license, lease or otherwise the use of said land only for public purpose in accordance with Section 7 of said Act of Congress and with the Act of Congress Chapter 883 approved May 29, 1928, and ratifying, validating and confirming all acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County heretofore had or done relative to the purchase, acquiring title to and the present and future use of said property for public purposes.

Which was read the first time by its title, together with the following notice and certificate of publication.

ESCAMBIA COUNTY

Pensacola, Fla., February 2, 1929.

To NEWS-JOURNAL COMPANY

STATE OF FLORIDA,  
Escambia County.

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, personally appeared John H. Payne, who being duly sworn, says upon oath that he is the Publisher of the Pensacola Journal, a newspaper published in the City of Pensacola, County of Escambia, State of Florida, and that the notice in re:

Intention of the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, to apply to the Legislature of the State of Florida for the passage of a local bill to recognize, etc., power and authority of Escambia Co. to purchase from the U. S. portion of Santa Rosa Is. authorized by Act of Congress Chap. 54 approved March 12, 1926.

A true copy of which is hereto attached, was published in the said newspaper once a week for the full term and period of five consecutive weeks, beginning on the 5th day of January, 1929, the other dates being as follows:

January 12-19-26 February 2—1929.

(Signed) JOHN H. PAYNE,  
Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 4th day of February A. D. 1929.

(Signed) V. A. BRUNO,  
Notary Public.  
Notary Public for the State of Florida at Large.  
My Commission expires March 18, 1930.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN of the intention of the undersigned to apply to the Legislature of the State of Florida at its regular session for the passage of a local or special bill. The substance of said bill and contemplated law is to recognize, grant and confirm power and authority in the County of Escambia to purchase from the United States that portion of Santa Rosa Island authorized to be sold by the Act of Congress Chap. 54, approved March 12, 1926: to declare such power to have existed at the time of and ever since the passage of said act: to authorize said County to hold, retain and use or to permit by license, lease or otherwise the use of said land only for public purposes in accordance with Section 7 of said act of Congress and with the Act of Congress Chap. 883, approved May 29, 1928, and ratifying, validating and confirming all acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of said County of Escambia heretofore had or done relative to the purchase, acquiring title to and the present and future use of said property for public purposes. The bill or contemplated law will also contain a provision that it shall take effect immediately upon its becoming a law.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

(Seal) By H. E. GANDY,  
Chairman.

Which was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading without reference.

By Senator Caro—  
Senate Bill No. 120:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 12720, approved June 3, 1927, entitled, "An Act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties to grant an exclusive franchise for the construction and operation of a toll bridge across Escambia Bay; authorizing the owner of such franchise to condemn property for such bridge with causeway and approaches; authorizing the Railroad Commissioners to fix maximum tolls for and to approve rules and regulations with reference to the use of said bridge and reserving to the State and said Counties, or either of them, the right to purchase said bridge," and to prohibit the construction, operation and maintenance by any person, or corporation or by the State or any subdivision or agency thereof of any ferry or tunnel and of any bridge or causeway except the one authorized by said Chapter connecting Santa Rosa Peninsular with the mainland at any point between Muscogee wharf in Pensacola and Escambia bridge on State Road No. 1 and granting jurisdiction to Courts of Equity to enjoin the construction and operation of such ferry, tunnel or other bridge or causeway.

Which was read the first time by its title, together with the following notice and certificate of publication:

ESCAMBIA COUNTY

Pensacola, Fla., March 9, 1929.

To NEWS-JOURNAL COMPANY, D.

To publishing attached notice five times, \$13.88

STATE OF FLORIDA  
ESCAMBIA COUNTY

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, personally appeared John H. Payne, who being duly sworn, says upon oath that he is the Publisher of the PENSACOLA JOURNAL, a newspaper published in the City of Pensacola, County of Escambia State of Florida, and that the notice in re:

Santa Rosa Island—Intention of Bd. of Co. Commissioners to apply to Legislature of State of Florida for passage of special bill—Connection Santa Rosa Peninsular with the mainland at any point between Muscogee Wharf in Pensacola and Escambia Bridge on State Road No. 1.

A true copy of which is hereto attached, was published in the said newspaper once a week for the full term and period of five consecutive weeks, beginning on the 9th day of February, 1929, the other dates being as follows:

Feb. 16, 23, March 2, 9, 1929.

