

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1929

The Senate convened at 11 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment on Monday, May 20, 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, Wag, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—38.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Rev. Ray Y. Walden.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of May 20, 1929, was corrected as follows:

On page 5, column 2, between lines 57 and 58 insert the following:

House Bill No. 995:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate certain notes, time warrants, evidences of indebtedness and a mortgage of the Town of Hallandale, Florida.

Also—

On page 9, column 1, line 20, between the figure "20," and the word "line" insert "page 23."

And as corrected the Journal was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Rowe, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "C," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21st, 1929.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Judiciary "C," to whom was referred—
Senate Bill No. 493:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for mechanics' liens on real estate and the improvements thereon, including liens for labor and materials furnished for improvement, repair, rehabilitation and demolition; providing for date of attachment of liens and priorities of liens; providing duties of owners and other interested parties; providing penalties for misapplication of funds and for furnishing false statements; providing for repossession of materials and removal and sale of improvements; making husband and wife agents for each other; making proceeds of insurance assets for payment of liens; providing for transfer of lien to substituted security and making surety bond a specific lien; providing for service of notice, assignment and discharge of lien; providing that the terms of contract and statement of accounts may be demanded; making certain building materials unattachable; providing for judgments in case of failure to establish lien; providing for enforcement of liens; and the repeal of Acts inconsistent herewith.

Have had same under consideration, and report same without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

R. H. ROWE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 493, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—

Senator Rowe, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "C," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1929.

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

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 67:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 394, Revised General Statutes, relating to issuance of commissions by the Governor and fees to be collected therefor.

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

Committee amendment suggested:

In Section 1, line 12, typewritten bill, strike out the word "five" and insert in lieu thereof "two."

Very respectfully,

R. H. ROWE,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 67, contained in the above report, together with committee amendment, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Singletary, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 200:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define, establish and fix a definite policy and plan for the development of road and highway beautification and conservation, making it a part of and the inclusion of it in all road construction building programs of the State Road Department and of the County Commissioners of Florida; fixing uniform and standard rights-of-way; providing funds for the work; creating the position of "director of conservation," defining his official status, duties, salary, and the manner of his appointment.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend a substitute for Senate Bill No. 200:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define, establish and fix a definite policy and plan for the development of road and highway beautification and conservation; making it a part of and the inclusion of it in all road construction building programs of the State Road Department and of the county roads under Boards of County Commissioners of Florida; fixing uniform and standard rights-of-way; providing funds for the work; creating the position of "director of conservation," defining his duties, salary and the manner of his appointment.

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

Very respectfully,

W. J. SINGLETARY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 200, with committee substitute therefor, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

Senator Singletary, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

Sir:

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18:

Memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting that Legislation be enacted by said Congress to place the uncompleted portions of the Gulf Coastal Highway in the Federal seven per cent system of highways.

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

Very respectfully,

W. J. SINGLETARY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

Senator Singletary, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

Sir:
Your Committee on Public Roads and Highways, to whom was referred.

House Bill No. 938:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the State Road Department to maintain those certain roads in Volusia County designated State Roads Numbers 21 and 57.

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

Very respectfully,
W. J. SINGLETARY,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 938, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—
Senator Singletary, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929

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

Sir:
Your Committee on Public Roads and Highways, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 282:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923; the same being Section 1280 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to terms "Motor Vehicles," "Local Authorities," "Owner," "Chauffeur," "Trailer," "Semi-Trailer," "Motorcycle," "Side Car," "Solid Tires," "Pneumatic Tires," "Truck," "Tractor," "For Hire," defined.

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

Very respectfully,
W. J. SINGLETARY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 282, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator King, Chairman of the Committee on Cities and Towns, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1929.

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

Sir:
Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to whom was referred:
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.

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

Very respectfully,
FRANKLIN O. KING,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 126, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—
Senator King, Chairman of the Committee on Cities and Towns, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1929.

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

Sir:
Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to whom was referred:
House Bill No. 95:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering incorporated cities and towns in the State of Florida to regulate and restrict the height and number of stories and size of buildings and other structures the percentage of lots and parcels that may be occupied by such buildings, the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population and location and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence or other purposes; providing for the appointment of zoning commissions by the legislative body of said incorporated cities and towns; also, providing for the appointment by the

legislative body of said incorporated cities and towns of boards of adjustment; and providing for the method, manner and procedure in carrying out the purpose and intent of this Act.

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the same, with the following amendment thereto, do pass:

Committee Amendment suggested:

In Section 5, line 9, after the word "vote," strike out the words, "of three-fourths" and insert in lieu thereof, "of two-thirds."

Very respectfully,
FRANKLIN O. KING,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 95, contained in the above report, together with committee amendment, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—
Senator King, Chairman of the Committee on Cities and Towns, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1929.

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

Sir:
Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to whom was referred—
House Bill No. 146:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit cities, incorporated towns and villages from annexing additional territory to the corporate body without the consent of the citizens in the territory to be annexed.

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

Very respectfully,
FRANKLIN O. KING,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 146, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Whitaker, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

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

House Bill No. 368:

A bill to be entitled An Act empowering the Supreme Court of Florida to prescribe, by general rules, for the several classes of courts in this State, the forms of process, writs, pleadings, motions, and the practice and procedure in actions at law and in suits of equity, and providing that all laws in conflict with such rules shall be of no further force or effect.

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

Amendment No. 1.—Strike out all of Section One (1) and insert in lieu thereof the following: "That the Supreme Court of the State of Florida shall have power to prescribe from time to time the rules, forms of process, writs, pleadings, motions, and the practice and procedure in actions at law and suits in equity pending in said Supreme Court. They shall take effect at such time after their promulgation as may be designated by the Supreme Court, and thereafter all laws in conflict therewith shall be of no other force or effect."

Very respectfully,
PAT WHITAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 368, contained in the above report, together with committee amendment, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—
Senator Whitaker, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20th, 1929

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

Sir:
Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to whom was referred:
Senate Bill No. 363:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the eligibility, election and appointment of county judges in counties of certain populations of the State of Florida.

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

Very respectfully,
PAT WHITAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 363, contained in the above report, was placed on the table.

Also—
Senator Whitaker, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20th, 1929.

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

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

Senate Bill No. 501:
A bill to be entitled An Act creating the Florida Development Commission, providing the appointment of its members, and prescribing the duties and powers of such commission.

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

Very respectfully,
PAT WHITAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 501, contained in the above report, was placed on the table.

Also—
Senator Whitaker, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

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

Senate Bill No. 503:
A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful for any person to serve upon a jury more than one time in one year. And to make it reversible error for a juror to sit a second time and serve in the same court in the same year.

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

Very respectfully,
PAT WHITAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 503, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—
Senator Whitaker, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

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

Senate Bill No. 434:
A bill to be entitled An Act defining estates in entirety and vesting Circuit Courts in Chancery of the State of Florida with power to terminate estates in entirety and declare same joint estates and impairing Courts of this State having jurisdiction of the subject matter and of the complainant in divorce cases to obtain jurisdiction of defendant in divorce cases and vesting such courts with authority to award alimony, court costs, attorneys' fees and to create liens for such alimony, for costs and attorneys' fees upon the property or the interests therein of the defendant in such cases and to provide for the support and maintenance of the children of the complainant and defendant in divorce proceedings, and in addition the powers above enumerated shall have the power to provide for the support of such children aforesaid and etc.

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

Very respectfully,
PAT WHITAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 434, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—
Senator Whitaker, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

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

Senate Bill No. 364:
A bill to be entitled An Act to make enforceable agreements for the arbitration of disputes.

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

Very respectfully,
PAT WHITAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 364, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—
Senator Whitaker, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

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

Senate Bill No. 389:
A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3508 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida of 1920, the same being Section 5369 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida of 1927, relating to statutory liens upon personal property.

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

Very respectfully,
PAT WHITAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 389, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—
Senator Whitaker, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A", submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

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

Senate Bill No. 410:
A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the manner of obtaining tax deeds and what defenses can be urged against the issue thereof and to repeal laws inconsistent herewith.

