

than five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars be let, except with the concurrence of a majority of the membership of the entire Board.

All regular meetings of the Board shall be held at a meeting place to be fixed and determined by the Board but special meetings may be held upon call of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman, at any place within or without the State of Florida.

Section 2. Before entering upon the discharge of their duties, each appointed member of the Board shall take and subscribe to an oath before an officer authorized to administer oaths, that he will honestly, faithfully and impartially perform the duties of the office, and that he will not be interested, directly or indirectly, in any contract let by said District, which oath shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State. Each appointed member of the Board shall also enter into bond with a Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of Florida, as surety, in the penal sum of \$10,000.00, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties, which said bond shall be payable to the Governor of Florida, and his successors in office and shall be filed with the State Treasurer; the premium of such bond shall be paid by the District.

Section 3. The Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District, in addition to all other powers which are now or may hereafter be by law conferred upon it, shall have the following further powers:

(a) To pass upon the general plans of every sub-district, after conference with the officials thereof, solely to determine whether such plans are reasonably consistent with the general plans of Everglades Drainage District.

(b) To police the District for the purpose of preventing damage by fire or otherwise.

(c) To adopt rules and regulations for the development and administration of sub-districts, but only to the extent that such rules and regulations are necessary for the success and well-being of Everglades Drainage District as a whole, and by such rules and regulations to coordinate the work of the sub-districts for the sole purpose of rendering effective the operation of the drainage works of Everglades Drainage District.

(d) To prescribe rules and regulations with respect to the use by sub-districts and landowners of the outlet capacity of canals constructed by Everglades Drainage District, to the end that the said canals may be made to function efficiently.

(e) To grant permits to sub-districts and landowners for the use of the outlet capacity of canals constructed by said Everglades Drainage District, and permits to construct dams, dikes and levees, within said Everglades Drainage District or in any canal constructed by said District.

(f) To permit the use by any sub-district of any right-of-way, easement, or other property which is now or may hereafter be, owned by Everglades Drainage District.

Section 4. The Board shall have the right and authority to enter into contracts or other arrangements with the United States, or any department thereof, with reference to the control of Lake Okeechobee and any other phases of the work of said Board as herein provided, and shall have the right to enter into agreements with the said United States, or any department thereof, and with any flood control district which may be created by law embracing the lands within Everglades Drainage District, for co-operation or assistance in maintaining, using and operating the works of the District; or for making surveys and investigations or reports; and shall have the right to transfer and convey to the United States, or any department of the Government thereof, or any such flood control district any of the works of said Everglades Drainage District, or the control or operation of said works, whenever it shall seem to said Board that to do so will redound to the benefit of said Everglades Drainage District, subject, however, to the provision that the said works shall always be controlled and operated with due regard to the obligations and needs of Everglades Drainage District with respect to drainage and reclamation.

Provided, however, that nothing contained in this Section or this Act shall in any manner interfere with the powers of Okeechobee Flood Control Board as provided for in the Act creating said Okeechobee Flood Control Board and the right of said Okeechobee Flood Control Board to take over any of the works or lands under control of the Everglades Drainage District necessary and incidental to and for the purposes for which said Okeechobee Flood Control Board is created.

Section 5. No sub-district or landowner, or any other person, shall connect any ditch, drain or canal with any canal constructed by Everglades Drainage District, nor pump water from land into any such canal, nor construct a dam or other obstruction in any such canal, without having first obtained a permit in writing so to do from the Board.

Section 6. For the purpose of constructing, completing and maintaining the works of Drainage and Reclamation hereby authorized, and for the benefit and protection of the lands in said District, and for carrying on the business of said District generally, and in lieu and instead of all other acreage taxes or assessments now authorized to be levied by said Board, annual assessment of taxes shall be and hereby are levied and imposed upon all lands within said district for the year 1929 and subsequent years as follows, to-wit:

Upon all lands described in Zone No. 1 as the same is defined by Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$1.30 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and a tax of \$1.45 per acre for each year thereafter.

Upon all lands described in Zone No. 2, as the same is defined by Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$0.95 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and a tax of \$1.10 per acre for each year thereafter.

Upon all lands described in Zone No. 3, as the same is defined by Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$0.80 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and a tax of \$0.90 per acre for each year thereafter.

Upon all lands described in Zone No. 4, as the same is defined by Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$0.65 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and a tax of \$0.75 per acre for each year thereafter.

Upon all lands described in Zone No. 4-a, as the same is defined by Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$0.60 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and a tax of \$0.75 per acre for each year thereafter.

Upon all lands described in Zone No. 5, as the same is defined by Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$0.50 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and a tax of \$0.75 per acre for each year thereafter.

Upon all lands described in Zone No. 5-A, as the same is defined by Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$0.50 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and a tax of \$0.75 per acre for each year thereafter.

Upon all lands described in Zone No. 5-B, as the same is defined by Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$0.10 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and a tax of \$0.15 per acre for each year thereafter.

Upon all other lands within said District, except the lands which are exempt from acreage tax under the provisions of said Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, a tax of \$0.08 per acre for each of the years 1929 and 1930, and \$0.09 per acre for each year thereafter.

Provided however, that there shall be deducted from the taxes hereinabove provided for as to each acre of land within said District in each year, an amount equal to the sum of money levied for such year upon such land as an acreage tax, under the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Florida, creating Okeechobee Flood Control District, and such deduction shall be made by the Board at the time Everglades Drainage District taxes are certified to the several Tax Assessors in each year.

The Board shall, as soon as practicable, after the passage and approval of this Act, certify to the Tax Assessor of each county containing lands within said District, the acreage taxes levied upon the said lands in accordance with the foregoing provisions for the year 1929 and each Tax Assessor shall extend upon the tax roll for the year 1929 the amount of taxes so certified, in lieu of other acreage taxes certified by said Board to the said Tax Assessors for the year 1929.

The lands within the said District held by the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund shall be subject to the taxes hereby imposed and to all other taxes, including maintenance and ad valorem tax levied or to be levied and special assessments authorized to be levied under the provisions of this Act and the said Trustees in furtherance of the trusts upon which the said lands are held, are hereby authorized and empowered to pay the same out of any fund in their possession, derived from the sale of lands or otherwise.

All of the provisions of existing laws with reference to acreage taxes authorized to be levied by the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District under the provisions of Chapter 12017, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, are hereby made applicable to the Acreage taxes levied under the provisions of this Act.

Section 7. Whenever the owners of 30% of the acreage of any contiguous body of land within the District shall file with the Board a petition that the said contiguous body of land shall be constituted into a "Development Unit" for the construction of main, arterial or outlet canals or the improvement by deepening, widening or extending of any existing main, arterial or outlet canal which may be necessary or desirable in the reclamation of the said contiguous body of land, or for the construction of any protective or control works, and unless at a hearing to be had thereon, after publication of notice, the owners of 50% or more of the acreage within the said contiguous body of land shall object to the creation of said development unit and if in the judgment of the Board it shall be for the best interest of the District, the said contiguous body of land or some part thereof to be determined by the Board, shall be constituted into a development unit, by resolution of the Board, which shall designate the said development unit by number and fix the boundaries thereof.

Upon the adoption of a resolution constituting a development unit, the Board shall cause to be prepared and shall adopt plans and specifications for the work to be performed in said development unit, which said plans and specifications shall thereafter become known as the "plan of improvement" for the said development unit, and at the same time the Board shall estimate the cost of executing the said plan of improvement.

Section 8. When a development unit shall be constituted and a plan of improvement therefor shall be adopted, the Board shall appoint five appraisers who shall be freeholders residing within the State of Florida, and who shall not be land-owners within the said development unit, nor of kin within the fourth degree of consanguinity to any person owning lands in said development unit. A majority of said appraisers shall constitute a quorum, and a concurrence of a majority shall be necessary and sufficient for the determination of all matters within the duties of said appraisers.

Section 9. The Secretary shall notify the appraisers of their appointment, and shall state the time and place for the first meeting of said appraisers. The Secretary of the District, or his deputy, shall attend such meeting, and shall furnish the appraisers a complete list of lands embraced within such development unit, and a copy of the plan of improvement. The said appraisers, at their first meeting, shall each take and subscribe to an oath that he will faithfully and impartially discharge his duties as such appraiser, and make a true report of the work performed by him. The said appraisers shall also at said meeting elect one of their number chairman and the Secretary of the District or his deputy shall be ex-officio secretary of said appraisers.

Section 10. Immediately after qualifying as provided for in the preceding section, the appraisers shall begin their duties; they may at any time call upon the attorney of the District for legal advice and information relative to their duties and the Chief Engineer or one of his assistants shall accompany said appraisers when engaged in the discharge of their duties and shall render his opinion in writing when requested so to do. Said appraisers shall proceed to view the premises and determine the value of all lands within or without the development unit and within or without the District, to be acquired for rights-of-ways, holding basins, or other works set out in the plan of improvement; they shall appraise the amount of benefits and the amount of damages also, if any, that will accrue to each tract of land within the development unit, and to railroads and other rights-of-ways not traversed by such works, from carrying out and executing the plan of improvement. The appraisers, in appraising the benefits to lands, railroads and other rights-of-ways, not traversed by such works, shall not consider what benefits will be derived by such property after other ditches, improvements or plans of reclamation shall have been constructed, but they shall appraise only such benefits as will be derived from the construction of the works and improvements set out in the plan of improvement. The appraisers shall give due consideration and credit to any other canal or canals or works of reclamation which may have already been constructed and which may afford partial or complete protection to any tract or parcel of land in the development unit. The appraisers shall have no power to change the plan of improvement.

Section 11. Upon the making of any appraisal hereunder, the appraisers shall prepare a tabulated report of their findings, which shall be bound in book form, such record shall contain a description of the property appraised and the amount of benefits or damages as may have been appraised to each

parcel of land described therein. It shall not be necessary to set forth the names of the owners of any of said lands. When the said report shall have been completed, it shall be signed by at least three of the appraisers and deposited with the Secretary of the Board. A copy thereof, certified by the Secretary, under the seal of the District, shall be deposited with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, who shall receive a fee of \$5.00 per volume for receiving and filing the same.

Section 12. Upon the filing of the report of the appraisers, the Clerk of said court shall give notice thereof by causing publication to be made as provided by this Act; it shall not be necessary for the said notice to name the parties interested, nor to describe the separate lots or tracts of land, but it shall be sufficient to publish the said notice in the following form:

"To all owners of land within Development Unit No.of Everglades Drainage District: Notice is hereby given that the appraisers heretofore appointed, have filed their report of benefits and damages to accrue from the execution of the plan of improvement for Development Unit No.....of Everglades Drainage District and all owners of land within said Development Unit and all parties interested, are hereby notified that the said report is on file in my office and may be examined, and that exceptions may be filed thereto on or before the day of 19.....

.....
Clerk of the Circuit Court
of County,
Florida."

Section 13. The owners of any land affected by said report may file exceptions thereto on or before the date fixed in the notice to be published as aforesaid, which said date shall be not less than 30 days nor more than 60 days after the filing of said report, provided, that the Court, for good cause shown, may extend the time for the filing of exceptions in particular cases upon the application of any land owner.

Section 14. Upon the expiration of the time fixed for the filing of exceptions, if no exceptions are filed, or if it is shown, upon a hearing before the Court, that the estimated cost of construction of improvements contemplated in the plan of improvement is less than the benefits assessed against the lands in said Development Unit, the court shall approve and confirm the report of the appraisers, but if the court, upon such hearing, shall find that for any reason the said exceptions or any of them should be sustained, the court may order the report of the appraisers changed to conform with such findings, and when so changed, the court shall approve and confirm such report and enter its decree accordingly. The Court shall adjudge and apportion the costs incurred by the exceptions filed, and shall condemn any land or other property within or without the boundary lines of the Development Unit or within or without the boundary lines of the District which may be needed for rights-of-ways, holding basins and other works, or that may be needed for material to be used in constructing said works, following as nearly as possible the procedure that is now provided by law for the condemnation of lands or other property for railroads.

The Clerk of said Court shall deliver a certified copy of the decree of the court confirming said report to the Secretary of the District, and shall also transmit a certified copy of the said decree and that part of the said report affecting land in each county, to the clerk of the circuit court of each county having lands within said Development Unit, or which are affected by the said report, and the same shall thereupon become a permanent record in the office of such Clerk and each such clerk shall receive a fee of \$1.00, for receiving, filing and preserving the same.

Section 15. The Board shall have full power and authority to build, construct, excavate and complete any and all works which may be needed to carry out, maintain and protect the plan of improvement of any development unit, and to that end may employ men and equipment and operate the same directly, or in the discretion of the Board, contracts may be let for such works and improvements, either as a whole or in sections, and when such contracts are let, the same shall be advertised and let to the lowest and best bidder, who shall give a good and approved bond, with ample security, to be approved by the Board.

Section 16. After the lists of lands with the appraised benefits and the decree and judgment of the court have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court as provided by this Act, the Board shall, without any unnecessary delay, levy a tax of such portion of said benefits on all lands in the development unit, to

which benefits have been appraised, as may be found necessary to pay the costs of executing the plan of improvement and in addition thereto 10% of said total amount for emergency. The said tax shall be apportioned to and levied on each tract of land in said development unit in proportion to the benefits appraised and not in excess thereof, and in case bonds are issued as hereinafter provided, a tax shall be levied in a sum of not less than an amount, 90% of which shall be equal to the principal of said bonds. The amount of bonds to be issued for paying the costs of the works as set forth in the plan of improvement shall be ascertained and determined by the Board, but the total amount of bonds to be issued for the purposes of executing the plan of improvement of any development unit shall not exceed 90% of the benefits appraised to the lands within such development unit. The amount of interest, as estimated by the Board which will accrue on such bonds shall be included and added to the said tax, but the interest to accrue on account of said bonds shall not be construed as a part of the cost of construction in determining whether or not the cost of construction is equal to or in excess of the benefits appraised. The Secretary of the District, as soon as said total tax is levied, shall, at the expense of the District, prepare a list thereof in the form of a well bound book, which shall be endorsed and named: "Drainage tax record of Development Unit No. of Everglades Drainage District", which endorsement shall be printed or written at the top of each page in said book and shall be signed and certified by the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Board and attested by the seal of the District, and the same shall thereafter become a permanent record in the office of the Secretary.

