

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1931

The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Wednesday, May 13, 1931.

The President in the chair.

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

Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—38.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of Wednesday, May 13, was corrected, and as corrected was approved.

REPORT OF ENROLLING COMMITTEE

Senator Turner, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:

(House Bill No. 653):

An Act to provide for the Creation of a Municipal Corporation to be known as the town of Boynton Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to fix and determine the Territorial Limits thereof, the Jurisdiction and Powers of said Town and its Officers; to provide for the organization and government thereof; to determine and fix respective rights and liabilities of the existing town of Boynton and the town of Boynton Beach, as created by this Act, in respect to the existing indebtedness of the present town of Boynton; and public property owned by the existing town of Boynton; and authorizing the issuance of bonds of the town of Boynton Beach to refund its proportion of the bonded indebtedness of the existing town of Boynton assumed by it under this Act.

Also—

(House Bill No. 626):

An Act to validate and declare legal and binding the sales of real property by the City of Sanford, Florida, for non-payment of taxes assessed thereon by said city for the years 1925 and 1926, and to validate and declare legal and binding all unredeemed tax certificates issued by said city against such real property for said years.

Also—

(House Bill No. 699):

An Act authorizing the city commission of the City of Stuart, Florida, to adjust and compromise certain taxes due to said city.

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. W. TURNER,

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

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

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Senator Watson, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, May 13th, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments) after second reading—

Senate Bill No. 405:

A bill to be entitled An Act levying and imposing a State Excise Tax on Gasoline and other like products of petroleum, in addition to other taxes thereon; and providing for the report of sales of such commodities and the collection and payment of such tax; and providing for the refunding to certain counties of moneys and funds advanced to the State for use of the State Road Department or expended or paid by the Counties or special road and bridge district or other taxing district for constructing State road by such Counties or subdivision thereof; and providing for the deposit, appropriation and disposition of the proceeds derived from said tax, and prescribing the duties of certain officials with relation thereto; and providing for the enforcement of said Act and penalties for the violation thereof.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very respectfully,

J. W. WATSON,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 405, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on the third reading.

Also—

Senator Caro, Chairman of the Committee on Claims, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Florida, May 12, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Claims, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 564:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Roy Booth, Sheriff of Pinellas County, Florida, for loss of salary and fees. Have had the same under consideration and recommend the following amendments:

Amendment No 1:

In the title of the bill strike out the words "salary and."

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 1, line 6, between the words "loss of and fees" strike out the words "salary and."

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

Very respectfully,

HERBERT P. CARO,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 564, with Committee Amendments, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—

Senator Caro, Chairman of the Committee on Claims, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Claims, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 137:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. P. Williamson and providing appropriation to compensate him for the loss of his son, Leroy Williamson, who was killed in a fall from a truck being operated by a member of the Florida National Guard while on duty.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend a committee substitute for Senate Bill No. 137, being a bill to be entitled:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. P. Williamson and providing appropriation to compensate him for the loss of his son, Leroy Williamson, who was killed in a fall from a truck being operated by a member of the Florida National Guard while on duty.

And recommend that the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 137 do pass.

Very Respectfully,
HERBERT P. CARO,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 137 with Committee Substitute, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—
Senator Dell, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:
Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 571:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Public Health and to the control and licensing of midwifery for the protection of mothers at childbirth. And authorizing the State Board of Health to make regulations therefor.

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

Very Respectfully,
J. MAXEY DELL,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 571, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

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

Senate Bill No. 594:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapters 13824 and 13826 Acts of Florida Legislature, 1929, entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road in Baker County, Florida, and authorizing and empowering the State Road Department at its discretion to construct and maintain said road and numbering the said road.

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

Very Respectfully,
PURL G. ADAMS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 594, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 12, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

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

Senate Bill No. 593:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 13827 Acts of the Florida Legislature, 1929, entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road in Baker County, Florida, and authorizing and empowering the State Road Department at its discretion to construct and maintain said road and numbering said road.