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

Very respectfully,
PAT WHITAKER,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 410, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

REPORT OF ENROLLING COMMITTEE

Senator Dell, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

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

(House Bill No. 926):
An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Vero Beach, in Indian River County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as City of Vero Beach, in Indian River County, Florida; to fix the territorial limits of such city; to legalize and validate the ordinances of the abolished municipality and official acts thereon; to validate, legalize, ratify and confirm the ordinances and resolutions, bonds, certificates of indebtedness and obligations of the abolished municipality of Vero Beach, Florida, as the ordi-

nances and resolutions, bonds, certificates of indebtedness and other obligations of the new municipality of Vero Beach, Florida; to legalize, validate, ratify and confirm all contracts of the abolished municipality of Vero Beach, Florida, making such contracts binding upon the new municipality of Vero Beach, Florida; to provide and specify how such municipality shall be governed, by what officers it shall be governed, and to fix and prescribe the jurisdiction and powers of the said City of Vero Beach, Florida, and the officers thereof; and to provide for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes and assessments in and for the said city.

Also—

(House Bill No. 503):

An Act to provide for the acquisition of park lands and property in the counties of Dade, Monroe, and Collier Counties, Florida, for the purpose of conveying the same to the United States of America to be used as a National Park.

Also—

(House Bill No. 890):

An Act amending Chapter 10565 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, entitled "An Act to enable the municipalities of the City of Fort Myers and the City of East Fort Myers, in the County of Lee and State of Florida, to adopt zoning regulations and to enforce the same, and providing for the creation of zoning commissions and boards of adjustment and prescribing their powers and duties"; granting unto the City of Fort Myers as to zoning the power to prohibit in addition to regulating and restricting; ratifying and confirming actions and reports of the City of Fort Myers heretofore passed and taken in zoning said city.

Also—

(House Bill No. 797):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm any or all franchises, agreements, conveyances, leases, certificates of indebtedness, or other evidences of indebtedness, heretofore granted, executed, made, or delivered by the City of Coral Gables, Florida, by its City Commission or by any of its duly authorized officers, or agents, to or with C. A. Leddy, Consumers Water Company, the Miami Beach Railway Company, Utilities Land Company, Florida Power & Light Company, or any of them; and to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm all Acts done, proceedings taken, ordinances and resolutions passed or adopted, by the City of Coral Gables, Florida, by its City Commission, or by any of its duly authorized officers or agents in connection with any or all of the aforesaid franchises, agreements, conveyances, leases, certificates of indebtedness or other evidences of indebtedness.

Also—

(House Bill No. 796):

An Act ratifying, validating and legalizing the use by the City of Coral Gables, Florida, of \$91,986.07 of an unexpended sum derived from the sale of its bonds for improvement and equipment of public parks and play grounds, for a municipal emergency hospital and a site necessary therefor, for additional fire stations and any sites necessary therefor, and for a city hall, and to authorize said City to use the balance of said unexpended sum in redeeming in part outstanding obligations of said City, said balance aggregating the sum of \$88,530.06.

Also—

(House Bill No. 798):

An Act ratifying, validating and confirming the acts of the City Commission of the City of Coral Gables in adjusting and reducing certain amounts payable for the redemption of certain property from tax sales, and in remitting a part of taxes now payable on property in certain cases, and to authorize and empower the City Commission of said City, under certain conditions, to make other adjustments and reductions in cases where property has been sold for non-payment of city taxes or upon which taxes are now due and payable.

Beg 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.

Also—

Senator Dell, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:
Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 18th, 1929.

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

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 25):

An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 11993, Acts of 1927, being Section 5751, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to deficiency decrees and common law suits to recover on deficiencies.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 29):

An Act granting pension to Mrs. Adam L. Eichelberger.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 40):

An Act relating to the issuing of State Licenses to persons, firms or corporations engaged in the solicitation and sale of life insurance in the State of Florida.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 450):

An Act to provide for the appointment of a State Veterinarian, prescribing his duties and powers, term of office, compensation, bond to be given, and providing for his performing the duties of State Veterinarian provided for by Chapter 9201, Acts of 1923. Laws of Florida, relating to State Live Stock Sanitary Board, and providing for the ratification and adoption by said veterinarian of Acts, doings and proceedings heretofore done by the person acting as State Veterinarian under Section 7 of Chapter 9201, Acts of 1923, Laws of Florida.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature 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 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 Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

Also—

Senator Singletary, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1929.

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

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 469:

A bill to be entitled An Act 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 appropriation and appropriation of funds to meet the same.

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

Very respectfully,

W. J. SINGLETARY,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 469, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

Senator Singletary, Chairman of the Committee on Roads and Highways, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1929.

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

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 343:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1018, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, being Section 1292, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to form and size of number plate to be displayed by motor vehicles of the State of Florida.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that same be placed on the Calendar without recommendation.

Very respectfully,

W. J. SINGLETARY,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 343, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator King—

Senate Bill No. 532:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Orlando to make partial releases of real estate under liens for assessments for local improvements.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 532 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 532 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 532 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. 532 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—37.

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 Hodges—

Senate Bill No. 533:

A bill to be entitled An Act to restore the name of Mrs. Florence B. Gorman to the Pension Rolls of the State of Florida.

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

By Senator Adams—

Senate Bill No. 534:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and concerning certified public accountants, and prescribing and directing the issuance of certificates as a certified public accountant by the State Board of Accountancy to persons qualified under this Act.

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

By Senator King—

Senate Bill No. 535:

A bill to be entitled An Act vesting the Boards of Public Instruction of the various counties in the State of Florida with authority to revise and change boundaries of special tax school districts by adding or withdrawing from such district or districts territory, and fixing the requirements and designating the procedure precedent to such action, and providing that no withdrawal of any territory shall be made from a special tax school district having a bonded indebtedness, and providing for the manner of giving notice of such changes.

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

By Senator Parrish—

Senate Bill No. 536:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Trustees Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida to sell or lease any phosphate, earth or clay, sand, gravel, shell, mineral, metal, timber or water, or any other substance similar to the foregoing, in, on, or under, the sovereignty lands of the State of Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Mining and Mineral Resources.

By Senator Adams—

Senate Bill No. 537:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County to create a Special Road and Bridge District in said County to consist of all lands and territory in said county lying South of East River, East Bay, St. Mary de Galvez Bay and Pensacola Bay; to issue and sell for such district, District Time Warrants in an amount

not exceeding \$100,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent. per annum payable semi-annually for the purpose of constructing or aiding in constructing public roads and bridges in said district; to provide for calling and holding a special election in said district to determine by the majority vote of those voting whether said district shall be created and said warrants, issued, approved and validated; to prescribe the qualification of voters at said election, to provide a special fund for the payment of said warrants and for taxation therefor, to provide for the public or private sale of said warrants and for their use in payment for work and labor for road construction.

Which Bill was read the first time by its title, and had attached to same when introduced in the Senate the following proof of publication which was ordered to be entered in full upon the Journal of the Senate:

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,

County of Santa Rosa.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared D. R. Read, who on oath does solemnly swear (or affirm) that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County to create a special road and bridge district has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 16, 23, 30 and May 7, 1929 of The Milton Gazette, a newspaper or newspapers published in Santa Rosa County or Counties, Florida (or), there being no newspaper, by being posted for at least thirty days prior to this date at three public places in the County or Counties, one of which places was at the court house of said county or counties, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

(Signed) D. R. READ.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of May, A. D. 1929.

(Seal)

(Signed) T. J. JAMES,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

And the Senate thereupon determined that the evidence that said bill has been published in compliance with Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution has been established in this Legislature.

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

By Senator Hodges—

Senate Bill No. 538:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the State Road Department to construct a connection from State Road No. 10 to St. Marks, Florida, in connection with the construction of State Road No. 10 as a part of the State Highway system.

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

By Senator Stewart—

Senate Bill No. 539:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary or compensation of the County Superintendent of Public Instruction in Counties having a population of not less than 9643 and not more than 9650 persons, according to the census of the State of Florida A. D. 1925, and designating the fund from which such salary or compensation shall be paid.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Stewart moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 539 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 539 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Stewart moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 539 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. 539 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges,

Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—37.

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 Senator Waybright—
Senate Bill No. 540:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to use the proceeds or funds derived from the use of the St. Johns River bridge, at Jacksonville, Florida, for certain purposes; to require said Board of County Commissioners to call an election to determine whether or not the collection of tolls for the use of said bridge shall be continued; specifying the qualifications of electors at said election and providing for the payment of the expenses of such election.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

By Senator McCall—
Senate Bill No. 541:

A bill to be entitled An Act legalizing, validating and confirming special assessments and levies for side walk construction and improvements in the Town of White Springs, Florida, as made and entered upon the Town Improvement Lien Book as of the date of the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1926, and to declare such assessments and levies to be legal, valid and binding liens upon the property against which such assessments and levies are made.