Section 17. All drainage taxes provided for in the preceding section, together with all penalties for default in the payment of the same and all costs in collecting the same, shall, from the date of assessment thereof until paid, constitute a lien of equal dignity with the lien for State and County taxes and all taxes of equal dignity, upon all lands against which such taxes shall be levied, and such lien shall be evidenced by a certificate substantially in the following form:

"State of Florida,
 County of
 "This is to certify that by virtue and authority of the provisions of Chapter, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District, does hereby certify the taxes appearing in the foregoing record against the lands described therein.
 "The said taxes shall be payable in annual installments, the amount of each installment, as well as the amount of maintenance tax to be determined and certified to the County Collector of this county not later than the first day of November of each year. The aforesaid tax and such maintenance tax as may be levied from time to time are hereby declared a lien upon all lands described in this record.
 "Witness the signature of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District, attested by the seal of said District, and the signature of its Secretary, upon this..... day of, 19.....

"Chairman or Vice-Chairman.
 "Attest
 "Secretary"

The certificate shall be prepared in the form of a well bound book and shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of each of the counties having lands within said development unit, as the same may affect the lands in said county, and each such clerk shall receive a fee of \$1.00 for filing and preserving the said book.

Section 18. The Board shall each year thereafter determine, order and levy the amount of the annual installment of the total taxes levied upon lands within any development unit, which said annual installment of taxes shall become due and be collected during said year at the same time that State and county taxes are due and collected; also for the purpose of maintaining and preserving the works, constructed in the execution of the plan of improvement of each such development unit, and to repair and restore the same when needed, the Board may, upon the completion of said improvements, in whole or in part, each year levy a tax upon each tract or parcel of land within such development unit as to which benefits have been appraised, which said tax shall be apportioned upon the

basis of the benefits as shown by the report of the appraisers, but shall not exceed 10% thereof in any one year.

Section 19. The annual installment of taxes as fixed by the Board and the maintenance tax shall be certified to the Tax Assessor in like manner as other taxes are required to be certified by the Board.

Section 20. Each year the Board shall prepare for each county a list showing the amount of the annual installments of taxes and the amount of maintenance tax to be assessed for such year upon the lands within such county as to each development unit, and upon the preparation of such list, the Board shall give notice by publication once each week for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper published in each county containing lands affected by said list, fixing the date when the Board will sit, at a time and place to be designated therein, for the purpose of hearing objections and complaints to the preparation of such lists and to the amount of the annual installment of taxes and the maintenance tax levied by the Board each year. At the time and place fixed for such hearing, each owner of land affected may appear before the Board and be heard, and at such hearing the Board shall have the right to make such changes, corrections or alterations in such lists as may be deemed proper and equitable and thereafter the said Board shall adopt a resolution confirming such assessment.

Section 21. All of the provisions of Section 1168 to 1176 inclusive of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, which are Sections 1538 to 1547 inclusive of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, shall apply to the special assessments authorized to be levied under the provisions of this Act.

Section 22. The Board, whenever it shall seem necessary to meet the principal and interest of bonds issued by the District for the purpose of executing the plan of improvement of any Development Unit, shall have the power to increase the amount of the total taxes, provided only that the total amount of taxes levied upon lands in any Development Unit for the purpose of executing the plan of improvement for such Unit shall not exceed the total amount of benefits appraised to such lands, as shown by the report of the appraisers in respect to such Development Unit.

Section 23. In every case where a notice is provided for in this Act, if the court finds for any reason that due notice was not given, the court shall not thereby lose its jurisdiction, and the proceeding in question shall not thereby be void or abated, but the court shall in that case order due notice to be given, and shall continue the hearing until such time as notice shall be properly given, and there upon shall proceed as though notice had been properly given in the first instance.

In case any particular appraisal or appraisals, assessment or assessments, levy or levies, shall be held void for want of legal notice, or in case the Board shall determine that any notice with reference to any land or lands may be faulty, then the Board may publish a new notice; and in case the original notice as a whole shall be sufficient, but faulty only with reference to publication as to certain particular lands, in such cases the said new notice shall be published only with reference to such particular lands, and if the publication of any notice shall be found to be defective or not made in time, publication of the defective notice need be had only in the county in which the defect occurred.

Section 24. No fault in any notice or other proceedings shall affect the validity of any proceeding under this Act, except to the extent to which it can be shown that such fault resulted in a material denial of justice to the property owner complaining of such fault.

In case it be found upon a hearing, that by reason of some irregularity or defect in the proceedings, the appraisal has not been properly made, the Court may, nevertheless, on having proof that moneys have been expended by the District which constitute a proper charge against said property, make an order finding the amount of benefits to said property and appraising the proper benefits accordingly, and thereupon said land shall be appraised as other land equally benefitted.

In the event that the appraisal of benefits, either as a whole or in part, be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid by reason of any defect or irregularity in the proceedings therefor, whether jurisdictional or otherwise, the Court is hereby authorized and directed, on the application of the Board, or of any holder of bonds of the District, promptly and without delay, to remedy all defects or irregularities as the case may require by directing and causing to be made in the manner herein provided, a new appraisal of the amount of benefits against the whole or any part of the property as the case may require.

Section 25. It is hereby declared that in said Everglades Drainage District surface waters, which shall include rainfall

and the overflow of lakes, rivers and streams, are a common enemy and the said District, and any sub-district and any individual holding a permit so to do from said Everglades Drainage District shall have the right to dike, dam and construct levees to protect the said Everglades Drainage District, or any part thereof, or the said sub-district, or any part thereof, or the land of the said individual against the same, and thereby divert the course and flow of such surface waters.

Section 26. For the purpose of funding, retiring and paying obligations now owed by said District, which are not evidenced by bonds, and for the purpose of the District generally, the Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District is hereby authorized to issue and sell bonds in an amount not to exceed three million (\$3,000,000.00) dollars, in addition to all bonds now actually issued and outstanding. The Board may also issue and sell bonds of the District for the purpose of paying the cost of the work set out in the plan of improvement of any Development Unit, but the amount of bonds to be issued for the purpose of executing any such plan of improvement shall not exceed 90% of the benefits appraised to the lands within such Development Unit. The said Board may also issue and sell refunding bonds under the authority of existing laws. The said Board shall have no authority to issue new bonds of said District, except for the purposes and in the amounts herein specified, in addition to the bonds of said district now actually issued and outstanding.

All of the provisions of Sections 1554, 1555, 1556, 1557, 1558, 1560 and 1561, Compiled General Laws of Florida shall remain in force and be applicable to new bonds and refunding bonds authorized to be issued by said Board, except that the said bonds shall be signed only by the Chairman or Vice Chairman of the Board and by the Treasurer of the District.

Section 27. The Board shall employ a Secretary and such assistant secretaries as may be required to transact the business of the district.

Section 28. In the month of June of each year, or oftener if the Governor shall so order, the Board shall make a report to the Governor of its proceedings and an accounting of receipts and disbursements to that date; and thereupon the Governor shall order a reasonable number of such reports to be printed and distributed to persons interested.

Section 29. As soon as practicable after their appointment the Board shall cause an audit of the books, records and accounts of the District to be made by a disinterested certified public accountant duly licensed to practice in the State of Florida. When completed, the report of said audit shall be filed with the Governor and the Board shall order printed, at the expense of the District, for distribution to persons interested, without charge through the office of the Secretary, as many copies of said report as may be deemed necessary. The said report shall contain an inventory of all of the physical property of the District.

Section 30. Not less than thirty (30) days before the convening of the regular session of the Legislature to be held in the year 1931, and bi-annually thereafter the Board shall make a complete and detailed report of its activities to the Governor and the financial and economic status of the District, including all engineering, financial and other data which may have been accumulated by said Board, and shall include in such report the recommendations of the Board as to any legislation which should be enacted with reference to said District.

Section 31. The members of the Board shall receive no compensation, but shall be entitled to their necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. Each appraiser shall receive ten (\$10.00) dollars per day and expenses for the time actually and necessarily employed in the performance of his duties. Any public officer performing duties under this Act shall receive therefor the compensation provided by law for the same or similar services.

Section 32. Should any land which is liable to taxation be omitted from any list herein required to be made and certified to the several tax assessors as herein provided, it shall be the duty of the Board when the said omission shall have been discovered to indicate upon the list, or lists, required to be certified in any subsequent year against the lands which so escaped taxation, the amount of taxes for each year for which such lands escaped taxation, indicating thereon the year for which the said tax or assessment was omitted. It shall be the duty of the Tax Assessors of the several counties to enter on their assessment rolls the amount of all such omitted taxes or assessments, indicating the year or years for which such tax or assessment was levied, and to collect the same at the time of collecting current taxes or assessments and to sell such lands for non-payment of

such taxes or assessments; and all tax sale certificates for such lands on which omitted taxes or assessments are assessed shall also show such omitted taxes or assessments.

Section 33. (a) Whenever the term "person" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean a person, firm, co-partnership, association, or corporation, other than a county, town, city or other political subdivision.

(b) Whenever the term "land" or "real property" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean real estate, as the words "real estate" are defined under the laws of the State of Florida, and shall embrace all railroads, electric railroads, street and interurban railroads, highways, roads, streets and street improvements, electric, telephone, telegraph, and transmission lines, gas, electric, sewer and water systems, water rights, drainage ditches; pipe lines and rights-of-way of public or private corporations; and all other real property whether held for public or private use.

(c) Whenever the term "land" or "property" is used with reference to benefits, appraisals, assessments, or taxes, public corporations shall, as political entities, be considered as included in such reference, in the same manner as "land" or "property".

(d) Whenever the term "tax" or "taxes" or "acreage taxes" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean the special assessments directly levied and imposed by this Act.

(e) Whenever the term "assessments" or "special assessments" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean all special assessments which the Board is authorized to levy and impose under this Act.

(f) Whenever the term "publication" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean a publication once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks in a newspaper published in each county containing lands affected by said notice. It shall not be necessary that publication shall be made on the same day of the week in each of the three weeks, but not less than fourteen (14) days (excluding the day of the first publication) shall intervene between the day of the first publication and the day of the last publication, and publication shall be complete on the date of the last publication.

(g) Whenever the term "Court" or "Circuit Court" is used in this Act and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean the Circuit Court of the county within which the development unit lies, or, if the said development unit shall contain lands within more than one county, then it shall be construed to mean the Circuit Court of the county containing the greatest number of acres of land within said development unit.

(h) Whenever the term "Clerk" or "Clerk of the Circuit Court" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county within which the development unit lies, or, if the said development unit shall embrace lands within more than one county then it shall be construed to mean the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county which embraces the greatest number of acres of land within said development unit.

(i) Whenever the term "District" or "Drainage District" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean Everglades Drainage District.

(j) Whenever the term "sub-district" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean any drainage or reclamation district or sub-district lying wholly or partially within Everglades Drainage District, whether heretofore or hereafter organized.

(k) Whenever the term "Board" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean Board of Commissioners of Everglades Drainage District.

(l) Whenever the term "Assessor" or "Tax Assessor" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean the County Assessor of Taxes of each county lying wholly or partly within the Everglades Drainage District.

(m) Whenever the term "Collector" or "Tax Collector" is used, and not otherwise specified, it shall be construed to mean the Tax Collector of each county, lying wholly or partly within Everglades Drainage District.

(n) Whenever the word "Treasurer" or the term "Treasurer of District" is used and not otherwise specified, it shall be deemed to mean the State Treasurer.

Section 34. If any section, clause, or provision of this Act shall be held unconstitutional or void, it shall not affect or render invalid or inoperative any other provision, section, or clause of this Act.

Section 35. Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to amend, repeal or modify the provisions of Chapter 8412, Acts of 1921.

Section 36. All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 37. This Act shall take effect upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon becoming a law without such approval.

Amendment No. 2—Strike all of the title and insert in lieu thereof the following title:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Everglades Drainage District; amending Section 1161, Revised General Statutes of Florida, relating to the Board of Commissioners of said District; providing a Board of Commissioners for said District, to be composed of certain State officers and five (5) members to be appointed by the Governor, and defining the powers of said Board; providing for the levying, assessment and collection of Drainage taxes in Everglades Drainage District; to provide for the creation of Development Units within said Everglades Drainage District, and the making and adoption of a plan of improvement for each such Development Unit and for the appraisal of benefits and damages to accrue from the execution of such plan of improvement and for the levying, assessment and collection of special assessments, and for the sale of lands for the non-payment thereof, and for the redemption of lands from such sales for the purpose of providing funds to execute such plan of improvement; to authorize the issuance of additional bonds by said District and to provide for the payment thereof; to limit the amount of bonds which may be issued by said District; to provide for a hearing of exceptions to reports of appraisers and the confirmation thereof in a judicial proceedings; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith.

Very respectfully,

A. W. YOUNG,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 499, contained in the above report, together with committee amendments, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Gary, Chairman of the Committee on Mining and Mineral Resources, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 23, 1929.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Mining and Mineral Resources, to whom was referred:

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.

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

Very respectfully,

W. T. GARY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 536, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Turner—

Senate Bill No. 571:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a State road to be known as State Road Number Eighty-one "A", in Levy County.

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

Senator Singletary announced that all bills which are now before the Committee on Roads and Highways are returned to the Calendar without recommendation.