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

Very Respectfully,
PURL G. ADAMS,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 593, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—
Senator Wagg, Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Taxation, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:
Your Committee on Finance and Taxation, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 185:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Sub Section D of Section 6 of Chapter 14491 Acts of 1929 Laws of Florida imposing a license tax upon apartment houses.

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

Very Respectfully,
ALFRED H. WAGG,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 185, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

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

Senate Bill No. 554:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the enforcement of taxes and/or special assessments and interest and penalties thereon imposed by any incorporated city or town in the State of Florida; providing a supplemental, additional, optional and alternative method of enforcing such tax liens and/or special assessments and interest and penalties thereon by suit in Chancery in the nature of a proceeding in Rem against the lands upon which such taxes and/or special assessments constitute liens; and prescribing the practice, pleading and procedure in such suits and authorizing the allowance of reasonable attorneys fees therein.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend the following Amendment:

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 4 at end of section change the period to a comma and add the following:

"The complainants counsel shall make diligent inquiry as to the address of the owners or other interested defendants, and the Clerk of the Circuit Court shall mail by registered mail a copy of the above notice to such owner or other parties interested at such last known address."

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

Very Respectfully,
E. M. JOHNS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 554, with Committee Amendment, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

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

Senate Bill No. 548:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to suits and actions at

law to enjoin or prevent the enforcement or collection of taxes and assessments levied or imposed by cities or towns, and to suits and actions at law to contest the validity of such taxes and/or assessments, and to suits in equity or actions at law for the enforcement or collection of such taxes and assessments; prescribing and limiting the time within which suits or actions at law to enjoin or prevent the enforcement or collection of such taxes may be brought and the time within which the invalidity of any such tax or assessment may be asserted as a defense in suits or actions to enforce or collect such taxes and assessments; and providing that any person or corporation owning or having an interest in or lien against any land or property against which such taxes and/or assessments are levied and imposed who shall fail to institute suit or action to enjoin or prevent the collection or enforcement of such taxes and/or assessments or to assert the invalidity or such taxes or assessments as a defense to a suit or action for the collection or enforcement of such taxes and/or assessments within such time shall be conclusively deemed to have consented to such taxes and/or assessments.

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

Very Respectfully,

E. M. JOHNS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 548, contained in the above report, was placed on the table under the rule.

Also—

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 604:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 4528 Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, being Section 6591, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to regulation of railroads.

And—

Senate Bill No. 613:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the expenditure of the unexpended balance of the appropriation made to the Attorney General's department for indexing and side-noting laws, proof reading Supreme Court reports, and other necessary expense for the purpose of discharging outside obligations against the Attorney General's office for the purchase of law books and payment of subscriptions to judicial reporter systems.

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

Very Respectfully,

E. M. JOHNS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills No's. 604 and 613, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Dell —
Senate Bill No. 618:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5397 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, relating to bond required of Contractor of Public Work; obligation therein to pay for labor, material and supplies; action on bond by persons, supplying labor, material and supplies; and procedure and limitation of actions.

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

By Senator Watson—
Senate Bill No. 619:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to convey to the State Commission authorized by Chapter 13887, Acts of 1929, the name of such Commission to be Everglades National Park Commission, Lands in Dade, Monroe and Collier Counties belonging to the Internal Improvement Fund not in excess of 325,000 acres to be used as a part of the land to be embraced in the Ever-

glades National Park pursuant to an Act of Congress to be passed on that subject.

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

By Senator Whitaker—
Senate Bill No. 620:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining, classifying, and regulating itinerant peddlers of farm produce, including eggs; defining the terms "itinerant produce peddler," "wholesale itinerant produce peddler," "retail itinerant produce peddler," and "farm produce"; requiring wholesale itinerant produce peddlers and retail itinerant produce peddlers to take out State and County licenses, and fixing the amount thereof; excepting from the provisions of this Act the farmer or producer of farm produce, his agent or employee, but requiring persons claiming to fall within that classification to establish the fact in a certain manner; regulating the issuance of such licenses; and providing penalties for violating the provisions of this Act.