(Signed) JOHN H. PAYNE,  
Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 16th day of March A. D. 1929.

(Signed) V. A. BRUNO,  
Notary Public.

Notary Public for the State of Florida at Large.  
My Commission Expires Mar. 18, 1930.

NOTICE

is hereby given of the intention of the undersigned to apply to the Legislature of the State of Florida at its next regular session for the passage of a local or special bill. The substance of said bill and contemplated law is to amend Section 3 of Chapter 12720, approved June 3, 1927, so that said section as amended shall read as follows: "Sec. 3. No person, persons or corporation nor the State of Florida nor any subdivision or agency thereof shall after the franchise herein authorized is granted, construct, operate or maintain any ferry, tunnel or other bridge or causeway connecting Santa Rosa Peninsular with the mainland at any point between Muscogee Wharf in Pensacola and Escambia Bridge on State Road No. 1, and the construction and operation of any ferry, tunnel or other bridge or causeway and highway connecting Santa Rosa Peninsular with the mainland between said wharf and bridge may be enjoined by proper proceedings in any Court of Equity having jurisdiction, provided nothing herein contained shall prevent the Construction and operation of railway and street railway bridges for railway and street railway uses only at any time, provided, however, if the bridge authorized to be built hereunder shall not be completed and put into operation within the time required by such franchise, another franchise may be granted according to the terms of this act." The bill or contemplated law will also contain a provision that it shall take effect immediately upon its becoming a law.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

By W. C. BARRINEAU,  
Chairman.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SANTA ROSA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

By C. H. OVERMAN,  
Chairman.

Which was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading without reference.

By Senator Caro.—  
Senate Bill No. 121:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County of Escambia to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing time warrants in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00, the proceeds to be used for the purchase from the United States of that portion of Santa Rosa Island authorized to be sold by the Act of Congress, Chapter 54, Approved March 12, 1926: to require the levy of taxes to pay the interest upon, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of said time warrants under the laws of this State.

Which was read the first time by its title together with the following notice and certificate of publication.

Pensacola Fla., February 2, 1929.

Escambia County  
To News-Journal Company,  
STATE OF FLORIDA }

ESCAMBIA COUNTY

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, personally appeared John H. Payne who being

duly sworn, says upon oath that he is the Publisher of the Pensacola Journal, a newspaper published in the City of Pensacola, County of Escambia, State of Florida, and that the notice in re:

Intention of the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County to apply to the Legislature of the State of Florida at its next regular session of the passage of a local bill to authorize the County of Escambia to issue, etc., negotiable interest bearing time warrants, etc., for purchase from U. S. of portion of Santa Rosa Island. Congress Chapter 54.

A true copy of which is hereto attached, was published in the said newspaper once a week for the full term and period of five consecutive weeks, beginning on the 5th day of January, 1929, the other dates being as follows:  
January 12-19-26—February 2, 1929.

(Signed) JOHN H. PAYNE,  
Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 4th day of February A. D. 1929.

(Signed) V. A. BRUNO,  
Notary Public.

Notary Public for the State of Florida at large.  
My commission expires March 18, 1930.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN of the intention of the undersigned to apply to the Legislature of the State of Florida at its next regular session for the passage of a local or special bill. The substance of said bill and contemplated law is to authorize the County of Escambia to issue, and to sell publicly or privately, as its Board of County Commissioners may determine negotiable interest bearing time warrants of said county in an amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars, the proceeds to be used for the purchase from the United States by said county of that portion of Santa Rosa Island Authorized to be sold by the Act of Congress Chapter 54, approved March 12, 1926, said warrants to bear interest at a rate not exceeding 6% per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually or annually as said Board may determine, the principal of said warrants to become due in such amounts and at such time or times not to exceed five years from the date of their issuance as said Board may determine, to require said Board to levy and collect annually a tax upon all of the taxable property of said county sufficient to pay the interest as it shall become due upon said time warrants, and to levy and collect annually a tax upon all of the taxable property of the said county sufficient to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal or installments of the principal of said time warrants as and when same shall become due, to declare that said time warrants shall be deemed and treated in every respect as negotiable paper and to authorize the validation of said time warrants under and in pursuance of the laws of this State providing for the validation of bonds or certificates of indebtedness by counties if said Board deems it advisable to validate same. The bill or contemplated law will also repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict with its provisions, and will contain a provision that it shall take effect immediately upon its becoming a law.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

(Seal)

By H. E. GANDY,  
Chairman.