Which was read the first time by its title together with the proof of publication, and was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,
County of Hamilton.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Ben Caldwell, who on oath does solemnly swear (or affirm) that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to legalizing, validating, confirming the assessments and levies of taxes, by the town of White Springs, Florida, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 19, 26, May 3, 10, 1929, of the Jasper News, a newspaper or newspapers published in Hamilton County, Florida (or), there being no newspaper, by being posted for at least thirty days prior to this date at three public places in the County or Counties, one of which places was at the courthouse of said county or counties, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

(Signed) BEN CALDWELL.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of May, 1929.
(Seal)

(Signed) F. L. FUTCH,
Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires September 16th, 1931.

And the Senate thereupon determined that the evidence that said bill has been published in compliance with Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution has been established in this Legislature.

By Senator McCall—
Senate Bill No. 542:

A bill to be entitled An Act legalizing, validating and confirming the assessments and levies of taxes, by the Town of White Springs, Florida, for the years 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, and all tax sales of said town for said years, and all tax sale certificates issued thereon, and now held by said town unredeemed.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

By Senator McCall—
Senate Bill No. 543:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for a re-registration of all voters for all elections to be held in the year A. D. 1930, and subsequent years thereafter, in counties of this State having a population of not less than 9,900 and not more than 9,950.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading without reference, the rule having been waived.

By Senator Turner—
Senate Bill No. 544:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of supervisors of registration in counties having a population of not less than 10,630, or more than 10,640, according to the State census of 1925.

Which was read the first time by its title.

Senator Turner moved to waive the rule and place Senate Bill No. 544 on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the bill took its position on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading without reference.

By Senator Watson—
Senate Bill No. 545:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the office and providing for the appointment of a special investigator for the Eleventh Judicial Circuit in and for Dade County, Florida, to assist the State Attorney of said district in the investigation, detection and punishment of crimes committed within said county and circuit; providing for his appointment, term of office and compensation and prescribing the power and duties of such special investigator.

Which bill was read the first time by its title, and had attached to same when introduced in the Senate the following proof of publication which was ordered to be entered in full upon the Journal of the Senate:

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,
County of Dade.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared W. H. Acenbrack, who on oath does solemnly swear (or affirm) that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to creating the office and providing for the appointment of a special investigator for the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 10, 17, 24, May 1, 1929, of the Miami Daily News and Metropolis, a newspaper or newspapers published in Dade County or Counties, Florida (or), there being no newspaper, by being posted for at least thirty days prior to this date at three public places in the said county or counties, one of which places was at the court house of said county or counties, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

(Signed) W. H. ACENBRACK.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of May, 1929.
(Seal)

(Signed) LUCILLE GREENSIDES,
Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires May 13, 1931.

And the Senate thereupon determined that the evidence that said bill has been published in compliance with Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution has been established in this Legislature.

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

By Senator Watson—
Senate Bill No. 546:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the commission of the City of Miami to levy special assessments and issue bonds for the city's cost of a street improvement made in said city by Dade County.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 17:

A Concurrent Resolution providing for the adjournment of the present regular session of the Legislature sine die.

WHEREAS, the present session of the Legislature expires by constitutional limitation on Friday, May 31st, 1929, it is necessary that a fixed hour be appointed by the House of Representatives and the Senate for the adjournment of said session of the Legislature sine die, therefore—

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the 1929 Regular Session of the Florida Legislature shall be adjourned sine die at 12:00 o'clock noon on Friday, May 31st, A. D. 1929.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 17, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and was laid over under the rules.

Also—

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21st, 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—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 19:

WHEREAS, the American Taxpayers League, a non-partisan corporation, requested during the month of August, A. D. 1927 that the Governor of the State of Florida appoint a delegate to the National Convention of said organization, to be held in Washington, D. C., during the month of September, 1927, for the purpose of combating and fighting for the repeal of the Federal Inheritance Tax; and

WHEREAS, the said Honorable John W. Martin in compliance with the said request appointed Samuel W. Getzen, Speaker pro tem for the 1927 session of the Legislature to act in the capacity as a delegate to this convention, and in compliance with such appointment the said Samuel W. Getzen did proceed and attend, as the legal representative of Florida, said convention whereby necessary expenses of traveling and incidentals thereto in attending said convention was incurred; and

WHEREAS, the American Taxpayers' League did reimburse the said Samuel W. Getzen for such expenditures in part, and

WHEREAS, in continuing the said fight for the repeal of the Federal Inheritance tax, the National Council State Legislatures in accordance to its by-laws, that each State should have legal and equal representatives at a meeting of said association in Washington during the month of October, 1927, and requested of Honorable John W. Martin the appointment of their delegates consisting of five men from the State of Florida, to assist in presenting such data and other material before the Ways and Means Committee of Congress for the repeal of the Federal Inheritance tax; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with such request Honorable John W. Martin, then Governor of Florida, did appoint Honorable Fred H. Davis, Honorable John B. Sutton, Honorable W. E. Kay and Honorable Samuel W. Getzen, as a committee, and in addition Honorable W. W. Phillips to serve thereon; and

WHEREAS, the above and foregoing committee, duly appointed, did proceed to Washington under appointments from the Governor of Florida, and presented Florida's case for the repeal of the federal inheritance tax before the Ways and Means Committee of Congress; and

WHEREAS, such committee did incur certain necessary expenses in the presentment of Florida's appeal for appeal of the federal inheritance tax, which said expenses were advanced by the National Council State Legislators on condition that the same would be reimbursed; and

WHEREAS, the report of said meeting was duly rendered unto the Governor of the State of Florida; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives, Senate concurring, that the expenses incurred as above set forth, be and is hereby authorized to be paid and repaid to the parties or association as reimbursement for the sum or sums advanced in the payment of expenses incurred by the duly appointed committeemen or committee and presentment of Florida's cause before the proper committees and personages for the repeal of the

federal inheritance tax. The said Honorable Ernest Amos, is by this Resolution instructed to draw proper warrants upon the Treasurer of the State of Florida to cover such expenditures, which amounts shall be as a part of the expenses of the session of the Legislature of Florida for the year 1929.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 19, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and was laid over under the rules.

Also—

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 18:

A Concurrent Resolution providing for the appointment of a Special Joint Committee of the House of Representatives and Senate to represent the Legislative Department of the State of Florida in negotiations of the Government of the United States and its Department of Agriculture in connection with the quarantine placed against the State of Florida on account of the Mediterranean fly.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 18, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and was laid over under the rules.

Also—

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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—

House Bill No. 893:

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 twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six (6) 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 twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing 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 or warrants.

Also—

House Bill No. 996:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 12560 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1927, by amending Sections 2 and 6 thereof, and by adding two new sections to be numbered 3-A and 3-B, so as to provide for the change of the description of Road Number Twelve, the addition of a new road designated as Road Number Fifteen, to provide for the issuance of special road and bridge district bonds to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, to authorize the funding or conversion of such bonds by the issuance of county bonds, and to provide for the appointment of bond trustees and to prescribe their powers and duties.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 893 and 996, contained in the above message, were read the first time by their titles and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Anderson moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 170 passed the Senate on May 20, 1929.

Which motion was laid over under the rule.

SPECIAL ORDERS

The Senate took up consideration of Senate Bill No. 438, with pending amendments, in its Special Order, which was the unfinished business of the Session of Monday, May 20, 1929.

And—

Senate Bill No. 438:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to game, non-game birds, fresh-water fish and fur-bearing animals; to create the Department of Game and Fresh-Water Fish and the office of State Game Commissioner, to define his duties and powers and that of his deputies; to fix his compensation and that of his deputies; to provide for the protection and conservation of game, non-game birds, fresh-water fish and fur-bearing animals by prescribing the times when and means by and extent to which they may be taken, possessed and dealt in; to license hunters, guides, trappers and fishermen, to require persons who engage in the business of operating hunting and fishing boats for hire or who deal in or with fresh water fish or hides of fur-bearing animals, to procure a license for same; to prohibit the use, placing or discharge in the fresh waters of the State of substances or forces injurious to fish; to provide for the prosecution of persons violating the provisions of this Act and a penalty and rule of evidence in such prosecutions; to provide for the collection of funds to carry out the provisions of this Act and for the disposition of revenues accruing thereunder; and repealing certain existing laws and statutes; and defining certain terms used therein.

Was taken up and placed before the Senate, the following amendment pending:

Senator Adams offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438.