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

By Senator Stewart—
Senate Bill No. 621:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful to remove the heads from off shrimp or prawn on the fishing ground where the same are caught or commonly run; and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

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

By Senator Wagg—
Senate Bill No. 622:

A bill to be entitled An Act concerning transfers of assets by a receiver or liquidator of a bank or trust company and the manner and effect thereof.

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

By Senator Watson—
Senate Bill No. 623:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, legalize, ratify and confirm an agreement made and entered into by and between the City of Coral Gables, the City of Miami, Miami Water Company and Consumers Water Company relating to and providing the terms and conditions of the supply of water by the City of Miami, through Miami Water Company and Consumers Water Company, to the City of Coral Gables and the inhabitants thereof.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 623 when it was introduced in the Senate:

AFFIDAVIT OF PROOF OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF FLORIDA,
COUNTY OF DADE.

G. N. Shaw, Clerk of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, being first duly sworn, on oath, deposes and says, a notice in words and figures following—to-wit:

"NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL OR LOCAL ACT IN LEGISLATURE.

TO THE PUBLIC: Notice is hereby given that at the coming session of the Legislature of the State of Florida, the City of Coral Gables, Florida, will introduce a special or local act, the substance of which will be the validation, legalizing, ratifying and confirming of the agreement made and entered into by and between the City of Coral Gables, City of Miami, Miami Water Company and Consumers Water Company, which contract relates to and provides the terms and conditions for the supply of water by the City of Miami, through Miami Water Company and Consumers Water Company, to the City of Coral Gables and the inhabitants thereof.

CITY OF CORAL GABLES,
By C. LEE MCGARR,
Mayor."

Was published in "The Miami Herald," a daily newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Miami, Dade

County, Florida, in the regular issue of said newspaper on April 6, 1931.

G. N. SHAW.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of April, A. D. 1931.

(SEAL)

FLORENCE STITH,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires Dec. 19, 1933.

By Senator Bell—
Senate Bill No. 624:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and providing for the payment of burial, funeral and all necessary expenses incident to and in connection therewith of indigent Confederate soldiers and their widows who are now and shall at the time of death be pensioners under and pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following communication from the Governor was received:

May 13, 1931

*Honorable Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate,
Capitol Building.*

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have today approved the following Acts which originated in your Honorable Body and have caused the same to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate Bill No. 512:
Relating to Tampa.
Senate Bill No. 513:
Relating to Tampa.

Very respectfully,

DOYLE E. CARLTON,
Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House of Representatives,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 13, 1931.

*Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

By Senators Whitaker and King—
Senate Bill No. 124:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining the practice of barbering and requiring a license or certificate of registration as a condition precedent to any person practicing barbering or acting as an apprentice barber and prescribing the terms and conditions upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to any person to practice barbering or act as an apprentice barber in the State of Florida; creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and defining and declaring its powers and duties; regulating the practice of barbering or acting as apprentice barber by those licensed hereunder; regulating the operation of barber schools, prescribing a course of study for such schools and the requirements for graduation therefrom; imposing certain fees upon persons applying for licenses, or certificates of registration to practice barbering, act as apprentice barber or teach in barber schools in this State; and appropriating the proceeds thereof to accomplish the purposes of this Act; and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act and regulations hereunder.

Which amendments are as follows:

House Amendment No. 1—

In Section 6 strike out all of sub-section (a).

House Amendment No. 2—

In Section 8, line 6 (B) strike out the words "licensed physician" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Practicing Medical Doctor".

House Amendment No. 3—

In Section 11, line 3, strike out the words "licensed physician" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Practicing Medical Doctor".

House Amendment No. 4—

In Section 11 strike out all of sub-section B.

House Amendment No. 5—

Strike out the words wherever the following appears in Section 12: "July 1st, A. D. 1931" and insert in lieu thereof the following: January 1st, A. D. 1932.

House Amendment No. 6—

In Section 12, line 22-23 strike out the words "licensed physician" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Practicing Medical Doctor".