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Which was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading without reference.

By Senator Adams—  
Senate Bill No. 122:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the issuance of search warrants by the Mayor's Court of the Town of Crestview, Florida, the search of same, and for the giving of bond by the Administrative Officer serving such warrants.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading without reference.

By Senator Hinely—  
Senate Bill No. 123:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to Mrs. Blannie M. Broome, widow of M. E. Broome, of Live Oak, Florida.

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

By Senator Hinely—  
Senate Bill No. 124:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting pension to John P. Howland, Sr., of Live Oak, Florida.

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

By Senator Malone—  
Senate Bill No. 125:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring all persons owning or having the control or management of property to make and file tax returns and prescribing the oath to said returns and providing a penalty for any one neglecting or refusing to make said returns.

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

By Senator Wagg—  
Senate Bill No. 126:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3049, of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to the contracting of the territorial limits of cities and towns.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

By Senator Parrish—  
Senate Bill No. 127:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 34, Chapter 1637, Acts of Florida, 1868, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 5160, Acts of Florida, 1903, and known as Section 7247 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, by defining certain exceptions thereto and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.

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

By Senator Caro—  
Senate Bill No. 128:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Section 3658 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927.

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

By Senator King—  
Senate Bill No. 129:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 774, Revised General Statutes of Florida, being Section 988, Compiled General Laws of 1927, Relating to the Rate of Interest to be charged on the Redemption of Tax Certificates held by the State on Taxes in arrears prior to January first, 1928, and Providing a time within which such Certificates may be redeemed at eight (8%) per cent per annum, in Lieu of Interest, Penalties and Costs now fixed by law.

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

By Senator Adams—  
Senate Bill No. 130:

A bill to be entitled An Act to divert, transfer and to authorize the State Road Department of Florida to appropriate the remainder of moneys deposited with it by the Board of County Commissioners of Okaloosa County, Florida, for State Road No. 10—twenty-six thousand dollars (\$26,000.00) to State Road No. 54, and the remainder to County Road extending from the intersection of State Road No. 10 at or near Valparaiso, Florida, to the Santa Rosa County line.

Senator Adams moved to waive the rule and that Senate Bill No. 130 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 130 was read the second time in full.

Mr. Adams moved that the rule be further waived, and that Senate Bill No. 130 be read the third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 130 was read the third time in full.

Upon the\*passage of the Bill, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President: Senators Adams, Anderson, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Young—34.

Nays—None.

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.

By Senator Harrison—  
Senate Bill No. 131:

A bill to be entitled An Act Consenting to the Acquisition by the United States of Land, Water, or Land and Water, within the State of Florida for Migratory-Bird Reservations Authorized by Act of Congress of February 18th, 1929.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Game and Fish.

By Senator Watson—  
Senate Bill No. 132:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Section 769, Revised General Statutes of Florida, being Section 984, Compiled General Laws of 1927, relating to assessment for taxes, and sale of lands previously sold to the State for non-payment of taxes, and providing that all lands sold to the State for taxes shall be assessed each and every year for the non-payment of the taxes due for the year in which the land is sold.

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

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House of Representatives,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 12, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

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

By Senator Rowe—  
Senate Bill No. 69:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 42 of Chapter 4313, Acts of 1893, being "An Act to Abolish the Present Municipal Government of the Town of Madison, Florida, and to Provide a Town Government Therefor." Said section relating to the levying and collection of taxes and licenses.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 69, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

BILLS ON SECOND READING

Senate Bill No. 43:

Was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 59:

A bill to be entitled An Act as to the admission as evidence in courts of this State of certificates issued under authority of the Congress of the United States or certified copies thereof, relating to the grade, classification, quality or condition of agricultural products.

Was taken up in its order.

There being no amendment offered, Senate Bill No. 59 was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the third reading.

By permission, Mr. Hodges introduced Senate Bill No. 133.