Senator Singletary moved that the rules be waived and all bills introduced from now on relating to roads and highways be placed on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

By Senator Caro—

Senate Bill No. 572:

A bill to be entitled An Act to empower the County of Escambia to acquire by gift, purchase or otherwise any portion of or interest in the bridge across Perdido Bay known as Lillian Bridge and any stock or interest in stock of any corporation which con-

structed or operated said bridge owned or controlled by the County of Baldwin or other governmental agency of the State of Alabama or other person, including the whole or any part of the lands, buildings, easements, rights of way and abutments in the State of Alabama constituting a part of or connected with or appertaining to said bridge; to empower said County of Escambia, alone or by consent of or in conjunction with the County of Baldwin in the State of Alabama or any public authority of said State or any individual or corporation to repair or reconstruct and to maintain and operate said Lillian Bridge as a toll bridge or free bridge as the County Commissioners of said County may from time to time determine; to empower the County Commissioners of said County of Escambia for the purpose of reconstructing or repairing said bridge or any portion thereof and buildings and abutments connected therewith to issue and sell at not less than par bonds of said County not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent, becoming due at such time or in installments of such amounts and at such times not exceeding thirty years and payable at such place in or out of the State all as may be determined by said County Commissioners; to require the creation of an interest and sinking fund to pay the principal and interest of said bonds; to irrevocably pledge for the payment of said bonds and interest thereon all net tolls from said bridge accruing or received by said County if said bridge be operated as a toll bridge; to require monthly payment of said net tolls into said interest and sinking fund; to require the levy, collection and payment into such fund of a tax each year sufficient with said net tolls to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as same become due; to authorize the validation of said bonds if deemed advisable by said County Commissioners and to grant powers to said County Commissioners and make provisions with respect to the ownership, maintenance and operation of said bridge.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading, the following proof of publication being attached thereto:

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,
County of Escambia.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared John H. Payne, 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 construction of a bridge across Escambia Bay and Perdido Bay, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 17, 1929, of the Pensacola Journal, a newspaper or newspapers published in Escambia 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 Escambia 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) JOHN H. PAYNE,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this April 24th, 1929.

(Seal)

(Signed) V. A. BRUNO,
Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires March 18, 1930.

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 Wagg—
Senate Bill No. 573:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Frank A. Bryan, individually and as Clerk of the Circuit Court of Broward County, Florida.

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

By Senator Wagg—
Senate Bill No. 574:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Lillie M. Smith, individually and as Tax Collector of Broward County, Florida.

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

By Senator Knabb—
Senate Bill No. 575:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and provide for the

assessment of subdivisions or platted lots on an acreage basis in lieu of other methods and requirements of assessment and to permit redemption upon an acreage basis of such lands heretofore otherwise assessed.

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

By Senator McCall—
Senate Bill No. 576:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1992, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to insurance on State properties and making appropriation to carry out the purposes of this Act.

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

By Senator Waybright—
Senate Bill No. 577:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying and confirming a certain contract made by and between the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, a municipal corporation, also known as the Borough of South Jacksonville, and Better Homes Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, providing, among other things, for the furnishing and installation by the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, under, over and upon a certain tract of land situate in said city known as Villa Alexandria Tract, in Duval County, Florida, of storm sewers, sanitary sewers, water mains and distribution systems, electric street lighting and fire alarm systems, and general lighting and electric distribution systems, and for the construction and installation by said Better Homes Company, in, on and upon said tract, of certain grading, paving, bulkheading, filling and sidewalks.

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

By Senator Waybright—
Senate Bill No. 578:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate all acts and proceedings of the Mayor and City Council of the City of South Jacksonville in connection with the issuance of One Hundred Twenty Thousand (\$120,000.00) Dollars Municipal Improvement Bonds of the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, including ordinance numbered 354 of said city, and the sale of said bonds.

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

By Senator Futch—
Senate Bill No. 579:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Leesburg to make partial release of real estate under liens for assessments for local improvement.

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

By Senator Waybright—
Senate Bill No. 580:

A bill to be entitled An Act amplifying and extending the jurisdiction and powers of the City of South Jacksonville, a municipal corporation in Duval County, Florida, and generally amending its Charter.

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

By Senator Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 581:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the fees and compensation to be charged by the County Judge, acting as Judge of Probate.

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

By Senator Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 582:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the duties and compensation of County Officials paid in whole or in part by fees or commissions; requiring an annual budget of official expenses; prescribing the manner of paying such expenses and such compensation; and requiring all fees and commissions to be paid into the county depository.

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

By Senator Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 583:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida,

to establish a park of Bayshore Boulevard situate in the County of Hillsborough and running from the city limits of the City of Tampa to Gandy Boulevard, and to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, to expend a sum not exceeding twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) annually in beautifying the said park, out of the general funds of the said county.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading, the following proof of publication being attached thereto:

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF PUBLICATION

State of Florida,
County of Hillsborough.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared R. E. Belcher, 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 An Act for Park, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of March 23, 30, April 6, 13, 1929 A. D. of, the Tampa Life, a newspaper or newspapers published in Hillsborough 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) R. E. BELCHER,
Editor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of April, 1929.
(Seal)

(Signed) J. B. HARRIS,

Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires April 18th, 1930.

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 Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 584:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Tampa to pay to D. W. Chapman not exceeding eighteen thousand five hundred (\$18,500) dollars for work done and materials furnished in the construction of the Tampa Municipal Hospital, and providing the condition upon which said moneys may be paid.

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 Hillsborough.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared J. S. Mims, 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 City of Tampa to pay D. W. Chapman moneys for work done and materials furnished in the construction of Tampa Municipal Hospital, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 10, 1929, of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a newspaper or newspapers published in Hillsborough County or Counties, Florida (or), there being no newspapers, 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) J. S. MIMS,

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

(Signed) HAROLD L. MIMS,

Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires January 16, 1932.

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.

By Senator Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 585:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County of Hillsborough to assume as a county obligation certain bonded indebtedness of special road and bridge districts lying wholly within the county, and to issue county bonds and levy taxes therefor, providing the manner and method of carrying into effect the power and authority conferred by this Act, defining County Roads and declaring a county purpose.

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 Hillsborough.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared J. S. Mims, 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 County of Hillsborough to assume as a county obligation certain bonded indebtedness of special road and bridge districts, to issue county bonds and levy taxes therefor. Has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 12, 19, 26, May 3, 1929, of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a newspaper or newspapers published in Hillsborough 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 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) J. S. MIMS,
General Manager.

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

(Signed) HAROLD L. MIMS,
Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires January 16th, 1932.

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.

By Senator Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 586:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the fees to be charged by sheriffs.

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

By Senator Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 587:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Juvenile Court in and for Hillsborough County, Florida, to have its offices and to hold court at the county seat of Hillsborough County, to-wit: Tampa, Florida, in some place other than the courthouse.

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 Hillsborough.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared R. E. Belcher, 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 and empowering the Juvenile Court in and for Hillsborough County to have its offices and hold court in some place

other than the court house, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of March 30, April 6, 13, 20, 1929, of the Tampa Life, a newspaper or newspapers published in Hillsborough 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 Hillsborough 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) R. E. BELCHER,
Editor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd day of April, 1929.
(Seal)

(Signed) J. B. HARRIS,
Notary Public, State of Florida.
My commission expires April 18th, 1930.

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.

By Senator Welsh—
Senate Bill No. 588:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 12286, Acts of 1927, Laws of Florida, entitled: "An Act defining Naturopathy, providing for and regulating the practice of naturopathy in the State of Florida; creating the Florida State Board of Naturopathic Examiners, fixing their terms of office; providing for the appointment of members of said board; defining the powers and duties of said board; to establish rules and regulations governing said board; providing for the licensing and examination of naturopaths in the State of Florida; providing for the charging of fees for the same; regulating the use of professional terms and abbreviations; providing for prosecution and penalties for violation of the provisions of this Act, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith".

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

By the Committee on Agriculture and Live Stock—
Senate Bill No. 589:

A bill to be entitled An Act to accept the provisions of the Act of Congress of the United States, approved May 22, 1928, entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of agricultural extension work between the Agricultural Colleges in the several States receiving the benefits of the Act entitled, 'An Act donating public lands of the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts', approved July 2, 1862, and all Acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture", and

Which was read the first time by its title only.
Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 589 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
And Senate Bill No. 589 was read a second time in full.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 589 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
And Senate Bill No. 589 was read a third time in full.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Neel, Phillips, Putnam, Rowe, Singletary, Stewart, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Welsh, Young—32

Nays—None.
So the bill passed, title as stated.
And the same was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

By Senator Young—
Senate Bill No. 590:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5179, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to the salary and fees of the judge of the county court.

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

CONSIDERATION OF OTHER RESOLUTIONS

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 22, 1929.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22:

A Concurrent Resolution providing for the appointment of a Special Legislative Committee to confer with the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions on the subject of employment of prison labor.

WHEREAS, by reason of the enactment by the Congress of the United States of a bill prohibiting the shipment of goods and interstate commerce, which were manufactured by prison labor, except to institutions and other States in exchange for prison-made goods from those States; and

WHEREAS, there is considerable complaint from persons in the State of Florida alleging undue competition by prison labor as it is now handled with other labor in the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, it is essential to the welfare of the State that the subject of employment of prison labor be taken up, considered and worked out to some definite conclusion before the convening of the next Legislature in order that the Legislature may pass necessary measures to meet the satisfaction and to have convicts in Florida so employed that they will earn a part of their cost and maintenance; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida, consisting of the Governor and his Cabinet, have requested that a Special Committee be appointed to work with them in the solution of this problem; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That a Special Committee of five members of the Legislature, to be composed of two Senators to be appointed by the President of the Senate, and three Representatives, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, be appointed and constituted as a Standing Joint Committee of the Legislature to act as such until the 1931 session of the Legislature shall convene, which Committee shall confer with the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida in reference to the employment of prison labor, and shall make such investigations of the best methods and means of employment of prison labor as the necessities of the occasion seem to require with a view of reporting the result of their investigations to the next session of the Legislature. The expenses incurred by said Committee, in performing their duties, shall be paid in like manner as other Legislative Committees' expenses are paid.

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

In connection with the preceding resolution the following communication was read:

Board of Commissioners of State Institutions,
Tallahassee, May 22, 1929.

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

Sir:

By direction of the Board I am transmitting a resolution passed by it at its meeting held May 20th, which is self-explanatory.

Very respectfully,
MALLIE MARTIN,

Secretary to the Board.

WHEREAS, the question of employment of the State convicts at some gainful occupation which will produce a profit to be used for their maintenance and at the same time not unduly compete with free labor is one which must be worked out and decided because of the recent enactment by Congress prohibiting shipment of convict manufactured goods.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, That it recommend to the Legislature that a concurrent resolution be passed providing for the appointment of a special legislative committee to confer with the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions, and go into the matter before the next Legislature, and if possible before the present Legislature adjourns, with a view of working out the problem of handling prison labor, looking to the employment of the convicts in order to provide for their support and maintenance at a minimum cost which will not be in conflict with the recent said law, to come in undue conflict with free labor in the State, submitting their report to the Legislature of 1931.

The question recurred on the adoption of the resolution.

Which was agreed to.

And the resolution was adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

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—

Senate Bill No. 451:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that in counties having a population of more than 17,000, and not more than 18,000, by the last or fifth State Census, and proceeds from the sale of Special Road and Bridge District Bonds, remaining after paying for the construction of the improvement for which the bonds were issued, shall be applied to payment of interest on and retirement of such bonds.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 464:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify the extension of certain taxes of the City of Miami upon the assessment roll and the issuance of notes to anticipate the collection of certain of said taxes.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 466:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating Palmetto Golf and Park District in Manatee County, Florida, from the same territory included in Manatee County Commissioners District Number One, namely all that part of said county, lying north of Manatee River and west of the range line dividing ranges eighteen and nineteen in Manatee County, Florida, and authorizing said district through the county commissioners to issue its bonds, time warrants, negotiable notes or other evidences of indebtedness, to the amount of \$40,000.00 for the purchase of the golf course and park now owned and operated by Palmetto Golf Corporation, and for the maintenance, equipment and beautification of same, and providing for the county commissioners to manage and control said golf course and park and club house, locker house and appurtenances thereto, through a commission appointed by said board and authorizing employment of necessary employees to properly manage same and authorizing the collection of fees for the privilege of using said golf course and allied facilities and authorizing the sale or leasing of all or any part thereof, and providing for the issuance and sale, rate of interest, maturity date and other details incident to said issue of securities, and providing for the levy of a tax for the payment of principal and interest on said bonds and the creation of a sinking fund from said tax or the proceeds of any sale, lease or rent of said golf course or park or any part thereof, or fees collected for the use thereof, and providing further that said law shall not become operative until ratified by a majority of the qualified electors in said territory who are freeholders participating in an election called for that purpose and providing for the calling and conduct of said election, and other incidental matters and details properly connected with the general purpose and substance of said act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 497:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize County Commissioners of any county in the State of Florida, of a population of not less than 9,600 or more than 9,643, according to the State census of 1925, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in such counties, and setting forth the requirements of such voting machines, and prescribing the method of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting machines and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with the aid of such voting machines, shall be made; and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto, and prescribing a penalty for wilfully tampering or attempting to tamper disarrange, deface, or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 498:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 9 of "An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes for the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the back taxes and tax sale certificates of the City of Orlando," approved April 30th, 1903.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 499:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City Council of the City of Orlando to extend time for the payment of local improvement liens assessed under Chapter 10974, Laws of 1925, approved June 2nd, 1925.

Also—

Senate Bill No. 500:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 13 of An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes of the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the back taxes and tax sale certificates of said City," Approved April 30th, 1903, as amended by Section 1 of An Act entitled "An Act to amend Section 13 of An Act 'An Act to Provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes of the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the back taxes and tax sale certificates of said city, Approved April 30th, 1903'", being approved May 18, 1905, as amended by Section 1 of An Act to amend Section 13 of An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes of the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the Back Taxes and Tax Sale Certificates of said City", Approved April 30th, 1903, as amended by Section 1 of An Act entitled "An Act to amend Section 13 of an Act 'An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes of the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the Back Taxes and Tax Sale Certificates of said city, Approved April 30th, 1903,' and approved May 18th, 1905"; said Act approved May 8th, 1925, relating to collection of delinquent taxes in the City of Orlando.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 451, 464, 466, 497, 498, 499 and 500, contained in the above message, were 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 22, 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—
Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Sixteen Ninety-two (1692), Section Seventeen Naught Four (1704), and Section Seventeen Naught Five (1705), of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida for Nineteen Hundred and Twenty (1920), relating to ferries, toll bridges, dams and log ditches, and providing for the operation of ferries, toll bridges, dams and log ditches thereunder.