Page 23 in Section 20, line 24 (printed bill), after the word "Florida," add a comma and the following: "who have not paid their poll tax for that year or being poll tax exempted."

Senator Adams having moved the adoption of the amendment before adjournment on May 20, 1929.

Which was not agreed to.

And the amendment was rejected.

Senator Dell offered the following amendment to the amendment offered by Mr. Swearingen to Senate Bill No. 438. Section 20, line 15, page 23 in line 7 of amendment, after word "Counties," add the following: except as it applies to the boundary line or lines of Alachua County.

Senator Dell moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

In Section 2, line 19, page 6 (printed bill), after the word "salary" strike out the following: "of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars per annum", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "as may be fixed by the appropriation Act".

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

A "yea" and "nay" vote was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the adoption of the amendment the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams, Dell, Futch, Harrison, Hodges, Johns, King, Malone, Mitchell, Phillips, Stewart, Turnbull, Whitaker—13.

Nays—Mr. President, Senators Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Gary, Glynn, Hinely, Howell, Irby, Knabb, McCall, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Welsh, Young—23.

So the amendment was rejected.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

In Section 4, page 12 (printed bill), strike out the words "and the Wacasassa as far north as the mouth of Cow Creek".

Senator Hinely moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Stewart offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

In Section 20, line 3, page 23 (printed bill), after the word "take" insert the following: "by hook and line, rod and reel, bob, spinner or troll".

Senator Hinely moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Futch offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438.

In Section 21, lines 5 and 6, page 25 (printed bill), strike out the words "the fee for the issuance of all licenses shall be (25c)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The fee for the issuance of licenses shall be (25c) for each license costing three dollars (\$3.00) or less and fifty cents (50c) for each license costing more than three dollars (\$3.00)"

Senator Futch moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Putnam offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438.

In Section 24, line 20, page 28 (printed bill), after the words "St. Johns River," insert the following "From the mouth as far South as Volusia Bar."

Senator Hinely moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Stewart offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

In Section 24, line 11, page 28 (printed bill), after the word "Mills" insert the following: "Loftin, Little St. Marys."

Senator Stewart moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Adams offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

In Section 24, line 37, (printed bill), after the word "County," insert the following: "For public picnics and".

Senator Adams moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

And the amendment was rejected.

Committee on Game and Fisheries offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

At the end of Section 24, add the following: "Provided no closed season shall be placed on the catching of Mud fish, Cat fish and Gar fish, either by hook and line."

Senator Phillips moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Neel offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

Page 23, in Section 20, line 13 (printed bill), strike out the period, and insert in lieu thereof the following: A semicolon, and the following: "Provided, however nothing herein shall require any resident, who have paid their poll tax or poll tax exempted to be charged the said \$1.00 license to hunt in their voting precinct."

Senator Neel moved the adoption of the amendment.

A yea and nay vote was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the adoption of the amendment the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams, Bell, Council, Gary, Hinely, Hodges, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Neel, Putnam, Singletary, Swearingen, Turnbull, Waybright, Young—16.

Nays—Senators Anderson, Dell, Futch, Glynn, Harrison, Howell, Irby, King, Mitchell, Phillips, Rowe, Scales, Stewart, Taylor, Turner, Welsh, Whitaker—17.

So the amendment was rejected.

Senator Neel offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

In Section 24, line 10 (printed bill), after the word Chattahoochee, add "and Choctowhatchee."

Mr. Neel moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Johns offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

Add Section —. CLOSED SEASON. It shall be unlawful for any person to take fresh water fish in the fresh waters of the State of Florida from the 15th day of March to the 15th day of May, both inclusive, of each year, except on Thursday and Saturday of each and every week during said closed season. It shall also be unlawful for any person to have in possession any fresh water fish during the closed season designated above; Provided, that licensed fresh water fish dealers may be allowed five days to dispose of fish that are caught prior to the 15th day of March of any year. The open season for fresh water fish shall be from the 16th day of May to the 14th day of March of succeeding year, except every Thursday and Saturday during the closed season shall be open for fishing. Nothing in this Section shall apply to

Lake Okeechobee, St. Johns River, and Lake George; from the mouth of Volusia Bar and the Suwannee River as far north as the forks of the river forming east and west passes and Wacassassa river as far north as the mouth of Cow Creek and Carabelle and New Rivers in Franklin County.

Senator Johns moved the adoption of the amendment.

Senator Bell moved as a substitute motion that the amendment be laid on the table.

Which was not agreed to.

And the question recurred on the adoption of the amendment.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the adoption of the amendment the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Council, Futch, Gary, Harrison, Hodges, Johns, King, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Scales, Turnbull, Turner, Welsh, Whitaker—15.

Nays—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Dell, Glynn, Hinely, Howell, Irby, Knabb, McCall, Mitchell, Phillips, Singletary, Swearingen, Taylor, Waybright, Young—18.

So the amendment was rejected.

Senator Harrison offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

In Section 35, page 36, line 12 (printed bill), strike out the word "fresh" and beginning with the word "This" on line 13, strike out the remainder of said section.

Senator Harrison moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

And the amendment was rejected.

Senator Glynn offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438:

In Sections 35 and 36, page 37 (printed bill), strike out the words "Crescent Lake" wherever they appear.

Senator Glynn moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Knabb offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 438.

In Section 35, page 36, line 21 (printed bill), strike out the words "Doctor's Lake and".

Senator Knabb moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Pending the further consideration of amendments to the bill the hour of adjournment, under the rule, having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate took a recess at 1:00 o'clock p. m. until 3:00 o'clock p. m., this day.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate convened at 3 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, 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.

By permission—

REPORT OF ENROLLING COMMITTEE

Senator Dell, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1929.

Hon. J. J. Parrish,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred: (House Bill No. 899):

An Act validating and legalizing special assessments and levies made by the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, for the improvement of South Andrews avenue, Lauderdale Boulevard, West Park Boulevard, Lake View Drive, Colee Avenue and Colee Boulevard, Northeast and Southeast Sixth Avenues and Miami Road in said City; and also validating and legalizing special assessments and levies heretofore made by said city for all other street and/or sidewalk improvements as evidenced by the assessment book for local improvements in said city.

Also—

(House Bill No. 927):

An Act to abolish the municipality created by Chapter 10348 of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida, approved May 26, 1925, known as the Town of Boca Raton, and to establish a municipality to be known as the Town of Boca Raton; and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; and to provide for the protection of the creditors of the municipality hereby abolished; and to validate bonds and notes issued and taxes and special assessments levied and made by the municipality hereby abolished; and to prescribe what notice shall be given before any suit or action be commenced against the municipality hereby created for damage arising out of tort.

Also—

(House Bill No. 794):

An Act to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm any or all agreements, conveyances, certificates of indebtedness, or other evidences of indebtedness, heretofore granted, executed, made or delivered by the City of Coral Gables, Florida, by its City Commission or by any of its duly authorized officers, or agents, to Wilson & Toomer Fertilizer Company, and to legalize, ratify, validate and confirm all acts done, proceedings taken, ordinances and resolutions passed or adopted, by the City of Coral Gables, Florida, by its City Commission, or by any of its duly authorized officers or agents in connection with any or all of the aforesaid agreements, conveyances, certificates of indebtedness or other evidences of indebtedness.

Also—

(House Bill No. 985):

An Act to provide for the handling and disposition and use of certain moneys which may be or shall be realized by the City of Winter Garden from the sale of the municipal water plant and electric light plant owned by the City of Winter Garden, to any individual, firm or corporation, and for the designation and appointment of trustees to handle said moneys received, to preserve same, and to use and dispose of same, and provide the qualifications of such trustees, security to be given by them, and appointment and term of office, and generally for the disposition and use of all of said moneys received from the sale of said plants by the City of Winter Garden.

Also—

(House Bill No. 898):

An Act to grant the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, the power to use, occupy and maintain certain lands owned by said city and known as "The South Side Golf Course" tract as and for an air port, or for a field for the landing and use of aeroplanes.

Also—

(House Bill No. 133):

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 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,

J. MAXEY DELL,

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

The bills 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 Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Senator Turner, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1929.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 291:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the granting of licenses to practice optometry to certain persons who have been continuously engaged in such practice since April 1, 1913, and who have heretofore failed to obtain licenses therefor by reason of inadvertence.

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

Very respectfully,

J. W. TURNER,

Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 291, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Hinely moved that the rules be waived and the Senate continue the consideration of Senate Bill No. 438.

Upon which a yeas and nays vote was demanded.