By Senator Hodges—  
Senate Bill No. 133:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the expenditure of the unexpended balance of the appropriation made to the Attorney General's Department for Indexing and Side-noting Laws, for the purpose of discharging outside obligations against the Attorney General's office for the purchase of Law Books and payment of subscriptions to Judicial Reporter systems.

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

LOCAL BILLS ON SECOND READING

Senate Bill No. 98:

Was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 104:

A bill to be entitled An Act to dedicate and set aside certain land owned by the City of Lake City, Florida, lying on the west side of State Highway No. 2 in Columbia County, Florida, for park and beautification purposes.

Was taken up in its order and was read the second time.

There being no amendment offered, Senate Bill No. 104 was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the third reading.

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Sections 78 and 79, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, Being Sections 94 and 95 Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, Relating to the Publication of Notice of Intention to Pass Special or Local Laws and Proof of Publication of Such Notice.

Was taken up in its order and was read the second time in full.

Senator Gary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1:

In Section 1, line 11 (printed bill), strike out the words "one time" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four times."

Senator Gary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Senator Rowe offered the following substitute amendment to House Bill No. 1:

In Section 1, line 11 (printed bill), strike out the words "one time" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "four times, the first publication of which shall be".

Senator Rowe moved the adoption of the substitute for the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the amendment.

By permission Mr. Gary withdrew his amendment.

Senator Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1:

In Section 1, line 13 (printed bill), after the word "or," insert the following: "If there be no such newspaper then"

Senator Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Senator McCall moved that the rule be waived, and that House Bill No. 1, as amended, be read the third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1, as amended, was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—35.

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. 99 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senator J. M. Dell of 32nd. District Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., April 11th, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,  
President of the Senate.

Sir:  
Your committee on Enrolled Bills to whom was referred—  
Senate Bill No. 35:

An Act to authorize the City of Leesburg, Florida, to incur indebtedness for the purpose of paying principal and/or interest on any bonded indebtedness of said City in the event of deficiency in the fund or funds provided for such payments.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 54:

An Act to authorize and empower the City of Orlando, by its governing authority to borrow money in anticipation of receipt of taxes and to issue its promissory note therefor.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 56:

An Act to authorize the City of Orlando, Florida, to borrow money in anticipation of collection of delinquent taxes and to issue negotiable notes of such City for money so borrowed.

Also—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5:

A Resolution upon the death of Dr. Albert Alexander Murphree, late President of the University of Florida.

Also—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4:

A Resolution granting the use of the Senate Chamber and the Hall of Representatives, and Legislative Committee Rooms in the State Capitol, if needed, for use of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Florida during its Centennial Session in Tallahassee in April, 1930.

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

Very respectfully,

J. MAXEY DELL,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills  
on the Part of Senate.

Senator Malone moved that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of executive communications:

Which was agreed to, and at 12:07 o'clock p. m. the Senate closed its doors and went into executive session.

The Senate emerged from the executive session at 1:40 o'clock p. m.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Hinely, Hodzes, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Neel, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Welsh, Whitaker—33.

A quorum present.

On motion of Mr. Anderson, the Senate took a recess to 3:30 o'clock p. m. this day.

### AFTERNOON SESSION

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, Senators Adams, Anderson, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Neel, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Stewart, Swearingen, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—34.

A quorum present.

Senator Malone moved that the Senate do now go into Executive Session.

Which was agreed to, and at 3:35 o'clock, p. m., the Senate closed its doors and went into Executive Session.

At 5:55 o'clock, p. m., the Senate emerged from Executive Session and resumed its regular session.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Neel, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—36.

A quorum present.

Senator Turner moved that the Senate do now adjourn until four o'clock p. m., Monday, April 15.

Mr. Wagg moved that the Senate do now adjourn until eleven o'clock a. m., Monday, April 15.

The question was put upon the motion of Mr. Turner to adjourn until four o'clock P. M. Monday.

The motion was agreed to

Whereupon, the Senate stood adjourned at 5:57 o'clock P. M. until four o'clock P. M., Monday, April 15, 1929.

### EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Senate in Executive Session this the 12th day of April, 1929, refused to consent to the appointment by the Governor of Morris Givens to be Solicitor of the Criminal Court of Record in and for Hillsborough County, Florida.