Also—

House Bill No. 1096:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the issuance of refunding bonds by the Town of Crystal River, Florida, and to provide for their payment.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76 contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

And House Bill No. 1096, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Also—

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 22, 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. 450:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the maintenance and construction of roads in the State of Florida by the State Road Department and to appropriate funds for construction of such roads in the various counties of the State.

Also—

House Bill No. 532:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the taking, killing and trapping of game and fur-bearing animals in the County of Collier, State of Florida, and providing for a closed season on quail

in said county, prescribing the duties for all peace officers having jurisdiction in said county relative to the enforcement thereof, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

Also—

House Bill No. 1082:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of Brevard County highways to prohibit the deposit of deleterious substances on said highways and to fix penalty for violation of this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 450, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference, the rules having been waived.

And House Bill No. 532, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 1082, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

Senator Bell moved that House Bill No. 532 be referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Which was not agreed to.

And House Bill No. 532 was placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

Also—

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 22, 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. 625:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring nomination in primary elections of candidates for the office of County Commissioners to be by the voters of the county at large in all counties having a population according to the last State census of not less than 43,457 and not more than 44,000.

Also—

House Bill No. 872:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Osceola County, State of Florida, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in Osceola County, and setting forth the requirements of such voting machines, and prescribing the method of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting machines, and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with the aid of such voting machines shall be made, and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto, and prescribing a penalty for willfully tampering, or attempting to tamper, disarrange, deface, or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 979:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, State of Florida, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in Palm Beach County, and setting forth the requirements of such voting machines, and prescribing the method of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting machines, and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with the aid of such voting machines shall be made, and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto, and prescribing a penalty for willfully tampering, or attempting to tamper, disarrange, deface, or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 891:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the county commissioners of Pasco County, State of Florida, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in Pasco county, and setting forth the requirements of such voting machines, and prescribing the method of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting ma-

chines, and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with aid of such voting machines shall be made, and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto, and prescribing a penalty for wilfully tampering, or attempting to tamper, disarrange, deface, or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 940:

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

Also—

House Bill No. 966:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of any county having a population of not less than 38,000, nor more than 38,500, according to last State census of the State of Florida, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in any county having a population of not less than 38,000, nor more than 38,500, according to last State census, and setting forth the requirements of such voting machines, and prescribing the method of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting machines, and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with the aid of such voting machines shall be made, and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto, and prescribing a penalty for wilfully tampering, or attempting to tamper, disarrange, deface or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act.

Also—

House Bill No. 1020:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 1357, being An Act creating civil courts of record in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of more than one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants according to the last State census, and which said counties have no civil court of record yet established. Prescribing the jurisdiction of said courts; providing for the judges and the clerks of said civil courts of record, and prescribing for the jurisdiction of the supreme court and the circuit courts in relation to the said civil courts of record.

Also—

House Bill No. 1022:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating and confirming a certain deed executed by Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to Sidney Maddock, conveying Lot 1 and the east half of Lot 2 of Block 17, of the City of West Palm Beach, Florida, and confirming the title to said land.

Also—

House Bill No. 1026:

A bill to be entitled An Act concerning the issuance of refunding bonds by the City of Coral Gables.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 625, contained in the above message, was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference, the rules having been waived.

And House Bills Nos. 872, 979, 891, and 940, contained in the above message, were read the first time by their titles and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

And House Bills Nos. 966 and 1020, contained in the above message, were read the first time by their titles and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference, the rules having been waived.

And House Bills Nos. 1022 and 1026, contained in the above message, were read the first time by their titles and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading.

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, by the constitutional majority of three-fifths of all members elected to the House of Representatives, Session of the Legislature for 1929—

House Joint Resolution No 753.

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Florida by adding thereto an additional section to be known as "Section 13," relating to the taxation of motor vehicles.

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

That the following amendment to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to Taxation and Finance, by adding thereto an additional section to be known as "Section 13" providing for the manner of taxation of motor vehicles, be and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1930, that is to say, there shall be added to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to taxation and finance, an additional section to be known as "Section 13" of said Article, which shall read as follows:

Section 13. Motor vehicles, as property, shall be subject to only one form of taxation, which shall be a license tax for the operation of such motor vehicles, which license tax shall be in such amount and levied for such purpose as the Legislature may, by law, provide, and shall be in lieu of all ad valorem taxes assessable against motor vehicles as personal property.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Joint Resolution No. 753, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the Second Reading without reference, the rules having been waived.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 1082 was recalled from the committee to which it was referred and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference.

Senator Stewart moved that the rules be waived and all constitutional amendments now pending on the Calendar and those which come over from the House of Representatives be made a special order for Monday, May 27, 1929, at 3:00 o'clock p. m.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent House Bill No. 948 was ordered to be returned to the House of Representatives for further consideration.

The consideration of the continuing special order for Senate Bill No. 256 was taken up.

By unanimous consent the amendment to Senate Bill No. 256 by Senator Anderson pending at the hour of adjournment on Thursday, May 16, 1929, was withdrawn.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do take up the consideration of House Bill No. 448 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

By unanimous consent, Senate Bills Nos. 531 and 62 were withdrawn.

And—

House Bill No. 448:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for depository of sinking funds and delinquent taxes for road and bridge bonds of various counties and special road and bridge districts of the State, authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds by said counties and special road and bridge districts, and for the creation of a Board of Administration for the allotment and distribution of funds to the various counties and special road and bridge districts entitled to participate therein.

Was taken up out of its order and read a second time in full. Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 448 be substituted for Senate Bill No. 256 on the Calendar.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and House Bill No. 448 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 256 and assumed its place on the Calendar.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 3, line 14 (printed bill), strike out the comma after the word "control" and insert the following: "as administrator of such sinking funds."

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 3, line 16 (printed bill), insert the following after the word "forth": "The State Treasurer as County Treasurer

ex-officio shall retain such funds as shall be received from any county or district with the bank where the same is then deposited for such time as is reasonably necessary for any such bank to comply with the provisions of Section 17 of this Act".

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 3, line 26 (printed bill), strike out the words "County or district funds that have been in their possession, and receive from such boards, who are hereby authorized to make the same, final settlement for their services as bond trustees" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "such sinking funds as have been in their possession, or if such books and records contain other matter, then an exact certified copy of so much thereof as pertains to such sinking funds, and receive from such boards, who are hereby authorized to make the same, final settlement for their services as administrators of such sinking funds".

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 13, line 1 (printed bill), after the word "shall," insert the words: "as early as may be practicable after this Act shall become effective, and thereafter annually."

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 17, line 10 (printed bill), insert the following after the words "United States:" "or Special Tax School District Bonds."

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

At the end of Section 20 add the following:
"Section 20A. That in the case of Bond Trustees, who not only handle the moneys and funds of such county or district, but who also govern and administer the affairs of their respective county or district, including the issuance and sale of bonds and the building and construction and maintenance of the roads and bridges thereof, then the provisions of this Act shall apply only to the interest and sinking funds thereof, and such Bond Trustees shall continue in office and in the performance of their duties in the administration of the affairs and business of such district as may be authorized by law."

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Rowe offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 19 (printed bill), at the end of Section 19, page 19, add:

"Provided however, that any County Bonds already voted and authorized pursuant to any agreement between any county and the State Road Department which was made prior to April 1st, 1929, for the co-operative construction of any road, although not sold or delivered may participate in such distribution from the time the State Road Department receives the said bonds or the proceeds thereof for the purpose of carrying out said agreement."

Senator Rowe moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

At the end of Section 20, add the following:
"Section 20-A. That in the case of Bond Trustees, who not only handle the moneys and funds of such county or district, but who also govern and administer the affairs of their respective county or district, including the issuance and sale of bonds and the building and construction and maintenance of the roads and bridges thereof, then the provisions of this Act shall apply only to the interest and sinking funds thereof, and such Bond Trustees shall continue in office and in the performance of their duties in the administration of the affairs and business of such district as may be authorized by law."

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Turnbull moved that the rules be waived and the Senate reconsider the vote by which the above amendment was adopted.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And by unanimous consent the above amendment was withdrawn.

Senator Turnbull offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 18, (printed bill), add: "and that bonds issued by counties or otherwise that are payable out of the proceeds of special assessments—shall not participate."

Senator Turnbull moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the consideration of the motion to adopt the amendment,

Senator Anderson moved that the time of adjournment be extended 15 minutes.

Which was agreed to.

The question then recurred upon the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Turnbull.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and that the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senator Turnbull's amendment passed.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

By permission, the above amendment was withdrawn.

Senator Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 15, line 24 (page 14) (printed bill), strike out all the remaining section after the words: of Such Cancellation (period)."

Senator Scales moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Anderson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 15, line 5 (printed bill), strike out the words "in New York Exchange".

Senator Scales moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and that further consideration of House Bill No. 448 be made a special order immediately after convening this afternoon.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and so ordered.

Senator Hinely moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate took a recess at 1:12 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.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Mr. Phillips, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills of the Senate, submitted the following report.

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 23, 1929.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred—
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 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; defining certain terms used therein.

With the following amendments—

In Section 1, Page 5, line 11, insert after the word "Consumption" the following: "or as may be fixed by the State Game Commissioner by and with the consent of the Board of Commissioners of any county or counties."

In Section 1, Page 5, line 13, strike out the words "Doctor's Lake and".

In Section 1, Page 5, lines 17 and 18, strike out the words "and the Wacassassa River as far north as the mouth of Cow Creek".

In Section 45, line 4, at the end of section after words "State of Florida" and add the following: "Provided that no one person shall take or kill more than fifty rails or marsh hens in any one day".

In Section 51 add the words: "Bear and Bob cat".

In Section 51, lines 3 and 4, Page 45, strike out the words "are not subject to restrictions provided by this Act" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "and may be killed or captured at any time or place and in any manner".

In Section 20, line 3, Page 23, after the word "take" insert the following: "By hook and line, rod and reel, bob, spinner or troll".

"In Section 20, line 17, Page 23, after the word "residence" add: "and" or in all lakes and rivers and streams forming the boundary line or lines of counties.

In 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".

In Section 21, lines 5 and 6, Page 25, 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)."

In Section 20, page 25, add to Section: "Provided that any license issued for fishing in the fresh waters of the State under the provisions of Chapter 11838, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, shall be recognized or valid until August 1st, 1929, and until that date may be exchanged for similar license required by this Act upon the payment of additional cost and Judges fee."

In Section 3, page 10, line 9, strike out the words "the State Game Commissioner or any of his deputies," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Any Deputy Game Commissioner or Deputy Game Warden."

After Section 71, add as Section 71a the following:

"Section The board of County Commissioners of any county in this State shall have authority to provide, by resolution, for a closed season on the taking of fresh water fish from the fresh waters of this State, which closed season shall not exceed sixty consecutive days in length from the time of the beginning of same, and which closed season shall be observed, when so prescribed, in lieu of any closed season upon fishing prescribed in this Act. Resolutions fixing a closed season on the taking of fresh water fish, when passed under this Act, shall be published in a newspaper published in the county for not less than four consecutive issues after the adoption of the resolution and prior to the time fixed for the taking effect of the closed season prescribed, and a certified copy thereof shall be filed with the State Fresh Water Fish and Game Commissioner on or before the effective date of the same. Resolutions passed under authority of this Section revising the closed season on the taking of fish shall be limited to the particular season specified in such resolution, and no resolution shall be passed at any one time covering

more than one season. The County Commissioners shall provide for the printing and posting of copies of any resolution passed under this Section at such public places as they may deem advisable to give notice to the public that the closed season has been fixed for fresh water fish under this Section. It shall be unlawful for any person to take any fresh water fish during the period of any closed season fixed under authority of this Section. In the case of waters forming a part of a county line of any adjoining county, no closed season on fishing shall be prescribed in such waters, except by the concurrence of the Board of County Commissioners of each county of which said waters form a part of the boundary, and like proceeding shall be followed in waters lying in two or more counties.

In Section 57, after the word "season" at the end of this Section add "when such traps are being used to violate any of the provisions of this Act."

In Section 7, line 6 of page 16, after the words "or breeding ground" add "established under the provisions of this section."

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

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

In Section 36, page 37, line 19, strike out the words "Doctor's Lake and".

In Section 24, line 22, after the word "shad" add the following: "and Ocheesee Lake in Jackson County for the catching of Succors."

In Section 24, page 28, line 11, after the word "Mills" insert the following: "Loffin, Little St. Marys."

In Section 24, line 20, page 28, after the words "St. Johns River" insert the following: "from the mouth as far South as Volusia Bar."

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 or with hook and line."

In Section 4, page 12, strike out the words "and the Wacassa as far North as the mouth of Cow Creek."

In Section 3, page 10, line 9, strike out the words "the State Game Commissioner or any of his deputies," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "any Deputy Game Commissioner or Deputy Game Warden."

In Section 24, line 10, after the word "Chattahoochee" add "and Choctowhatchee."

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

"Section 2. The Department of Game and Fresh Water Fish and the office of State Game Commissioner are hereby created and shall be successor to the Department of Game and Fresh Water Fish and the State Game Commission, provided for by Chapter 11838, Acts of 1927, Laws of Florida. All powers, duties, properties and accounts of the present Department of Game and Fresh Water Fish and of the present State Game Commissioner, shall upon the effective date of this law, vest in the Department of Game and Fresh Water Fish and in the office of State Game Commissioner, hereby created. The Governor shall appoint one competent person who shall fill the office of State Game Commissioner, who shall take an oath of office as prescribed by the State Constitution of the State of Florida to be taken by other officers of the State of Florida, who shall hold his office for a term of four years, provided, however, that the first State Game Commissioner appointed under this Act, shall only be appointed until the first Tuesday in February, 1933, and thereafter succeeding appointments shall be for terms of four years. Said State Game Commissioner shall be an officer of the State of Florida and shall hold his office until his successor is appointed and qualified; vacancies of said office may be filled by the Governor in the manner provided by the Constitution of the State of Florida. The State Game Commissioner and the Deputy Game Commissioners, herein provided for, together with the Executive Officials of the State of Florida, shall enforce all laws of the State of Florida relating to game, non-game birds, fresh-water fish and fur-bearing animals. The State Game Commissioner shall receive a salary of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars per annum, and actual traveling and contingent expenses not to exceed Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) Dollars per annum, payable monthly out of the State Game Fund. Such expense and contingent accounts shall be itemized and rendered at the end of each month and certified as being correct by the State Game Commissioner. The State Game Commissioner shall be required to give bond in the sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, to be approved in like manner as other bonds of State officers are approved and conditioned for the faithful perform-

ance of his duties, and each of his paid deputies shall be required to give bond in a sum of not less than One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars, conditioned in like manner, all of such bonds shall be made to the Governor of the State of Florida and his successors in office and filed and preserved as other bonds of State officers are filed and preserved."