House Amendment No. 7—

All Section 23A to read as follows: "Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to prevent any municipal government in this state from passing and enforcing reasonable laws and regulations governing the barber practice within its limits."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

FRANK WEBB,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above message, was read by its title.

Senator Neel moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1, to Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 124.

Senator Neel moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2, to Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 124.

Senator Neel moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3, to Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 124.

Senator Neel moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 4, to Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 124.

Senator Neel moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 5, to Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 124.

Senator Neel moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 6, to Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 124.

Senator Neel moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 7, to Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above message.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 7 to Senate Bill No. 124.

And Senate Bill No. 124 was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

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

Senator Turner moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up and resume the consideration of the motion made by Senator Turner to reconsider the vote by which the Senate receded from Senate amendment to House Bill No. 401.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The question was put: "Will the Senate reconsider the vote by which it receded from Senate amendment to House Bill No. 401?"

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate reconsidered the vote by which it receded from Senate amendment to House Bill No. 401.

The question was put: "Will the Senate recede from Senate amendment to House Bill No. 401?"

Pending the consideration of the question Senator Hodges moved that the further consideration of the question be informally passed.

Which was agreed to.

And the further consideration of the question was informally passed.

Senator Lewis moved that a committee of three be appointed to escort Honorable W. J. Singletary, former member of the Senate, to the rostrum.

Which was agreed to.

And the Chair appointed Senators Lewis, Gary and Turner as such committee.

RECONSIDERATION

The consideration of the notice by Senator Butler that he would move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Joint Resolution No. 19 passed the Senate, was informally passed.

Senator Neel moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 126 passed the Senate.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Parker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 411 be made a Special and Continuing Order for 12:30 o'clock P. M., Friday, May 15, 1931.

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

Senator Parker moved that 250 copies of Senate Bill No. 411 be printed for distribution.

Which was agreed to.
And it was so ordered.

Senator Getzen moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now revert to the consideration of the question: "Will the Senate recede from Senate amendment to House Bill No. 401?"

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The question was put: "Will the Senate recede from Senate amendment to House Bill No. 401?"

A roll call was demanded.

Upon call of the roll the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Butler, Caro, Clarke, Gary, Hilburn, Hodges, Swearingen, Wagg, Young—13.

Nays—Senators Andrews, Bradshaw, Chowning, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Getzen, Gomez, Hinely, Howell, Irby, Johns, Knabb, Lewis, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Taylor, Turner, Watson—21.

And the Senate refused to recede from Senate amendment to House Bill No. 401.

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

Senator Getzen moved that the Chair appoint a conference committee on the part of the Senate and request the Speaker of the House of Representatives to appoint a conference committee on the part of the House of Representatives to confer with the Senate committee with reference to the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 401.

Which was agreed to.
And it was so ordered.

SPECIAL ORDER

The hour having arrived for the consideration of Special Order—

Senate Bill No. 319 was taken up in its order and the consideration of same was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 361:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for a State Racing Commission to prescribe its powers and duties, and to fix the compensation of its members; to provide for holding referendum and recall elections in any county to determine whether racing shall be permitted or continued therein; to provide for licensing and taxing such racing and apportioning the moneys derived therefrom among the several counties of the State; to provide for and regulate the making of pari-mutuel pools within the enclosure of licensed race tracks, and for other purposes relating thereto.

Was taken up.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and Senate

Bill 361 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 361 was read a second time by its title only.

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for a State Racing Commission to prescribe its powers and duties, and to fix the compensation of its members; to provide for holding referendum and recall elections in any county to determine whether racing shall be permitted or continued therein; to provide for licensing and taxing such racing and apportioning the moneys derived therefrom among the several counties of the State; to provide for and regulate the making of pari-mutuel pools within the enclosure of licensed race tracks; providing certain penalties for the violation of this Act, and for other purposes relating thereto.

Was taken up and read the first time by its title only.

Senator Getzen moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361 was read a second time in full.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute.

Which was agreed to.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361 was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 9, line 5 (printed bill), strike out the word "two" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "three."