Upon call of the roll the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Bell, Council, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Irby, Knabb, Mitchell, Putnam, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—21.

Nays—Senators Anderson, Caro, Dell, Futch, Johns, King, Malone, McCall, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Waybright—12.

So the motion was lost.

By unanimous consent, Senate Bill No. 79 was withdrawn.

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE LOCAL BILLS ON SECOND READING

Senate Bills Nos. 234, 280, 310 and 216 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 507:

A bill to be entitled An Act repealing An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the method and means of opening, establishing, building, constructing and maintaining public roads and bridges in Santa Rosa County, Florida; to provide for a road and bridge fund for said county, and for the collection and assessment of same", known as Chapter 8193 of the Acts of the Florida Legislature, year 1919.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 507 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 507 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 507 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. 507 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senate Bill No. 508:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners for Santa Rosa County to within sixty days from this Act becoming a law, revise and alter by resolution the boundaries of any of the Commissioner's Districts of said county; to fix the time such alteration to take effect; and to revise voting precinct lines to conform with the revised boundary lines of the Commissioner's Districts, providing that such changes shall be made in the voting precincts and become effective prior to the next Primary and General Elections, and providing for election of the Commissioners in the altered districts.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 508 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 508 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 508 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. 508 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senate Bill No. 509:

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

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 509 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 509 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 509 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. 509 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senate Bill No. 528 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

CONSIDERATION OF HOUSE LOCAL BILLS ON SECOND READING

House Bill No. 378:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Pierson, in the County of Volusia, in the State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Pierson, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 378 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 378 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 378 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. 378 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 471:

A bill to be entitled An Act in relation to the powers of the City of Pensacola in borrowing money in anticipation of taxes levied and remaining unpaid in any fiscal year; in issuing refunding bonds for the purpose of paying certificates of indebtedness heretofore issued in anticipation of the collection of back taxes, and in remitting or reducing penalties and interest on tax liens and tax sale certificates.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 471 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 471 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 471 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. 471 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was: Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Bills Nos. 297, 667, 657, and 655 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

By unanimous consent, Senate Bill No. 436 was withdrawn from the further consideration of the body.

House Bills Nos. 458, 786, 828, 791 and 784 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 740:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a Publicity Board of the City of Jacksonville, Florida, prescribing its jurisdiction and powers.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 740 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 740 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Waybright offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 740:

Strike all of Section three and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 3. That from and after the first day of January, A. D. Nineteen Hundred and Thirty, there is hereby levied and shall be collected monthly, against and from each person, individual, firm, co-partnership, joint adventure, association, company, corporation or trust, or any other group or combination acting as a unit, engaging or continuing within the City of Jacksonville in the business of operating or conducting any hotel, restaurant, or department store, retail sales and privilege taxes in the sum or amount equal to one per centum (1%) of the gross receipts of such business. Said tax so levied shall be returned and paid to the City Treasurer of said City or or before the fifteenth day of the month succeeding the month in which the same shall accrue as hereinbefore provided; and the said Board is hereby authorized to expend the moneys so collected for publicity in the advancement and promotion of the general welfare of said City; and all of said moneys which shall be and remain unexpended at the end of any year shall be and remain as a balance on hand in said fund available for such use and expenditure in the next or any succeeding year, provided, that the city council may by ordinance reduce the amount of the tax levy herein provided from time to time upon recommendation of the Board herein created, if in their judgment it shall be more than necessary and may by ordinance regulate and provide for the collection of said tax."

Senator Waybright moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 740, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 740, as amended, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended.

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

House Bill No. 775 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 774:

A bill to be entitled An Act to withdraw certain lands from Paradise Valley Drainage District and the exemption of said lands from drainage taxes after said withdrawal.

With the following proof of publication attached thereto:

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,
County of Glades.

Before me personally appeared Keathley Bowden, who first being duly sworn, says that he is the publisher of The Glades County Democrat, a weekly newspaper published at Moore Haven, Glades County, Florida, and of general circulation, and the advertisement, a true copy of which is hereto annexed, was published in said newspaper for eight consecutive weeks, beginning on the 8th day of March, 1929, and ending on the 26th day of April, 1929, said publication having been made on the following dates: March 8, 15, 22, 29; April 5, 12, 19, 26, 1929.

(Signed) KEATHLEY BOWDEN,

Publisher Glades County Democrat.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of April, 1929.

(Signed) BERYL BOWDEN,

Notary Public.

(Seal)

My commission expires January 22, 1933.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 774 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 774 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 774 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. 774 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Bills Nos. 795, 829 and 847 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 859:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Leon County, Florida, to transfer and deliver to the State Road Department of Florida the balance of the net proceeds, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the sale of that part of an issue of road bonds of said County dated July 1, 1925, allocated to State Road Number Ten from Tallahassee to Woodville, in said County, and State Road Number Nineteen from Tallahassee to the Jefferson County line, upon the State Road Department entering into a binding contract with said Board to let a contract for constructing and paving said State Road Number Ten from Tallahassee to the Wakulla County line during the year 1929, and to let a contract for paving said State Road Number Nineteen from Tallahassee to the Jefferson County line during the year 1930.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 859 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 859 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 859 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. 859 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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

House Bill No. 869:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 12511, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, approved April 23rd, 1927, relating to the collection of delinquent taxes due the City of Auburndale, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 869 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 869 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 869 be read a second time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 869 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senator Hinely moved that House Bill No. 878 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

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

House Bill No. 897 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

By permission—

By Senator Scales—

Senate Bill No. 553:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any county in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 9,700 nor more than 10,500 according to the last state census, to establish "A charity fund," and provide for the collection of the sum of not more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) per annum for said fund, and providing for the appointment of a board of six residence citizens of such county, three of whom shall be men and three of whom shall be women, all of whom shall be over the age of 30 years, and tax payers and qualified voters in such county, for the expenditure of such fund, in cases of necessity, among the poor people of such county.

Which was read the first time by its title, the following proof of publication being attached thereto:

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,

County of Dixie.

Before me, the undersigned authority duly authorized to administer oaths, personally came Rose O. Chavous, who being duly sworn says, that she is the publisher of the Dixie County Advocate, a newspaper published weekly at Cross City, Florida, and that a copy of the notice as per clipping attached, Notice Board of County Commissioners, Dixie County, Florida, by L. L. Barber, Clerk, was published weekly in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper for 5 consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue dated, April 13th, 1929, and ending with the issue dated May 16th, 1929.

The other issues of the same are the following: April 25th, May 2 and May 9, 1929.

(Signed) ROSE O. CHAVOUS

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of May, A. D. 1929.

(Seal)

(Signed) GUSSIE BAUGHMAN,

Notary Public State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires Nov. 4, 1932.

Senator Scales moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 553 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 553 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Scales moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 553 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. 553 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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

House Bill No. 918:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal An Act entitled "An Act to create and incorporate a special taxing district in St. Lucie and Brevard Counties, Florida, to be known and designated as Sebastian Bridge District; prescribing the boundaries thereof; to provide for the government and administration of said district; naming the commissioners thereof and providing for an election for the selection of their successors; to define the powers and purposes of said district and of the board of commissioners thereof; to authorize said board to construct and maintain a bridge in said district across Indian River; to construct all other works necessary or proper in connection with said bridge; to provide for the acquiring by purchase, gift, condemnation or otherwise of any property needed for district purposes; to empower the board of commissioners of said district to levy and collect taxes for district purposes; to authorize said board to borrow money and issue and sell bonds to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to provide for an election to determine whether bonds of the said district shall be issued; to authorize and empower said board of commissioners to make and enforce regulations for the use of said bridge, and to fix and collect tolls for the use of said bridge; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act; prescribing penalties therefor; and generally to provide for the construction and maintenance of a bridge in said district"; providing for the payment of all outstanding obligations of said district and authorizing and empowering the board of commissioners of said district, as at present constituted, to continue in office for the purpose of collecting all taxes and other indebtedness due said board, and for the purpose of paying all outstanding obligations existing against said board.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Young moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 918 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 918 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Young moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 918 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. 918 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 929:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring all able-bodied male persons, over the age of twenty-one years and under the age of forty-five years, to work the roads in Gadsden County, Florida, and providing the method and manner in which such work shall be

carried on; providing for the appointment of a road foreman and summoner and fixing their compensation.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 929 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 929 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 929 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. 929 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 942:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the trustees of the Presbyterian church in Tallahassee."