Beg leave to report that the same have this day been examined and the above bill has been properly engrossed.

Very respectfully,

W. W. PHILLIPS,

Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

And Senate Bill No. 438, contained in the above report, having passed the Senate as amended, was certified to the House of Representatives.

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 23, 1929.

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

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

(Senate Bill No. 526) :

An Act relating to the City of Tampa, Florida, to prescribe the jurisdiction and powers of the City of Tampa, Florida, and the several offices 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.

Have examined the same and find it correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the 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 bill contained in the above report was 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 Dell, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 23, 1929.

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

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

(House Bill No. 974) :

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 10,336, Acts of the Legislature 1925.

Also—

(House Bill No. 975) :

An Act to amend Section 19, Chapter 10,355, 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."

Also—

(House Bill No. 973) :

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".

Also—

(House Bill No. 942) :

An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate the trustees of the Presbyterian Church in Tallahassee".

Also—

(House Bill No. 774) :

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

Also—

(House Bill No. 593) :

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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 869) :

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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 155) :

An Act to regulate the shipment and catching of stone crabs in the State of Florida; to provide a closed season for same and penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 912) :

An Act to permit the use of Pound Nets in the salt waters of Franklin County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 471) :

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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 964) :

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 to pay for the construction, maintenance and operation of said bridge; providing for the sale of said bridge and making general provisions relative to the issuance and sale of said bonds and the construction, maintenance and operation of said bridge.

Also—

(House Bill No. 976) :

An Act to amend section nineteen of Chapter 10,336, Acts of the Legislature of 1925, entitled: "An Act providing a supplemental, additional and alternative method of making local improvements for the Town of Belleair, a municipal corporation, authorizing and providing for special assessments for the costs thereof, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds for such municipality"; said section relating to procedure for collection of liens or assessments for local improvements.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 18) :

A Concurrent Resolution providing for the appointment of a Special Joint Committee on the House of Representatives and Senate to represent the Legislative Department of the State of Florida in negotiation 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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 984):

An Act to amend Sub-Section 52 of Section 1, Article 111, Chapter 12326, Acts of 1927, relating to the Municipal Corporation of Fort Sewall in Martin County, Florida.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1024):

An Act amending Section two 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.

Also—

Committee Substitute for—
(House Bill No. 291):

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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 859):

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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 250):

An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Columbia County, Florida, to issue county bonds in an amount not to exceed one hundred and fifty thousand (\$150,000.00) dollars, to provide funds with which to purchase a site and the necessary property, and to equip a general hospital in said county, and to provide for the levy and collection of an annual tax to pay the principal and interest of said bonds.

Also—

(House Concurrent Resolution No. 17):

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

(House Bill No. 918):

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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 929):

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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 955):

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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 1023):

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 lands 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.

Also—

(House Bill No. 573):

An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Managers of the Town of Ormond, Volusia County, Florida, to issue and sell negotiable interest bearing bonds of said town in an amount not to exceed in the aggregate one hundred fifty thousand (\$150,000.00) dollars, in such denomination as said board of managers may deem proper; to mature at a time not longer than twenty years from the date of issuance; to bear interest not to exceed six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually for the purpose of raising funds with which to pay off, liquidate and retire any part or portion of the existing, outstanding indebtedness of said Town of Ormond, and any interest to accrue on said indebtedness as may be determined by said board of managers; to provide the manner of issue and sale of said bonds and to provide for the payment thereof and the raising of funds for such payment and providing for a referendum.

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 and Resolutions contained in the above report were thereupon duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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 23rd, 1929.

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

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:
(Senate Bill No. 526):

An Act relating to the City of Tampa, Florida, to prescribe the jurisdiction and powers of the City of Tampa, Florida, and the several offices 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.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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 22nd, 1929.

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

Sir:
 Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:
 (Senate Bill No. 483):
 An Act authorizing the City of Tampa, Florida, 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.

Also—
 (Senate Bill No. 449):
 An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Waldo in the County of Alachua and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Waldo, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges.

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.

In accordance with the motion of Senator Wagg this morning, the Senate took up the consideration of House Bill No. 448:
 House Bill No. 448:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for depository of sinking funds and delinquent taxes for road and bridge bonds of various counties and special road and bridge districts of the State, authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds by said counties and special road and bridge districts, and for the creation of a Board of Administration for the allotment and distribution of funds to the various counties and special road and bridge districts entitled to participate therein.

Senator Turnbull offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 18, last line, add the following: "and that bonds issued by counties or otherwise that are payable primarily out of the proceeds of special assessments levied upon abutting property shall not participate."

Mr. Turnbull moved the adoption of the amendment.
 Which was agreed to.
 And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Malone offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 18, line 12, after the word "bridges" add the words "and ferries".

Senator Malone moved the adoption of the amendment.
 Which was agreed to.
 And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 448 be read a third time in full, as amended, and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
 And House Bill No. 448 was read a third time in full as amended.

By unanimous consent, Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 13, last line (printed bill), strike out the words: "and coupons."

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.
 Which was agreed to.
 And the amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent Senator Scales offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 17, line 29, (page 18), (printed bill), after the word "Ex-officio," add: "by and with the consent and approval of the Board of County Commissioners of such county or special road and bridge districts."

Senator Scales moved the adoption of the amendment.
 Which was agreed to.
 And the amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent—
 Senator Singletary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

Add Section 19-A, as follows:

Section 19-A. That hereafter when the State Road Department shall make up its annual budget it shall provide for and expend in construction upon State Roads numbered ten, fifteen and one hundred fifteen, annually, a sum of money not less than the proportion which the total uncompleted mileage of said roads bears to the total uncompleted mileage of roads upon what is known as the first and second preferential list of roads as established by law prior to April first, 1929.

Senator Singletary moved the adoption of the amendment.
 Which was not agreed to.
 And the amendment was rejected.

By unanimous consent—
 Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 448:

In Section 13, line 15 (printed bill), insert after the word "allotted" the following: "according to debt, to-wit, one cent per gallon of gasoline."

By unanimous consent, the above amendment was withdrawn.
 By unanimous consent—

Senator Wagg offered the following as a substitute amendment to House Bill No. 448, in lieu of the amendment withdrawn:

In Section 13, line 7 (printed bill), after the words "said sum," strike out down to and including the words "Special Road and Bridge District," in line 27.

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.
 Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.
 Senator Singletary moved that the rules be waived and action on House Bill No. 448 be deferred until 4:50 o'clock P. M., this day.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
 And it was so ordered.

Pending the consideration of House Bill No. 448 on its third reading, Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and the time of adjournment be extended ten minutes.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
 The question recurred on the passage of House Bill No. 448.

Upon call of the roll on the passage of the bill the vote was:
 Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Bell, Dell, Futch, Gary, Glynn, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Malone, McCall, Mitchell, Neel, Phillips, Putnam, Stewart, Swearingen, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Welsh, Whitaker, Young—26.

Nays—Senators Anderson, Caro, Council, Rowe, Scales, Singletary, Waybright—7.

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 hour of adjournment be extended to 6 o'clock p. m.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

By permission the following bills and resolutions were introduced—

Senator Futch offered the following resolution—
 Senate Resolution No. 27:

WHEREAS, the funeral services for the late Dr. W. A. MacKenzie, a former member of the House of Representatives of Florida, and prominent in State affairs, has been set for Friday, May 24th, 1929, at 3 o'clock p. m., therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Florida, on convening for the afternoon session of Friday, May 24th, 1929, suspend proceedings and rise in silence for one minute as a tribute of respect to the said late Dr. W. A. MacKenzie.

Which was read the first time in full.
 Senator Futch moved the adoption of the resolution.

Which was agreed to.
 And the resolution was adopted.

Senator Futch was excused from attendance upon the body on Friday, May 24, 1929.

By Senators Futch, Gary, Scales, Rowe, Putnam, Hodges, and Dell—

Senate Bill No. 591:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating road from Tallahassee to Daytona via Ocala as State Road Number 19, and to amend Chapter 10269, Laws of Florida, approved June 1, 1925, entitled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 9311, Laws of Florida, approved June 8, 1923, entitled 'An Act declaring, designating and establishing a system of State Roads, providing for the location thereof, and providing that such roads when located and constructed shall become and be the property of the State.'"

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

By Senator Caro—
Senate Bill No. 592:

A bill to be entitled An Act to place the name of Mrs. Elizabeth Merritt, aged seventy-nine years, widow of Thos. J. Merritt, on the pension roll of the State of Florida.

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

Senator Howell moved that the rules be waived and all Bills introduced from now on relating to Pensions be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two thirds vote.

By Senator Caro—
Senate Bill No. 593:

A bill to be entitled: An Act to place the name of J. H. Macon, age 81 years, on the pension roll of the State of Florida.

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

By Senator Gary—
Senate Bill No. 594:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, to call an election in Marion County, Florida, to decide whether the remaining unissued one million dollars of County of Marion highway bonds voted December 15th, 1925, validated January 15th, 1926, shall be issued; and providing for the rescission and abrogation of said one million dollars of said bonds if a majority of the qualified freeholders of said county vote against the issuance and sale thereof.

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading, the following proof of publication being attached thereto:

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 whether the remaining unissued million dollars of County of Marion Highway Bonds shall be issued, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 16, 1929, of the Ocala Evening Star, a newspaper or newspapers published in Marion 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) H. D. LEAVENGOOD,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this April 16th, 1929.

(Seal)

(Signed) MRS. J. H. GOOD,

Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires February 15, 1930.

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 Harrison—
Senate Bill No. 595:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the Charter of the City of Bradenton, Florida, by authorizing and empowering the said city to regulate prices charged for gas and electricity in said city and fix the maximum charges or rates therefor and to classify gas and electrical services and fix maximum rates for each class.

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

By Senator Swearingen—
Senate Bill No. 596:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 12958, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Lake Alfred, in Polk County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of Lake Alfred, Polk County, Florida; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its form of government, jurisdiction, powers, and privileges, and for the exercise of the

same, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances."

Which was read the first time by its title and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on the Second Reading, the following proof of publication being attached thereto:

State of Florida,
County of Polk.

Personally appeared before me M. M. Lee, who deposeseth and saith that he is the President of the Florida Chief Publishing Company, a corporation; that the Florida Chief Publishing Company is the publisher of the Winter Haven Daily Chief, a newspaper published in the town of Winter Haven, in said county and State, and that the said Florida Chief Publishing Company has made publication in said Winter Haven Chief of the City of Lake Alfred: Notice of Intention to Apply for Local Legislation (a copy of which is attached hereto) for one issue as required by law, embracing issue of April 13, 1929.

(Signed) M. M. LEE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of April, 1929.

(Signed) B. A. HARRIS,

(Seal)

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires May 31, 1932.

By Senator Watson—
Senate Bill No. 597:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining and regulating insurance rates and rating organizations, and making violations of this Act a misdemeanor.

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

By Senator Watson—
Senate Bill No. 598:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section five of An Act entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Coral Gables, Dade County, Florida, and create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Coral Gables, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for taxes, government, jurisdiction, powers and privileges," Laws of Florida passed at the regular session of the Legislature, A. D. 1929, and approved May Eighth A. D. 1929.

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

By Senator Watson—
Senate Bill No. 599:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section II of Chapter 10847 Laws of Florida, approved May 9, 1925, and entitled: "An Act to amend and re-enact the Charter of the City of Miami in the County of Dade, and to fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of said city and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances; and to ratify certain Acts and proceedings of the commission and of the officers of the city," as amended by subsequent legislation, extending the limits of said City of Miami, and excluding certain real estate from the jurisdiction and territorial limits of the City of Miami Beach, Florida.

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

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE LOCAL BILLS ON SECOND READING

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

Senate Bill No. 528:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Dade County, State of Florida, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in Dade County, and setting forth the requirements of such voting machines, and prescribing the method of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting machines, and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with the aid of such voting machines shall be made, and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto, and prescribing a penalty for wilfully tampering, or attempting to tamper, disarrange, deface, or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 528 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 528 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be further waived and

Senate Bill No. 528 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. 528 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and 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. 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.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 540 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 540 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 540 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. 540 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 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 circuit 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.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 545 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 545 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 545 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. 545 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and 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. 547 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 546 was taken up in its order.

Senator Watson moved that Senate Bill No. 546 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

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) per annum for said fund, and providing for the appointment of a board of six resident 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 taken up in its order

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 554 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 554 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 554 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. 554 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 559:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating the position of County Attorney in and for Dade County, Florida, limiting his amount of compensation and describing his duties.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 559 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 559 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 559 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. 559 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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 following communication was received and read:
Gainesville, Fla., May 23, 1929.

*Hon. J. J. Parrish,
President of Senate,
Tallahassee, Fla.*

Delegation of Plant Board authority to counties or other political entities will jeopardize work of eradicating fruit fly. Under conditions imposed by Federal Government on Florida, I fear such action likely to be followed by more drastic quarantines on Florida products. Federal financial assistance in eradicating the fly is conditioned upon State exercising authority only through such bodies, and in such way, as meets Federal approval. Division of authority in this regard within the State is likely to also jeopardize Federal financial assistance both for eradication work and for reimbursement of losses.

WILMON NEWELL.