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In printed bill, strike out all of Section 22 and renumber the remaining Sections consecutively.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Butler offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 18, lines 2 and 3, strike out the words "accompanied by a sum sufficient to defray said election expense."

Senator Butler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Young offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 5, line 8 (printed bill), strike out the word granted and insert in lieu thereof the following: filed.

Senator Young moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Young offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 7, line 10 (printed bill), after the word election insert the following: "provided however that this section shall not be construed as authorizing the Commission to fix dates and days for racing in any county where there is not more than one horse track or more than one dog track seeking to race and holding ratified permits."

Senator Young moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Young offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 2, Sub-Section (1) (printed bill), after word "dates" add the following: "provided however that this section shall not be construed as authorizing the Commission to fix and set dates for racing in any county where there is not more than one horse track or more than one dog track seeking to race and holding ratified permits."

Senator Young moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Young offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 1 (printed bill), at end of Section add "no person having been connected either directly or indirectly with any race track or meet held in the State of Florida within the past three years or having been employed by any owner or operator of any race track in the State of Florida within the past three years shall be eligible to hold the office of Racing Commissioner."

Senator Young moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Young offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 1, line 8 (printed bill), add "and confirmed by the Senate".

Senator Young moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 4, line 7, strike out the words: "No minors shall be permitted to attend said races unless accompanied by their parents and no minor shall be employed on any track excepting jockeys and stable boys" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "No minors shall be permitted to attend said races or to be employed in any manner about said race tracks excepting registered jockeys."

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and the hour of recess be extended 15 minutes.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

Strike out all of Section Eight (8) and insert in lieu thereof the following: "No license or licenses shall be granted to any person, association or corporation or to any race track for a meet or meeting in any county to extend longer than forty-five racing days for horse racing and/or sixty-five racing days for dog racing in any twelve month period."

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 361:

After Section 23, add Section "23 A" as follows: Section 23 A. "Before any of the provisions of this Act shall become effective, the County Commissioners of each and every County shall have printed on the official ballot in every County of the State: 'Shall Racing Be Permitted in This County? Yes []', 'Shall Racing Be Permitted in This County? No []'. Every County voting to permit racing shall be deemed to have voted for racing and the Racing Commission shall proceed to grant permits as is provided for in this Act. Every County voting against granting racing permits shall be deemed against such permit until said County shall reverse itself at some general election when the question may be submitted again."

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending the consideration of the adoption of the amendment Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate do adjourn it take a recess until 8:30 o'clock P. M., this day.

Which was not agreed to.

Pending the consideration of the adoption of the amendment a point of order was called and the Senate took a recess at 1:15 o'clock P. M., until 3:00 o'clock P. M., this day.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate convened at 3:00 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, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Knabb, Lewis, Neel,

Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—37.

A quorum present.

REPORT OF JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(Senate Bill No. 65:)

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of LaBelle, in the County of Hendry and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of LaBelle, in Hendry County, Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and requiring a referendum thereon.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 362:)

An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Carrabelle, in the County of Franklin and State of Florida; and to organize and establish a commission form of government for the same; to prescribe its jurisdiction and powers; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances.

Also—

(Senate Bill No. 58:)

An Act relating to the publication of legal notices and process in newspaper in the State of Florida, providing that no notice or process of any kind, nature, character or description provided for under any law of the State of Florida, whether heretofore or hereafter enacted, shall be deemed to have been published in accordance with the Statute providing for such publication, unless the same shall have been published for the prescribed period of time in a newspaper, which at the time of such publication shall have been continuously published at least once each week and shall have been entered as second class mail matter at a post-office in the county where published for a period of one year next preceding the first insertion of such publication, or in a newspaper which is the direct successor of a newspaper which has been so published, or in a newspaper being published at the time of the passage of this Act; provided, however, that nothing contained in this Act shall apply where in any county of the State of Florida there shall be no newspaper in existence which shall have been published for the length of time prescribed by this Act and providing proof of publication thereof.