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 942 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 942 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 942 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. 942 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 948:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Gadsden County, Florida, to issue and sell certain interest-bearing time warrants of said county for certain purposes and providing for the assessment and collection of a fund with which to pay said warrants and the interest thereon, and authorizing said Board of County Commissioners to build an addition to the present county jail of said county.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 948 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 948 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 948:

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

Senator Anderson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 948, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 948, as amended, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended.

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

House Bill No. 873 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 892:

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

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 892 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 892 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 892 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. 892 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 912:

A bill to be entitled An Act to permit the use of pound nets in the salt waters of Franklin County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Council moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 912 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 912 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Council moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 912 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. 912 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 955:

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

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Young moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 955 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 955 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Young moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 955 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. 955 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Bills Nos. 957 and 958 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 964:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower Franklin County to construct, own, maintain and operate a toll bridge across the Apalachicola River and East Bay; authorizing said county to issue and sell bonds for the purpose of constructing the said bridge and to levy taxes on all of the taxable property in said county to pay the interest and principal of said bonds; authorizing the collection of tolls for the construction, maintenance and operation of said bridge, providing for the sale of the said bridge and making general provisions relative to the issuance and sale of said bonds and the construction, maintenance and operation of said bridge.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Council moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 964 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 964 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Council moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 964 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. 964 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Bills Nos. 965 and 973 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 974:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify and confirm all Acts, Doings and Proceedings of the Board of Commissioners of the Town of Belleair, Florida, in relation to the improvement of the streets, avenues, and other highways in said town and to ratify, legalize and confirm all assessments laid or levied relative to said improvements by the Board of Commissioners of said town under the provisions of Chapter 10336, Acts of the Legislature 1925.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 974 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 974 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 974 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. 974 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Bills Nos. 795 and 796 were taken up in their order

and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 981:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1 and 6 of Chapter 12117, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, entitled, "An Act to establish the Paradise Valley Improvement District in this State and define its boundaries; to create a Board of Commissioners for said District and to define its powers; authorizing the improvement of the land lying within the boundaries of said District; the construction of canals, dikes, drains, reservoirs and other works for the reclamation, improvement and benefit of the lands and other property embraced in said District; and to levy assessments of taxes upon the lands and other property embraced in said District and provide for the collection of the same; and to enforce the collection of such assessments; and to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said District to borrow money and to issue bonds and dispose of the same to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to prevent injury to any works constructed under this Act and to provide a penalty for violating such provisions; and providing for ratification," defining the boundaries of Paradise Valley Improvement District and providing for the amount of taxes to be hereafter levied and collected in Paradise Valley Improvement District, the manner of determining the amount and the time of such tax levies.

Was taken up in its order together with the following proof of publication:

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,
County of Glades.

Before me personally appeared Keathley Bowden, who first being duly sworn, says that he is the publisher of The Glades County Democrat, a weekly newspaper published at Moore Haven, Glades County, Florida, and of general circulation, and the advertisement, a true copy of which is hereto annexed, was published in said newspaper for nine consecutive weeks, beginning on the 8th day of March, 1929, and ending on the 3rd day of May, 1929, said publication having been made on the following dates: March 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5, 12, 19, 26, May 3, 1929.

(Signed) KEATHLEY BOWDEN,
Publisher Glades County Democrat.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of May, 1929.
(Seal)

(Signed) BERYL BOWDEN,
Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1933.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 981 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 981 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Bell moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 981 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. 981 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 984:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend sub-section 52 of Section 1, Article III, Chapter 13326, Acts of 1927, relating to the municipal corporation of Port Sewall in Martin County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Young moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 984 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 984 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Young moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 984 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. 984 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Bills Nos. 987, 988, 989, 990, 993, 994, 995 and 998 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1002:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend and supplement the charter of the City of Pensacola, and to empower said city to provide relief and pensions for its officers and employees, and their dependents.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1002 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1002 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1002 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. 1002 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 1007:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Marianna, Florida, to collect, foreclose and enforce tax liens for delinquent taxes now due and past due to the said city for the years 1924, 1925, 1926 and 1927, or that may hereafter for any subsequent year or years, become due and delinquent to said city, with accrued interest, penalties and costs therefor, by bill in chancery, and providing the method of such proceedings and the costs thereof, and validating the assessment rolls of said city for the years 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928 and extending the time for the payment of taxes or the taking up of tax sale certificates to the 30th day of September, A. D. 1929.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Singletary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1007 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1007 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Singletary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1007 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. 1007 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 1008:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City Council of the City of Marianna, Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants to the amount of ten thousand five hundred dollars, for the purpose of buying and installing a septic tank or tanks, and providing for a tax levy for the purpose of paying for the principal and interest of said interest time warrants, and providing for a referendum election of

the qualified electors who are freeholders of said city for the approval and ratification of this Act, or its rejection.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Singletary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1008 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1008 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Singletary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1008 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. 1008 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Bills Nos. 1013 and 1014 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1023:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix and define the corporate limits of the City of Eustis in Lake County, Florida; to repeal Chapter 10535, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, entitled: "An Act to extend the corporate limits of the Town of Eustis, Lake County, Florida, and to give the said Town of Eustis, Lake County, Florida, jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension"; and to provide for the collection of taxes levied upon land embraced in the territory comprehended and included within the limits and boundaries prescribed in said Chapter 10535, Laws of Florida as aforesaid, and excluded pursuant to the provisions of this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Futch moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1023 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1023 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Futch moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1023 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. 1023 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 1024:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 2 of the Charter of the City of Plant City, relating to boundaries and jurisdiction of said city, so that the territorial limits and jurisdiction defined shall be contracted and reduced.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1024 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1024 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1024 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. 1024 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 1025 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senator Malone moved that the Senate no now take up the consideration of messages from the House of Representatives. Which was agreed to.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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 Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 483:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Tampa, a municipal corporation, to lease a certain building known as the Tampa Bay Casino and the property upon which the same is situate, to the U. S. S. Tampa Post No. 5 of the American Legion, a corporation not for profit.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 483, contained in the above message, was read by its title and referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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 (with amendments)—

Senate Bill No. 528:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the City of Tampa, Florida, to prescribe the jurisdiction and powers of the City of Tampa, Florida, and the several officers and departments thereof, and providing for the government, powers, and privileges of said city, and means for exercising the same, and providing for the calling and holding of the special election for the ratification or rejection of the proposed charter embraced in this Act; and for the appointment of special election officers to call, hold, conduct, and declare the result of said election and canvass the same; fixing the compensation and providing for the payment of same by the City of Tampa, Florida. And providing for the issuance and filing of proclamation by the Governor.

Which amendments are as follows:

No. 1. In Section 37, line 2 (printed bill), strike out the words beginning with the word "authorized" in the second line, strike out down to and including the words "qualified elector thereof" in lines 4 and 5, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "having special training in public health work."

No. 2. In Section 8, line 9, after the words "City of Tampa," insert the following: "Except the City Health Officer."

No. 3. In Section 15, line 5 (printed bill), strike out the words beginning with the word "within" at the end of line 5, strike out the following: "Within the district wherein said vacancy occurs."

No. 4. In Section 86, at the end of Section 86 add the following:

"A majority of the Election Commission herein created are hereby authorized and empowered to exercise and perform all the duties hereby vested in said Commission; and in the event one of said members for any reason shall fail or be prevented from serving on said Commission then all the duties shall be performed by the two Commissioners serving; and in the event two of said members for any reason shall fail or be prevented from serving then all the duties hereby vested in said Commission shall be

performed by the one Commissioner serving; and in the event all three of the Commissioners herein appointed shall for any reason fail or be prevented from serving, then, in that event, the Governor of the State of Florida is hereby authorized and directed to appoint three members to serve on said Commission.

No. 5. In Section 43, line 10 (printed bill), strike out the words beginning with the words "three practicing" at end of line 10, strike out down to and including the words "two laymen" in line 12, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Five representative citizens of known business ability and integrity."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Senator Whitaker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 256, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1.

Senator Whitaker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 256, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2.

Senator Whitaker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 256, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3.

Senator Whitaker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 256, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 4.

Senator Whitaker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 256, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 5.

And Senate Bill No. 256, as amended, was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Also—

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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—

House Bill No. 593:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting to certain riparian land owners who now have vested rights acquired under Chapter 4564, Acts of 1897, Laws of Florida, the right to sponge, propagate and grow sponge within the bays, lagoons, sounds and straits fronting upon or bordering the lands owned by them, and to prohibit trespassing within said areas and providing suitable penalties therefor.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 593, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Malone moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 593 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 593 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Malone moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 593 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. 593 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was: Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

And the action of the Senate was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives immediately, the rule having been waived.