Senate Bill No. 561:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend sub-section (b) of Section seven (7) of the City Charter Act of the City of Starke, Bradford County, Florida, being Chapter 13426 of the 1927 Legislature of the State of Florida, relating to acquiring by purchase, gift, devise, condemnation or otherwise, real or personal property for purposes therein mentioned, by adding airports and other purposes for the welfare and upbuilding of the City of Starke.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 561 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 561 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 561 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. 561 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 562:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend sub-section (j) of Section eight (8) of the City Charter Act of the City of Starke, Bradford County, Florida, being Chapter 13426 of the 1927 Legislature of the State of Florida, relating to the rate of interest to be charged upon special assessment therein provided.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 562 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 562 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 562 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. 562 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 566:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County to reassess real property for the paving improvements heretofore completed under the provisions of Chapter Ten Thousand One Hundred and Forty upon agreement between the Board of County Commissioners and the owners of real property and all holders of liens upon such real property, and to authorize the Board of County Commissioners to refund all bonds outstanding and unpaid issued under the provisions of said Chapter and making applicable all the provisions of said chapter of such refunding bonds except as provided in this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 566 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 566 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 566 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. 566 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 570 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up Senate Bill No. 556 for consideration at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 556:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing counties having a certain population to accept money in lieu of free textbooks and authorizing the payment to such counties of said money.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 556 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 556 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 556 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. 556 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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.

CONSIDERATION OF HOUSE LOCAL BILLS ON SECOND READING

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

House Bill No. 665:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Glades County, Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding six per cent (6%) per annum, for the purpose of funding its outstanding floating indebtedness; to authorize said Board in order to procure said loan, to issue and sell not exceeding Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) in principal amount of interest bearing coupon bonds or warrants and to make provision for a sinking fund for the retirement of said bonds or warrants and the interest to become due thereon; to regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds or warrants and to provide for the validation of said bonds and warrants.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 665 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 665 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 665 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. 665 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and 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 458, 786, 791, 784, 775, 795, 829, 847 and 867 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 897:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix, define and establish the corporate limits of the City of Fort Lauderdale, a municipal corporation now existing in Broward County, Florida; and excluding certain lands from its present limits; and providing the manner and method of collecting taxes against the lands excluded; and providing when said Act shall take effect.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 897 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 897 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 897:

Strike out Section 6, and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 6. This Act shall take effect upon its ratification by a majority of the qualified electors residing in the territory as defined in Section 1 hereof, voting at a special election to be called by the city commission, provided that thirty-five per cent of the qualified voters residing in said territory shall petition the City Commission at Fort Lauderdale for such election within thirty days after the passage of this Act. If thirty-five per cent of said qualified electors do not petition the City Commission as aforesaid within thirty days, then and in that event, this Act shall become a law".

Senator Wagg moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No 897, 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. 897 was read a third time in full, as amended.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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 Bills Nos. 911, 873 and 957 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 958:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend and re-enact the charter of the City of Hialeah, in the County of Dade, being Chapter 11516, Acts Extraordinary Session 1925, and to fix the boundaries and provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises, and privileges, and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances, and to authorize the issuance of municipal bonds, and for other purposes.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 958 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 958 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 958 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. 958 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 965:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 7181, Laws of the State of Florida, approved May 18, 1915, and to abolish the Town of Kathleen, a municipality situated in Polk County, State of Florida, and providing for the protection of the creditors of said municipality; to legalize the assessment and levy made by said municipality and to provide for the collection of the same and the disposition of tax money when so collected.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No 965 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 965 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 965 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. 965 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 988:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 13 of An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes of the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the back taxes and tax sale certificates of said city," approved April 30th, 1903, as amended by Section 1 of An Act entitled "An Act to amend Section 13 of An Act 'An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes of the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the back taxes and tax sale certificates of said city, approved April 30th, 1903'" being approved May 18th, 1905, as amended by Section 1 of An Act to amend Section 13 of An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes of the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the back taxes and tax sale certificates of said city," approved April 30th, 1903, as amended by Section 1 of An Act entitled "An Act to amend Section 13 of An Act 'An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes of the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the back taxes and tax sale certificates of said city, approved April 30th, 1903,' and approved May 18th, 1905"; said Act approved May 8th, 1925, relating to collection of delinquent taxes in the City of Orlando.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 988 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 988 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 988 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. 988 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 989:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City Council of the City of Orlando to extend time for the payment of local improvement liens assessed under Chapter 10974, Laws of 1925, approved June 2nd, 1925.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 989 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 989 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 989 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. 989 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 990:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 9 of "An Act to provide for the assessment and collection of the taxes for the City of Orlando, and for the collection of the back taxes and tax sale certificates of the City of Orlando", approved April 30th, 1903.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 990 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 990 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 990 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. 990 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 993, 994, 995 and 998 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1013:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 31, 32 and 33 of Chapter 9825, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, the same being "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Longwood, Florida, and to establish and constitute a municipality in Seminole County, Florida, to be known and designated as the Town of Longwood, Florida, to define its territorial limits and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges," said Section 31 relating to the publication of delinquent tax lists and certification of delinquent taxes to the town attorney, said Section 32 relating to the issuances and disposition of tax certificates; and said Section 33 relating to the prima facie nature of said tax certificates as evidence.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1013 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1013 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1013 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. 1013 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1014:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Black Hammock Drainage District, a drainage district in the County of Seminole, and State of Florida, to construct additional ditches, drains and canals, and/or lateral ditches, drains or canals within said district, providing the procedure therefor, and providing the rights, duties and powers of the drainage committee of said district and the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County, Florida, with reference thereto; providing for the assessment of benefits upon the lands benefited; the levy and collection of taxes upon the lands within the district benefited; the issuance of bonds to pay the cost of the construction of said ditches, drains and canals and/or laterals thereto; giving the drainage committee of said district charge and jurisdiction of and over all drainage canals, and ditches constructed in said district.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1014 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1014 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1014 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. 1014 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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.

House Bill No. 1027:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Nineteen of Chapter 12693, Acts of the Legislature of 1927, entitled: "An Act providing a supplemental, additional and alternative method of making local improvements for the City of Dunedin, a municipal corporation, authorizing and providing for special assessments for the cost thereof, and authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds for such municipality"; said section relating to procedure for collection of liens or assessments for local improvements.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1027 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1027 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1027 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. 1027 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1028:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify and confirm all acts, doings and proceedings of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Dunedin, 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 city under the provisions of its charter.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1028 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1028 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1028 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. 1028 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1029:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 34 of the Charter of the City of Clearwater, same being Chapter 9710 (No. 592) of the Laws of the State of Florida, providing for the establishment of a municipal court, providing for the appointment of a municipal judge, and fixing the term of appointment, and the compensation of said municipal judge.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1029 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1029 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1029 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. 1029 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and 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. 1030 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1031:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and incorporate a special taxing district in Brevard County, Florida, to be known and designated as Canaveral Harbor District; prescribing the boundaries of said district; to provide for the government and administration of said district; to define the powers and purposes thereof; to authorize the governing authority of said district to construct and maintain in said district a deep water ship harbor with dock and terminal facilities; to construct and maintain all other works necessary or proper in connection with the establishment of said harbor, dock and terminal facilities; to provide for the acquiring and condemnation of any property needed for district purposes; to empower the governing authority of said district to levy and collect taxes for district purposes; to authorize the governing authority of said district to borrow money and issue and sell bonds to procure money to carry out the provisions of this Act; to authorize and empower the governing au-

thority of said district to establish, own and operate cold storage, power plants, marine ways and warehouses; to provide for three commissioners who shall be the governing authority of said district; to provide for an election to determine whether bonds of the district shall be issued; to authorize and provide for certain expenditures to be made by Brevard County, Florida, for preliminary survey and engineering connected with said district; to prevent injury to any work constructed under this Act and prescribing penalties therefor; and generally to provide for the construction and maintenance of a harbor in said district with proper and adequate dockage and terminal facilities.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1031 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1031 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1031 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. 1031 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1032:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Melbourne, Brevard County, Florida, to establish and maintain a municipal airport within or without the corporate limits of said city, and to purchase or lease suitable lands for said purposes; to incur indebtedness for the purchase or lease of such lands, and to issue certificates of indebtedness or bonds in connection therewith; to levy a tax to defray all expenses of establishing and maintaining such airport, and the construction and maintenance of such airport.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1032 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1032 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1032 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. 1032 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1034:

A bill to be entitled An Act to incorporate the Town of Chiefland, in Levy County, Florida; to establish a municipal government for said town; to provide for its government; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers and to validate, ratify, confirm and approve all of the proceedings in connection with and relating to the incorporation of the Town of Chiefland, and all defects and irregularities existing under and by virtue of prior acts of the citizens and residents of the municipality composing the Town of Chiefland, done under and pursuant to the incorporation and all ordinances, resolutions, rules and regulations heretofore passed and adopted by the town council of the Town of Chiefland, and all lawful debts, demands, claims, contracts, franchises or obligations of said town now existing or outstanding, and all claims or demands of the Town of Chiefland of whatsoever nature, not heretofore presented, or which may hereafter

arise, all assessments for taxes, public improvements or benefits heretofore made or levied by the Town of Chiefland, and all licenses, fines or forfeiture heretofore imposed, and all liabilities and obligations and rights of action possessed by the town and all prosecutions for violation of the ordinances and all offenses heretofore committed against the town.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Turner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1034 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1034 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Turner offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1034:

Strike out all of Section 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Sec. 3. The corporate authority of said town shall be vested in a Mayor, a Clerk, a Marshall, an Assessor of Taxes, a Tax Collector, a Town Treasurer and a Town Council. The Town Council may provide for the offices of Marshall and Tax Collector to be held by one and the same person, and for the office of Town Clerk, Assessor of Taxes and Town Treasurer to be held by one and the same person. The Town Council may by ordinance provide for the election of officers holding the offices of Marshall and Tax Collector, or of the offices of Town Clerk, Assessor of Taxes and Town Treasurer, or the Town Council may provide by ordinance for the appointment of said officers by the Mayor by and with the consent of the Town Council. Unless otherwise provided by ordinance all of said officers shall be elected by the qualified electors of said municipality."

Senator Turner moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Turner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1034, 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. 1034, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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 referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, then to be certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bills Nos. 1035 and 1036 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1037:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Sumter County, Florida, to issue for and on behalf of Special Road and Bridge District No. 6, of Sumter County, Florida, additional bonds in a sum not to exceed \$20,000.00, for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing, building or rebuilding in said district permanent roads and/or bridges as described in the petition for the establishment of the said special road and bridge district and for the maintenance of said roads and providing for the rate of interest said bonds shall bear and for the period for which said bonds shall run and providing for the levy of a special tax to cover the interest thereon and to create a sinking fund for the payment of said sum.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Mitchell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1037 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1037 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Mitchell moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1037 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. 1037 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1043 and 1046 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1047:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the governing authority of the Town of Boca Raton to settle and adjust certain tax liens.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and that House Bill No. 1047 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1047 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and that House Bill No. 1047 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. 1047 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1048, 1049 and 1054 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1059:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 7672 of the Laws of Florida relating to the municipal government of the City of Miami Beach, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1059 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1059 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1059 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. 1059 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and 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. 1060:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Fulford, in the County of Dade and State of Florida; and to provide for the retirement of the outstanding indebtedness of the City of Fulford; and providing for the levying of a tax by Dade County for the retirement of said indebtedness; and providing for a referendum.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1060 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1060 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1060 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. 1060 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the Bill, the roll was called and 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. 1061 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1066:

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.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1066 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1066 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1066 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. 1066 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1068:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing an additional, supplemental and alternative method for the making of public improvements in the Town of Gulfport, Pinellas County, Florida, by resolution adopted by the Town Council; providing for the levying of special assessments, for the cost thereof, providing for plans and specifications; the performance of the work by contract or by employees of the town; providing for the supervision of the work; providing for an assessment roll; the issuance of certificates of indebtedness, providing for their sale; and providing for the issuance of bonds with which to pay for said work, and providing for their sale; and providing for the recording and collection of the liens or assessments.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1068 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1068 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1068 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. 1068 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1069:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for an additional, supplemental and alternative method for enforcing the collection of delinquent taxes on real estate of the Town of Gulfport, Pinellas County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1069 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bills No. 1069 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1069 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. 1069 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1070:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing an alternative and additional method for the issuance of refunding bonds by the Town of Gulfport, Pinellas County, Florida, for the purpose of refunding any bond, note, certificate of indebtedness, or other obligation for the payment of which the credit of the town has been pledged; providing for the time of their issuance; providing the form and denomination of said bonds, the rate of interest they shall bear; providing for their sale, and providing for the levying of a tax for the payment of same.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1070 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1070 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1070 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. 1070 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1071:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, validate and confirm all special assessments, liens for certain improvements, and certain contracts made by the Town of Gulfport, Florida, from and after May 12th, A. D. 1915, and prior to the passage of this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1071 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1071 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1071 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. 1071 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1072:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, legalize and confirm the assessment of taxes by the Town Council of the Town of Gulfport, Pinellas County, Florida, for the years A. D. 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928, assessed and levied for municipal purposes.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1072 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1072 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1072 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. 1072 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the Bill, the roll was called and 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. 1073:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Town Council of the Town of Gulfport, Pinellas County, Florida, by resolution to extend or increase the time for payment of any or all special assessments for public improvements heretofore at any time made by said town against any lots, pieces, or parcels of land for the purpose of defraying the whole or any part of the expenses of any public improvement heretofore made and completed by said town, and providing for the enforcement of any such lien.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1073 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1073 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1073 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. 1073 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1074:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, validate and confirm all the proceedings of the Town Council of the Town of Gulfport, Pinellas County, Florida, pertaining to the authorization, issuance, sale, award and delivery of all bonds, whether improvement bonds, refunding bonds, or other bonds of the Town of Gulfport issued for municipal purposes heretofore issued by the Town of Gulfport, and to validate and confirm said bonds.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1074 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1074 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1074 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. 1074 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1075:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Gulfport, Pinellas County, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Gulfport, to define its territorial limits, to provide for its government, and to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1075 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1075 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1075 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. 1075 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1076:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend, revise and/or re-enact the Act creating South Florida conservancy district, formerly Palm Beach Drainage and Highway District.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1076 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1076 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1076 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. 1076 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1077:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the charter of the City of Sarasota, same being Chapter 13403, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, by amending Section 65 thereof, which Section provides for the issuance, sale or deposit of improvement certificates and for the issuance of bonds.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1077 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1077 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1077 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1079:

A bill to be entitled An Act conferring additional powers and privileges upon the City of Titusville; to authorize said city to collect license taxes within the discretion of the city council; to provide for the election of chief of police by qualified electors of said city; to require payment of taxes on personal property, if assessed, as a prerequisite to voting; to provide a statute of limitations, and immunity from tort liability; to provide for enforcement of liens; and to provide a method of amending the charter of said city.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1079 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1079 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1079 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. 1079 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1081:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to determine and mark quarter section, section, township and range corners which are liable to be lost, obliterated or destroyed, and to re-establish and permanently mark such corners when the same have been lost, obliterated or destroyed and to provide for the employment of a competent surveyor for the execution of such work, the preservation of the records thereof and the levy and collection of taxes for such payment and providing a penalty for injuring, destroying or removing any such corners and providing for the employment of a competent surveyor to assist public road viewers in the location of public roads and the preservation of monuments of public land surveys.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1081 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1081 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1081 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. 1081 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1083:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to cancel not to exceed \$1,250,000.00 county bonds previously authorized to be issued, but not issued, by said county for the purpose of constructing hard-surfaced highways and bridges.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1083 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1083 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1083 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. 1083 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1085:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to sell any and all property belonging to said county not required for a county purpose and to authorize such board to purchase all necessary property required for a county purpose and to validate sales and purchases heretofore made by said board or said county.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1085 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1085 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1085 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. 1085 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the Bill, the roll was called and 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. 1086:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to sell any part or portion of \$2,500,000.00 in bonds of said county at a rate of interest not less than five per cent. (5%) per annum payable semi-annually and not greater than six per cent. (6%) per annum payable semi-annually; and to validate any and all sales of said bonds heretofore made by said county at a less rate than six per cent. (6%) per annum interest on said bonds.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1086 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1086 was read the second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1086 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. 1086 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1087:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County to cancel not to exceed \$250,000.00 of bonds of special road and bridge district No. 16 of said county, which bonds have been authorized, but not yet issued.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1087 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1087 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1087 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. 1087 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1088:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a unified system of county hard-surfaced highways and bridges in Brevard County, Florida; to declare certain roads and bridges a county purpose; to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of said county to issue five per cent. (5%) bonds of said county for the purpose of refunding, retiring and paying all outstanding bonds, time warrants and other indebtedness against any and all special road and bridge districts of said county, or to exchange such county bonds for said district bonds, or to retire said district bonds with county taxes and to abolish such districts and to deliver the assets of said district to said county.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1088 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1088 was read the second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1088 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. 1088 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1089 and 1090 were taken up in their order and consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1092:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Citrus, and State of Florida, to procure a loan of not exceeding thirty thousand dollars and pay interest thereon at a rate not exceeding eight per centum per annum for the purpose of paying for and building and constructing school buildings and additions thereto and paying

for the purchase of furniture and equipment and supplies all used for the public free schools of said county and to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants for the purpose of paying for the aforesaid purposes and to provide for their payment.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1092 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1092 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1092 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. 1092 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1093:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Citrus, and State of Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants for and on behalf of Special Tax School District No. 1 of Citrus County, State of Florida, for the purpose of paying for school buildings and additions thereto, furniture and fixtures, equipment and supplies for the use of the public free schools in said district and to provide for their payment and to validate same.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1093 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1093 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1093 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. 1093 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1094:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Citrus, and State of Florida, to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants for and on behalf of Special Tax School District No. 8 of Citrus County, State of Florida, for the purpose of paying for school buildings and additions thereto, furniture and fixtures, equipment and supplies for the use of the public free schools in said district and to provide for their payment and to validate same.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1094 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1094 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1094 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. 1094 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1095:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of the County of Citrus and State of Florida to issue and sell interest bearing time warrants for and on behalf of special tax school District No. 3 of Citrus County, State of Florida, for the purpose of paying for school buildings and additions thereto, furniture and fixtures, equipment and supplies for the use of the free public schools in said district and to provide for their payment and to validate same.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1095 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1095 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. 1095 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the Bill, the roll was called and 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. 1100, 1101 and 1102 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1105:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Flagler County, Florida, to issue bonds to pay principal and interest of outstanding indebtedness of said county other than bonded indebtedness and providing for their payment, and providing for a special election to be called in connection herewith.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1105 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1105 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1105 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. 1105 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the Bill, the roll was called and 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. 1110:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 13475 of the Acts of 1927, entitled "An Act to abolish the municipality known as the City of Verna, in Manatee and Sarasota Counties, Florida, and to provide for the payment of the debts of said municipality and to provide for the assessment and collection of taxes therefor."

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1110 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1110 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1110 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. 1110 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1114:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section One and Section Twenty-eight of Chapter 10929, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of New Port Richey in the County of Pasco, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of New Port Richey in Pasco County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of New Port Richey and official acts, and to adopt the same as those of said city of New Port Richey; to prescribe the time within which suits can be brought against said city and for notice thereof; to fix and provide the territorial limits, jurisdiction and powers of said city and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers; to validate all contracts of said town of New Port Richey; to authorize said city to assess street improvements now in progress against the abutting property and to issue special improvement bonds to be paid for by street assessments," as amended by Chapter 11647, (No. 312), Laws of Florida, Acts of Extraordinary Session of 1925, to legalize, confirm, ratify and validate the assessment and levy of taxes for the years 1925 to 1928, both inclusive, and all Acts and proceedings leading up thereto, of the City of New Port Richey in Pasco County, Florida, and validating all proceedings for collection of said taxes, including all tax sales and tax certificates; and to legalize, confirm, ratify and validate all special assessments heretofore made by said city against property specially benefited by certain improvements.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Mitchell moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1114 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1114 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Mitchell moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1114 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. 1114 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1115:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, validate and confirm the issuance of certain refunding bonds of the Town of Gulfport, Pinellas County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1115 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1115 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1115 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. 1115 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1116 and 1117 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1118:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating and confirming all special assessments made and all certificates of indebtedness issued by the City of St. Petersburg prior to this Act becoming effective.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1118 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1118 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1118 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. 1118 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1118 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1119:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Commissioners of the City of St. Petersburg to separate portions of property which heretofore have been, or hereafter may be, assessed in gross, either for the purpose of general taxation, or for special assessment, and to apportion the amount of such assessment; and authorizing the city upon receipt of such amount to issue releases and discharges of lien on any portion so separated, and saving and reserving the lien of assessment on the balance of such property.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1119 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1119 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Welsh moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1119 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. 1119 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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 when the Senate do adjourn it take a recess until 8:30 o'clock p. m., this day.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Senator Singletary moved that when the Senate convene this

evening it take up the consideration of Local Bills, Pension Bills, Claims and certain Road Designating Bills, and also general Bills by unanimous consent, only.

Which was agreed to and so ordered.

House Bills Nos. 1120, 1121, 1122 and 1123 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1129:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Holmes County, Florida, to issue negotiable coupon bonds of the said County in an amount not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars, for the purpose of paying or refunding time warrants of Holmes County, Florida, issued and authorized to be issued for the purpose of re-modeling and repairing the County Jail, and providing the manner in which said bonds may be issued and sold or exchanged for said time warrants, and providing for the date of the bonds and the maturing dates of same, and providing for the levying of a tax sufficient to pay the interest and principal of said bonds at the maturity dates thereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Neel moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1129 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1129 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Neel moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1129 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. 1129 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1130 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 1134:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subdivision (e) of Section 7 of the Charter of the City of Bonifay, being "An Act to abolish the present Charter and Municipal Government of the Town of Bonifay, in Holmes County, and to create in lieu thereof a new Charter and Municipal Government under the name of City of Bonifay, and to provide for its Jurisdiction, Powers, Privileges and Immunities and to Provide Penalties for Violations thereof."

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Neel moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1034 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1134 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Neel moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1134 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. 1134 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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 time for adjournment be extended 5 minutes.

Which was agreed to.

House Bills Nos. 1137 and 1138 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senator Rowe moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 557 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 557:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing counties having a certain population to accept money in lieu of free text books and authorizing the payment to such counties of said money.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Rowe moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 557 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 557 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Rowe moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 557 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. 557 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the Bill the roll was called and 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 1139, 1140, 1141 and 244 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed.

Senator Wagg moved that the hour of adjournment be extended five minutes.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and so ordered.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bills Nos. 1089 and 1090 be taken up out of their order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1089:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Napoleon B. Broward Drainage District in the Everglades District; providing for the levying and assessing of additional taxes and assessments upon lands within said district.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1089 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1089 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1089 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. 1089 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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. 1090:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4 and Section 31 of Chapter 8871, Laws of Florida, enacted in 1921, relating to the powers and authorities of the Napoleon B. Broward Drainage District and relating to the maintenance of the office of the secretary of the said district at a designated place.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1090 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1090 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and

House Bill 1090 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. 1090 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and 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 Putnam moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 568 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 568:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for and require 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 Forty Thousand (40,000) and not more than Forty-two Thousand (42,000) inhabitants according to the last census.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 568 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 568 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Putnam moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 568 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. 568 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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 Gary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 963 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 963:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the compensation to be received by sheriffs, county judges, clerks of the circuit court, tax assessors and tax collectors in counties within the State of Florida, of not more than 27,160 and not less than 27,050, according to the last State census, also salaries of county commissioners.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 963 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 963 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 963 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. 963 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the Bill the roll was called and 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 Caro moved that the hour of adjournment be further extended 10 minutes.

Which was agreed to.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1001 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1001:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that in counties having a population of forty-three thousand three hundred fifty-seven (43,357) and not more than forty-four thousand five hundred (44,500), according to the last State census, that all employees of said counties who have been employed at least one year shall be granted an annual vacation of six days with pay.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1001 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1001 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1001 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. 1001 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the Bill the roll was called and 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 Turner moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 544 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

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.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Turner moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 544 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 544 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Turner moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 544 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. 544 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 Rowe moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 542 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

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 out of its order.

Senator Rowe 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 Rowe 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 the passage of the bill the roll was called and 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 Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 425 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 425:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 12730, Acts of 1927, Laws of Florida, entitled: "An Act to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 8685, Acts of 1921, entitled: 'An Act to protect the fish in the rivers, creeks, canals and inside waters of Flagler County, Florida.'"

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 425 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 425 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 425 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. 425 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill the roll was called and 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 McCall moved that the rules be waived and House Bills Nos. 1082 and 1084 be taken up out of their order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 1082:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of Brevard County highways to prohibit the deposit of deleterious substances on said highways and to fix penalty for violation of this Act.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator McCall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1082 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1082 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator McCall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1082 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. 1082 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. 1084:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners in Counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 12,800 and not more than 13,000, according to the last State census, to acquire, own, construct and operate an aviation landing field; and providing for the manner and method of payment for same and funds from which such expenses may be paid.

Was taken up out of its order.

Senator McCall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1084 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1084 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator McCall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1084 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. 1084 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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 Caro moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 572 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 572:

A bill to be entitled "An Act to empower the County of Escambia to acquire by gift, purchase or otherwise any portion of or interest in the bridge across Perdido Bay known as Lillian Bridge and any stock or interest in stock of any corporation which constructed or operated said bridge owned or controlled by the County of Baldwin or the governmental agency of the State of Alabama or other person, including the whole or any part of the lands, buildings, easements, rights of way and abutments in the State of Alabama constituting a part of or connected with or appertaining to said bridge; to empower said County of Escambia, alone or by consent of or in conjunction with the County of Baldwin in the State of Alabama or any public authority of said State or any individual or corporation to repair or reconstruct and to maintain and operate said Lillian Bridge as a toll bridge or free bridge as the County Commissioners of said county may from time to time determine; to empower the County Commissioners of said County of Escambia for the purpose of reconstructing or repairing said bridge or any portion thereof and buildings and abutments connected therewith to issue and sell at not less than par bonds of said county not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per cent, becoming due at such time or in installments of such amounts and at such times not exceeding thirty years and payable at such place in or out of the State all as may be determined by said County Commissioners; to require the creation of an interest and sinking fund to pay the principal and interest of said bonds; to irrevocably pledge for the payment of said bonds and interest thereon all net tolls from said bridge accruing or received by said county if said bridge be operated as a toll bridge; to require monthly payment of said net tolls into said interest and sinking fund; to require the levy, collection and payment into such fund of a tax each year sufficient with said net tolls to pay the interest and principal of said bonds as same become due; to authorize the validation of said bonds if deemed advisable by said County Commissioners and to grant powers to said County Commissioners and make provisions with respect to the ownership, maintenance and operation of said bridge."

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 Escambia.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared John H. Payne, 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 construction of a bridge across Escambia Bay and Perdido Bay, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of March 20, 27, April 3, 10, 17, 1929, of the Pensacola Journal, a newspaper published in Escambia County, Florida, 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.

(Seal)

(Signed) JOHN H. PAYNE,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this April 24th, 1929.

(Signed) V. A. BRUNO,

Notary Public, State of Florida.

My commission expires March 18, 1930.

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.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 572 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 572 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Caro offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 572:

In Section 4, line 5 of 1st paragraph after the words, "Net tolls thereof," add "after providing a reasonable maintenance fund."

Senator Caro moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Caro offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 572:

After Section 5, add as Section 5-A and Section 5-B, the following:

Section 5-A. No bonds shall be issued under the authority granted by Section 3 of this Act until after the expiration of 60 days from the day this Act takes effect, and if within said sixty days there shall be filed with the clerk of the said Board of County Commissioners a petition or petitions signed by fifteen percent or more of the registered voters whose names are shown upon the registration books of said county asking said County Commissioners to call a special election to determine whether the bonds authorized by this Act shall be issued, the said Board of County Commissioners shall call a special election to be held in said county and give notice of such election by publication in a newspaper published therein, once a week for at least three weeks, at which election only qualified electors who are free holders residing in said county shall be entitled to vote, at which election the question shall be submitted whether the bonds authorized by this Act and proposed to be issued by the County Commissioners shall be issued. The question submitted shall be stated upon the ballot in substantially the following form:

"Shall Escambia County issue bonds to reconstruct or repair Lillian Bridge to an amount not in excess of \$200,000.00?"