Senator Phillips moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 216 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 216:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 103, Chapter 8993, Acts of 1921, Laws of Florida, relative to the tax sales and disposition of tax certificates issued by virtue of such sales.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Phillips moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 216 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 216 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Phillips moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 216 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. 216 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was: Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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, the Senate took up the consideration of Local Bills which were introduced this morning.

And—

Senate Bill No. 537:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County to create a special road and bridge district in said county to consist of all lands and territory in said county lying south of East River, East Bay, St. Mary de Galvez Bay and Pensacola Bay; to issue and sell for such district, district time warrants in an amount not exceeding \$100,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent, per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing or aiding in constructing public roads and bridges in said district; to provide for calling and holding a special election in said district to determine by the majority vote of those voting whether said district shall be created and said warrants issued, approved and validated; to prescribe the qualification of voters at said election; to provide a special fund for the payment of said warrants and for taxation therefor, to provide for the public or private sale of said warrants and for their use in payment for work and labor for road construction.

Was taken up.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 537 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 537 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 537 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. 537 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was: Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senate Bill No. 541:

A bill to be entitled An Act legalizing, validating and confirming special assessments and levies for sidewalk construction and improvements in the Town of White Springs, Florida, as made and entered upon the Town Improvement Lien Book as of the date of the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1926, and to declare such assessments and levies to be legal, valid and binding liens upon the property against which such assessments and levies are made.

Senator McCall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 541 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 541 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator McCall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 541 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. 541 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senate Bill No. 542:

A bill to be entitled An Act legalizing, validating, and confirming the assessments and levies of taxes, by the Town of White Springs, Florida, for the years 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, and all tax sales of said town for said years, and all tax sale certificates issued thereon, and now held by said town unredeemed.

Was taken up.

Senator McCall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 542 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 542 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator McCall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 542 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. 542 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 893:

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 twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six (6) percent 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 (\$20,000.00) in principal amount of interest-bearing 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 or warrants.

Was taken up.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 893 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 893 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 893 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. 893 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 996:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 12560 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1927, by amending Sections 2 and 6 thereof, and by adding two new sections to be numbered 3-A and 3-B, so as to provide for the change of the description of Road Number Twelve, the addition of a new road designated as Road Number Fifteen, to provide for the issuance of special road and bridge district bonds to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, to authorize the funding or conversion of such bonds by the issuance of county bonds, and to provide for the appointment of bond trustees and to prescribe their powers and duties.

Was taken up.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 996 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 996 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 996 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. 996 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Senator Wagg (by request)—

Senate Bill No. 547:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful to capture, kill, catch, maim, injure, shoot at or destroy, alligators or alligator nests in or near any of the waters located in Palm Beach County, Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

By Senator Wagg—

Senate Bill No. 548:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 362, Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to primary elections and the method of nominating candidates therein.

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

By Senator Wagg—

Senate Bill No. 549:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act entitled: "An Act to provide that attorneys at law may prepare transcripts of the record for use on any appeal to the Supreme Court; to require the comparison, correction, verification and the certification of such transcript by the clerk of the lower court and to prescribe his compensation therefor, and prescribe penalties for the violation of this Act."

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

By Senator Wagg (by request)—

Senate Bill No. 550:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful to clip, cut, maim, injure or destroy the ears or tail of any dog in the State of Florida, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act.

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

By Senator Turner—

Senate Bill No. 551:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the office of Bond Trustee for Lebanon and Inglis Special Road and Bridge District No. 1; Williston Special Road and Bridge District No. 2; Otter Creek Special Road and Bridge District No. 3; Vista Special Road and Bridge District No. 4; Bronson Special Road and Bridge District No. 5; Chiefland Special Road and Bridge District No. 6; Cedar Key Special Road and Bridge District No. 7; Long Pond Special Road and Bridge District No. 8; New Town Special Road and Bridge District No. 9; Gulf Hammock Special Road and Bridge District No. 10, all in Levy County, Florida, and to abolish the office of Board of Bond Trustees for Levy County, Florida; to provide for the disposition of all funds formerly held by any Board of Bond Trustees or any Trustee; to provide for the performance of all duties formerly vested in the various Boards of Bond Trustees; and to provide for an audit and examination of all books and records of all Boards of Bond Trustees.

The following proof of publication being attached hereto:

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,

County of Levy.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared L. E. Vause, who on oath does solemnly swear (or affirm) that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to: To abolish the office of Bond Trustees for Lebanon and Inglis Special Road and Bridge District No. 1, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of March 21, 28, April 4, 11, 18, 1929, of the Williston Sun, a newspaper or newspapers published in Levy County or Counties, Florida (or), there being no newspaper, by being posted for at least thirty days prior to this date at three public places in the County or Counties, one of which places was at the courthouse of said county or counties, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

(Signed) L. E. VAUSE, Editor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of May, 1929.

(Seal)

(Signed) L. W. DRUMMOND,

Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires August 6th, 1929.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Turner moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 551 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 551 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Turner moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 551 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. 551 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Senator Gary—

Senate Bill No. 552:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of G. C. Hoffman and to authorize, require and command the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, to pay G. C. Hoffman the sum of one hundred and nineteen dollars and twelve cents (\$119.12) on account of a fine and court costs imposed upon him as a result of his conviction in the County Judge's Court of Marion County, Florida, of the crime of carrying concealed weapons while acting in the capacity of an Honorary Deputy State Game Commissioner; and giving the said claim of G. C. Hoffman priority over all other claims or demands against the fine and forfeiture fund of Marion County, Florida.

The following proof of publication attached hereto.

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,
County of Marion.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared H. D. Leavengood, who on oath does solemnly swear (or affirm) that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to relief of G. C. Hoffman has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 12, 19, 26 May 3, 10, 1929 of the Ocala Evening Star, a newspaper or newspapers published in Marion County, Florida (or), there being no newspaper, by being posted for at least thirty days prior to this date at three public places in the County or Counties, one of which places was at the court house of said county or counties, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

(Signed) H. D. LEAVENGOOD.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of May, 1929.
(Seal)

(Signed) MRS. J. H. GOOD,
Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires February 15, 1930.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 552 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 552 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 552 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. 552 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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 Senator Adams—

Senate Bill No. 554:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any county in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 9,700, nor more than 10,500, according to the last State census, to establish "A Charity Fund", and provide for the collection of the sum of not more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) per annum for said fund, and providing for the appointment of a board of six residence citizens of such county, three of whom shall be men and three of whom shall be women, all of whom shall be over the age of 30 years, and taxpayers and qualified voters in such county, for the expenditure of such fund, in cases of necessity, among the poor people of such county.

Was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Upon request of Senator Wagg and without objection, House Bill No. 582 was re-referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Swearingen—

Senate Bill No. 555:

A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing the Board of Bond Trustees of Special Road and Bridge District Number Sixteen of Polk County, Florida; and providing for the disposition of funds held by them.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 555 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 555 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived

and Senate Bill No. 555 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. 555 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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

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.

The Senate took up the consideration of the Pension Bills.

Senate Bills Nos. 83 and 412 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up the consideration of House Bills Nos. 973, 975 and 987 out of their order

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 973:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 11972 of the Laws of Florida, session 1927, entitled "An Act to create and establish a juvenile court in and for Pinellas County, Florida, and to provide for a judge of said court and to define his powers and duties; to provide for the expenses of said court and compensation of said judge, and to provide for the appointment of a probation officer and assistant probation officers and a clerk of the juvenile court."