"Yes."

"No."

Said election shall, except as otherwise provided herein, be held substantially in accordance with the laws regulating general elections so far as applicable, and the returns thereof shall be made to, and canvassed and the result declared by said Board of County Commissioners. If the majority of the votes cast at such election shall be "No" then no bonds shall be issued for reconstructing or repairing said bridge. If the majority of the votes cast at such election shall be "Yes" or if petitions as herein authorized are not filed within said sixty days, the said Commissioners may proceed to issue and sell said bonds.

Section 5B. Said bonds may be used at not less than par in payment to any contractor for work done or materials supplied in the construction or repair of said bridge and so much thereof the proceeds of sale thereof as may be necessary may be used for the purpose of paying the interest accruing upon said bonds for the first two years in which latter event no tax for interest

or sinking fund shall be levied on account of interest and sinking fund for the said first two years.

Senator Caro moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 572 as amended 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. 572 as amended was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of the bill, the roll was called and 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 McCall moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Senator Whitaker moved to waive the rule, and that when the Senate adjourns it adjourn to meet at 8:30 o'clock tonight for the consideration of Local Bills, Claim Bills, Pension Bills, Road Designation Bills and general bills only by unanimous consent.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The question recurred upon the motion of Mr. McCall to adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate took a recess until 8:30 o'clock tonight.

NIGHT SESSION

The Senate convened at 8:30 o'clock p. m., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

A quorum present.

Senate Bill No. 577:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying and confirming a certain contract made by and between the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, a municipal corporation, also known as the Borough of South Jacksonville, and Better Homes Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, providing, among other things, for the furnishing and installation by the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, under, over and upon a certain tract of land situate in said City known as Villa Alexandria Tract, in Duval County, Florida, of storm sewers, sanitary sewers, water mains and distribution systems, electric street lighting and fire alarm systems, and general lighting and electric distribution systems, and for the construction and installation by said Better Homes Company, in, on and upon said Tract, of certain grading, paving, bulkheading, filling and sidewalks.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 577 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 577 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 577 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. 577 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Howell moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 533 be withdrawn from the Committee on Claims and placed on the Calendar without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Senate Bill No. 578:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, ratify, confirm and validate all acts and proceedings of the Mayor and City Council of the City of South Jacksonville in connection with the issuance of one hundred twenty thousand (\$120,000.00) municipal improvement bonds of the City of South Jacksonville, Florida, including Ordinance numbered 354 of said city, and the sale of said bonds.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 578 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 578 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 578 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. 578 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 571:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a State Road to be known as State Road Number Eighty-One "A" in Levy County.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Turner moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 571 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 571 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Turner moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 571 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. 571 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 579 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 580:

A bill to be entitled An Act amplifying and extending the jurisdiction and powers of the City of South Jacksonville, a municipal corporation in Duval County, Florida, and generally amending its charter.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 580 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 580 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 580 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. 580 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 583:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, to establish a park of Bayshore Boulevard situate in the County of Hillsborough and running from the city limits of the City of Tampa to Gandy Boulevard, and to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, to expend a sum not exceeding twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200.00) annually in beautifying the said park, out of the general funds of the said county.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 583 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 583 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 583 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. 583 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 584:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Tampa to pay to D. W. Chapman not exceeding eighteen thousand five hundred (\$18,500) dollars for work done and materials furnished in the construction of the Tampa Municipal Hospital, and providing the condition upon which said moneys may be paid.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 584 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 584 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 584 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. 584 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 585:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County of Hillsborough to assume as a county obligation certain bonded indebtedness of special road and bridge districts lying wholly within the county and to issue county bonds and levy taxes therefor, providing the manner and method of carrying into effect the power and authority conferred by this Act, defining county roads and declaring a county purpose.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 585 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 585 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 585 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. 585 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 587:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Juvenile Court in and for Hillsborough County, Florida, to have its offices and to hold court at the County Seat of Hillsborough County, to-wit: Tampa, Florida, in some place other than the Court House.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 587 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 587 was read a second time by its title only. Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 587 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. 587 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bills Nos. 591 and 592 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senate Bill No. 594:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County, Florida, to call an election in Marion County, Florida, to decide whether the remaining unissued one million dollars of County of Marion highway bonds voted December 15, 1925, validated January 15, 1926, shall be issued; and providing for the rescission and abrogation of said one million dollars of said bonds if a majority of the qualified freeholders of said county vote against the issuance and sale thereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 594 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 594 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 594 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. 594 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 595:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the charter of the City of Bradenton, Florida, by authorizing and empowering the said city to regulate prices charged for gas and electricity in said city and fix the minimum charges or rates therefor and to classify gas and electrical services and fix maximum rates for each class.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 595 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 595 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Harrison moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 595 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. 595 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 595 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. 595 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 596:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 12958, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Lake Alfred, in Polk County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of Lake Alfred, Polk County, Florida; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its form of government, jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of the same, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances."

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 596 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 596 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 596 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. 596 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, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 598:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Five of An Act entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Coral Gables, Dade County, Florida, and create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Coral Gables, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for taxes, government, jurisdiction, powers and privileges," laws of Florida passed at the regular session of the Legislature, A. D., 1929, and approved May eighth, A. D. 1929.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 598 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 598 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 598 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. 598 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, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senate Bill No. 599 was taken up in its order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and the Senate reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 425 was passed.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 425:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 12730, Acts of 1927, Laws of Florida, entitled: "An Act to repeal Section 1 of Chapter 8635, Acts of 1921," entitled "An Act to protect the fish in the rivers, creeks, canals and inside waters of Flagler County, Florida."

Was placed back on third reading.

By unanimous consent—

Senator Glynn offered the following amendments:

In Section 2, lines 6, 7 and 8, strike out the words "Provided, however, that this Act shall not affect Crescent Lake or Crescent River".

Senator Glynn moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Glynn offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 425:

In line 10 strike out the words "Section 1" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 2".

Senator Glynn moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Glynn offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 425:

In line 18 strike out the words "Section 2" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 3".

Senator Glynn moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 425, 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. 425, 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, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—23.

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 Bills Nos. 881, 872, 940 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

House Bill No. 979:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, State of Florida, to adopt for use or use experimentally, a voting machine or voting machines for the conduct of elections in Palm Beach County, and setting forth the requirements of such voting machines, and prescribing the method of conducting elections by and with the use of such voting machines, and directing how the official returns of elections conducted with the aid of such voting machines shall be made, and providing a penalty for unlawfully possessing such voting machines or the keys thereto, and prescribing a penalty for wilfully tempering, or attempting to tamper, disarrange, deface, or impair such voting machines, and also defining some of the terms used in this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 979 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 979 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 979 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. 979 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, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bill No. 1022:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating and confirming a certain

deed executed by Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida, to Sidney Maddock, conveying Lot 1 and the east half of Lot 2 of Block 17, of the City of West Palm Beach, Florida, and confirming the title to said land.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1022 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1022 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1022 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. 1022 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, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker.—25.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

House Bills Nos. 1026 and 1096 were taken up in their order and the consideration of the same was temporarily passed over.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and the consideration of Senate Bill No. 376 be taken up out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 376:

A bill to be entitled An Act to extend State Road No. 25.

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

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 376 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Welsh, Whitaker.—20.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Dell moved that the rules be waived and the consideration of Senate Bill No. 490 be taken up out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 490:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Trustees Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida, to sell and convey that part of the bottoms of Orange Lake in Township 12 South, Ranges 22 and 23 East.

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

Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 490:

In Section 1, strike out last three (3) lines of said section and insert in lieu thereof the following: "from half section line in Sections 15 and 22 running north and south, Township 12, south of Range 22 East, lying east of said half section line, and Township 12, Range 23 East, on such terms and conditions as may seem advisable to the trustees for the best interests of the State of Florida."

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Dell moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 490, as amended, 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. 490 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, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker.—25.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed as amended.

And the same was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, then to be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Howell moved that the rules be waived and the consideration of Senate Bill No. 418 be taken up out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 418:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain state road.

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

Senator Howell moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 418 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. 418 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Adams, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker.—21.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Gary moved that the rules be waived and the consideration of Senate Bill No. 368 be taken up out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 368:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

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

Senator Gary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 368:

In Section 1, line 6 (printed bill), strike out the word "Holder" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Hernando."

Senator Gary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to, and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 368, as amended, 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. 368, as amended, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Adams, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh.—20.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

And the same was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, then to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be waived and the consideration of Senate Bill No. 408 be taken up out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 408:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating as a State Road that certain road running from a point at or near Dinsmore near Duval County and running thence northerly and westerly through the Counties of Nassau, Baker and Columbia to a point on the Florida State Line near St. George, Georgia, to where the same will connect with a State Road now being constructed by the State of Georgia from Valdosta south by Fargo to the Florida line.

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

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 408 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. 408 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Adams, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker.—22.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and the consideration of House Bill No. 343 be taken up out of its order. Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

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.

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

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 343 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. 343 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, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—23.

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. 517:

A bill to be entitled An Act empowering and directing the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida to grant and transfer to the United States of America a right-of-way through the submerged, semi-submerged and marsh lands, islands and/or uplands to be traversed by an inland waterway following the Coastal Route from Jacksonville, Florida, to Miami, Florida, to be constructed by the United States, pursuant to Act of Congress duly approved by the President of the United States on January 21st, 1927, in accordance with the report submitted in House Document, No. 586, Sixty-ninth Congress of the United States, second session, and providing that certain submerged lands now property of the State of Florida when raised above water by deposit of excavated material shall become the property of the United States.

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

Senator Taylor offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 517:

In Section One, line nine (printed bill), strike out the words "center line of the said right of way as the same may be described," should be changed to read as follows, "center line of the said water way proper as the same may be described."

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 517 as amended 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. 517 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, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended.

And the same was ordered to be referred to the committee on Engrossed Bills, then to be certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent—

Senate Bill No. 316:

A bill to be entitled An Act enlarging the powers of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, providing for the registration with said bureau of births or deaths occurring prior to the Act creating the bureau and the filing of certificates of births or deaths that were not filed at the time of birth or death as provided in said Act.

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

Senator Waybright moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 316 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. 316 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, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell,

Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Putnam Rowe, Scales, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—24.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

By permission, the following bills were introduced—

By Senator Hodges—

Senate Bill No. 600:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require all persons, otherwise qualified to vote, in all election precincts in counties having a population of more than 19,500, and less than 20,500, according to the last State Census, to register during the time the County Registration Books for each Election District of such counties are open for registration for the primary election to be held in the year 1930, and requiring registration of such persons each sixth year thereafter.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 600 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 600 was read a second time in full.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 600 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. 600 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, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Neel, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None.

So the Bill passed, title as stated.

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

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Sixteen Ninety-two (1692) Section Seventeen Hundred Four (1704) and Section Seventeen Hundred Five (1705) of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida for Nineteen Hundred and Twenty (1920), relating to ferries, toll bridges, dams and log ditches, and providing for the operation of ferries, toll bridges, dams and log ditches thereunder.

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

The Committee on Judiciary "A" offered the following substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76:

A bill to be entitled An Act vesting in the Railroad Commission of the State of Florida the power to grant franchises to persons, firms or corporations, public or private, to build, construct, establish, operate and maintain bridges, causeways, tunnels, toll highways and ferries on, over, along, across, through, and under State lands, submerged or otherwise, and/or other lands or water where the grantee shall acquire the title or proprietary rights therein by the exercise of the power of eminent domain or otherwise, fixing the term for which such franchise rights may be granted; providing form of application; providing for approval by Federal government as a condition precedent to the granting of the franchise where navigable waters are involved; providing for the notice of intention to apply for franchise; providing for notice by the railroad commission to each county affected; providing for the furnishing of bonds for the full performance of the terms of the franchise; providing for the control of the franchise privileges by the railroad commission; providing for the fixing of tolls and making rules and regulations controlling and governing the exercise of the franchise rights; providing for the granting and exercising of power of eminent domain by the grantee of such franchise; providing for the order of determination of the applications for franchise; and prohibiting the exercise by any person, firm or corporation, public or private, of any of the privileges provided for unless and until franchise granted in accordance with this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76 was read a second time in full.

Senator Whitaker moved that Senate Committee Substitute be substituted for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76.

Which was agreed to.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment:

At the end of Section 7 insert the following: "Provided that none of the provisions of this Act shall interfere with any existing toll bridge franchise."

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76 as amended be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Committee Substitute for House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 76 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, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed as amended.

And the same was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, then to be certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 441 be taken up out of its order for consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 441:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any county the population of which at the last State Census was not less than 27,000 nor more than 27,200 in their discretion to use any county funds other than bond or other sinking funds to pay any expenses necessary or incidental to eradication of or prevention of infestation from the Mediterranean fruit fly, and to transfer moneys from any county fund for

this purpose; also to levy a tax on all property in the several counties for these purposes.

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

Senator Gary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 441:

In title, lines 9 and 10, strike out the words "also to levy a tax on all property in the several counties for these purposes."

Senator Gary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And amendment was adopted.

Senator Gary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 441:

In Section 1, line 4 (printed bill), strike out the words: "and until any such county shall have had the opportunity to levy and collect a tax in pursuance of this Act".

Senator Gary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 441:

Strike out Section 2.

Senator Gary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 441 as amended be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Yeas—Mr. President, Senators Adams, Bell, Caro, Council, Dell, Gary, Glynn, Harrison, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Putnam, Rowe, Swearingen, Taylor, Turnbull, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Waybright, Welsh, Whitaker—23.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, as amended.

And the same was ordered referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills; then to be certified to the House of Representatives under the rule.

Senator Turnbull moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

Whereupon the Senate stood adjourned at 10:24 o'clock p. m., until 11 o'clock a. m., Friday, May 24, 1929.