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 973 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 973 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 973 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. 973 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 975:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 19, Chapter 10335, Acts of 1925, entitled "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.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 975 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 975 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 975 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. 975 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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. 987:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating and legalizing all tax levies and assessments heretofore made by the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida; providing a supplemental alternative and additional method of realizing revenue from delinquent tax assessments by empowering the Board of Commissioners of the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, to sell, assign, or transfer, at public or private sale, all delinquent tax assessments up to and including the 1928 tax roll; providing that the tax assessments shall be evidenced by tax certificates and authorizing the manner and form in which the said tax certificates shall be prepared and a record of the same kept, providing that the purchaser or purchasers of such tax liens or tax certificates shall have all the rights and remedies respecting such liens that the city now has, and providing the time within which the purchaser or his successors, legal representatives or assigns may bring any suit for the enforcement of same, and providing such suit shall be brought by and in the name of the city for the benefit of the holder and owner of such tax certificate, and providing for the recovery of an attorney's fee in such suits together with court costs, abstract of title and other costs, providing the manner of giving notice before institution of suit; providing that such tax certificates when sold by the city and properly assigned shall become negotiable evidences of indebtedness and may be assigned, sold or otherwise negotiated as other negotiable instruments and authorizing the owner or holder thereof to accept partial payments on the same without impairing the validity of the lien of such certificates, and authorizing the recording of same in the office of the clerk of the circuit court, and providing the manner in which the same may be redeemed, and providing for the collection of an attorney's fee and other actual expenses incurred in the preparation of such suits when the tax certificates are redeemed prior to the actual institution of legal proceedings; and providing the terms and conditions under which the sale of the tax certificates shall be made; and providing that this Act shall not alter or amend other laws affecting the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 987 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 987 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 987 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. 987 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up the consideration of House Bill No. 828 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 828:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the town of Lantana, in Palm Beach county, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the town of Lantana, in Palm Beach county, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of the former town of Lantana, and to legalize and validate the official acts of said former town and its officials, and to provide that the town hereby created shall assume the obligations and indebtedness of said former town and its officials; to legalize and validate all assessments and levies of

general taxes and special assessments levied by said former town; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of the town hereby created, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 828 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 828 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 828 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. 828 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up the consideration of House Concurrent Resolution No. 19 at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 19:

WHEREAS, the American Taxpayers League, a non-partisan corporation, requested during the month of August, A. D. 1927, that the Governor of the State of Florida appoint a delegate to the National Convention of said organization, to be held in Washington, D. C., during the month of September, 1927, for the purpose of combating and fighting for the repeal of the Federal Inheritance Tax; and

WHEREAS, the said Honorable John W. Martin in compliance with the said request appointed Samuel W. Getzen, Speaker pro tem for the 1927 session of the Legislature to act in the capacity as a delegate to this convention, and in compliance with such appointment the said Samuel W. Getzen did proceed and attend, as the legal representative of Florida, said convention, whereby necessary expenses of traveling and incidentals thereto in attending said convention was incurred; and

WHEREAS, the American Taxpayers' League did reimburse the said Samuel W. Getzen for such expenditures in part, and

WHEREAS, in continuing the said fight for the repeal of the Federal Inheritance Tax, the National Council State Legislatures in accordance to its by-laws, that each State should have legal and equal representatives at a meeting of said association in Washington during the month of October, 1927, and requested of Honorable John W. Martin the appointment of their delegates consisting of five men from the State of Florida, to assist in presenting such data and other material before the Ways and Means Committee of Congress for the repeal of the Federal Inheritance Tax; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with such request Honorable John W. Martin, then Governor of Florida, did appoint Honorable Fred H. Davis, Honorable John B. Sutton, Honorable W. E. Kay and Honorable Samuel W. Getzen, as a committee, and in addition Honorable W. W. Phillips to serve thereon; and

WHEREAS, the above and foregoing committee, duly appointed, did proceed to Washington under appointments from the Governor of Florida, and presented Florida's case for the repeal of the federal inheritance tax before the Ways and Means Committee of Congress; and

WHEREAS, such committee did incur certain necessary expenses in the presentment of Florida's appeal for appeal of the federal inheritance tax, which said expenses were advanced by the National Council State Legislators on condition that the same would be reimbursed; and

WHEREAS, the report of said meeting was duly rendered unto the Governor of the State of Florida; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives, Senate concurrent, that the expenses incurred as above set forth, be and is hereby authorized to be paid and repaid to the parties or association as reimbursement for the sum or sums advanced in the payment of expenses incurred by the duly appointed committeemen or committee in the presentment of Florida's

cause before proper committees and personage for the repeal of the federal inheritance tax. The said Honorable Ernest Amos, is by this Resolution instructed to draw proper warrants upon the Treasurer of the State of Florida to cover such expenditures, which amounts shall be as a part of the expenses of the session of the Legislature of Florida for the year 1929.

Which was read the second time in full.

The question was put upon the adoption of the Concurrent Resolution.

Upon which a yea and nay vote was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the adoption of the concurrent resolution, the vote was:

Yeas—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.

Nays—None.

So the resolution was adopted.

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

Senator Whitaker moved that the Senate do reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 218 failed to pass the Senate on Monday, May 20, 1929.

And the motion went over under the rule.

Senator Singletary moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Anderson moved that by unanimous consent the Senate take up General Bills for consideration at this time.

Which was agreed to.

Senator Singletary asked that Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 be taken up by unanimous consent.

Which was not agreed to.

By unanimous consent—

Senate Bill No. 332:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the incorporation of Railroad and Canal Companies and the issuance of stock by such companies heretofore or hereafter incorporated.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 332 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. 332 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 291:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the granting of licenses to practice optometry to certain persons who have been continuously engaged in such practice since April 1, 1913, and who have heretofore failed to obtain licenses therefor by reason of inadvertence.

Was taken up out of its order and read a second time in full.

Senator Singletary moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 291 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 291 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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.

Senator Anderson moved that the time of adjournment be extended 30 minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 657 be taken up for consideration at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 657:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the issuance and sale of nine hundred and fifty thousand dollars worth of interest bearing bonds by the New Smyrna-DeLand Drainage District for the purpose of and the proceeds therefrom to be used in the refunding and paying of all those certain bonds heretofore issued and sold by the said Drainage District, together with accrued interest thereon, and to provide for all necessary matters and things in connection with the issuance and sale of said bonds and payment thereof.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 657 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 657 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Putnam offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 657:

Provided, that before the said Board of Supervisors shall issue, sell or otherwise dispose of said refunding bonds, they shall call an election of the land owners of the said district to determine whether or not the said refunding bonds shall be issued, sold or otherwise disposed of as herein provided. If at said election a majority of the total number of acres voted by the said land owners shall be in favor of issuing said refunding bonds, then the said Board of Supervisors may issue, sell or otherwise dispose of said refunding bonds as herein provided. Notice of the time and place of such election shall be determined by the said Board of Supervisors, and when so determined the Secretary of the said Board of Supervisors shall cause to be published in a newspaper published in the vicinity of the said district, a notice notifying the land owners of the said district of the time and place of said election. The said notice shall briefly state the purpose of said election. The said notice shall be published two times, the first publication being not more than thirty days nor less than twenty days before the date of said election and the second publication of said notice shall be published one week after the first publication. The said Board of Supervisors shall prepare the ballots for said election, and provide the inspectors and clerk, all of whom shall be land owners in the said district. The said inspectors may be members of the said Board of Supervisors. Each owner of land in said district shall be entitled to one vote in person or by proxy duly signed for each acre of land owned by him in said district. If any land owner shall vote by proxy then such proxy shall be filed with the Secretary of said Board of Supervisors. Before a ballot is delivered to a land owner for him to vote for against the issuing, selling, or otherwise disposing of said refunding bonds, the said inspectors shall determine the number of acres owned by such land owner or voter and shall indicate in writing the number of acres so owned by such land owner or voter upon his ballot before such land owner or voter casts his vote, and such vote by such land owner shall be counted for or against such refunding bond issue according to the number of acres indicated on the said ballot as aforesaid. The election shall be held, except as herein otherwise provided, as is now provided by law for the election of the said Board of Supervisors of the said district. The costs of said election shall be paid by the said Board of Supervisors out of and from the funds of said district.

Senator Putnam moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 657 as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 657 as amended was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators 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.

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—

Senate Bill No. 341:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and regulating the business and transactions of banks, bankers and general banking, including trust companies and operators thereof, in the State of Florida.

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

The Committee on Banking offered the following Substitute for Senate Bill No. 341:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 4087, 4126, 4128, 4137, 4144, 4145, 4146, 4147, 4148, 4151, 4152, 4155, 4159, 4160, 4161 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, and Section 1 of Chapter 7930 and Section 1 of Chapter 7935, Laws of Florida, and Sections 4162, 4164, 4165, 4166, 4167, 4171, 4183,

4185, 4186, 4187, 4189, 4191 and 4200 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to banking.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 341 be read the first time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 341 was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Scales moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 341 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Pending the second reading of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 341.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 341 be made a special continuing order for Wednesday afternoon, May 22, 1929.

Pending the consideration of the motion made by Mr. Anderson.

The extended hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 5:30 o'clock p. m., until 11 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, May 22, 1929.