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

Very respectfully,

J. W. TURNER,

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

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

Also—

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

(House Bill No. 653:)

An Act to provide for the creation of a municipal corporation to be known as the Town of Boynton Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida; to fix and determine the territorial

limits thereof, the jurisdiction and powers of said Town and its officers; to provide for the organization and government thereof; to determine and fix the respective rights and liabilities of the existing Town of Boynton and the Town of Boynton Beach, as created by this Act, in respect to the existing indebtedness of the present town of Boynton and public property owned by the existing Town of Boynton; and authorizing the issuance of bonds of the Town of Boynton Beach to refund its proportion of the bonded indebtedness of the existing Town of Boynton assumed by it under this Act.

Also—
(House Bill No. 626:)

An Act to validate and declare legal and binding the sales of real property by the City of Sanford, Florida, for non-payment of taxes assessed thereon by said City of the Years 1925 and 1926, and to validate and declare legal and binding all unredeemed tax certificates issued by said City against such real property for said years.

Also—
(House Bill No. 699:)

An Act authorizing the City Commission of the City of Stuart, Florida, to adjust and compromise certain taxes due to said City.

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

Very respectfully,

J. W. TURNER,

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

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Senator Watson, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments), after third reading:

Senate Bill No. 124:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining the practice of barbering and requiring a license or certificate of registration as a condition precedent to any person practicing barbering or acting as an apprentice barber and prescribing the terms and conditions upon which licenses or certificates of registration may be issued to any person to practice barbering or act as an apprentice barber in the State of Florida; creating the State Board of Barber Examiners and defining and declaring its powers and duties; regulating the practice of barbering or acting as apprentice barber by those licensed hereunder; regulating the operation of barber schools, prescribing a course of study for such schools and the requirements for graduation therefrom; imposing certain fees upon persons applying for licenses or certificates of registration to practice barbering, act as apprentice barber or teach in barber schools in this State; and appropriating the proceeds thereof to accomplish the purposes of this Act; and prescribing penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act and regulations hereunder.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith,

Very respectfully,

J. W. WATSON,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 124, contained in the above report, was referred to Committee on Enrolled Bills.

Also—

Senator Watson, Chairman of the Committee on Engrossed Bills, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 14, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred (with amendments) after third reading—

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for a State Racing Commission to prescribe its powers and duties, and to fix the compensation of its members; to provide for holding referen-

dum and recall elections in any county to determine whether racing shall be permitted or continued therein; to provide for licensing and taxing such racing and apportioning the moneys derived therefrom among the several counties of the State to provide for and regulate the making of pari mutuel pools within the enclosure of licensed race tracks; providing certain penalties for the violation of this Act, and for other purposes relating thereto.

Have carefully examined same, and find same correctly engrossed, and return same herewith.

Very Respectfully,

J. W. WATSON,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 361, contained in the above report, was ordered to be certified to the House of Representatives.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Wagg, Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Taxation, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 13, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Finance and Taxation, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 349:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the assessment and collection of revenue and relating to the assessment and collection of taxes on tangible and intangible personal property, and requiring a documentary stamp evidencing the payment of taxes to be affixed to mortgages, deeds of trust and other similar liens as a prerequisite to recording or enforcement.

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

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 2, Sub-Section 2, strike out the section, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(2) 'Intangible personal property' and all classes thereof shall include net credits, shares of corporate stock of foreign corporations, bills and notes of United States payable on demand, notes, drafts, bills of exchange, judgments and choses in action, liens of any kind, debentures, bonds other than those of the United States of America, or of the State of Florida, or of the cities, towns, county school districts or other governmental subdivisions or tax districts of this State, annuities and all other demands for labor or valuable things whether due or to become due however evidenced, whether secured or not, and all other forms of intangible personal property of the same class and character herein before enumerated having a present, independent monetary sale value, except intangible property outside of Florida. The word 'intangibles' as used in this act shall be synonymous with the term 'Intangible personal property.'"

Amendment No. 2—

In Section 8, line 10, page 7, strike out the words, "and oath."

Amendment No. 3—

In Section 11, page 9, strike out the words, "Every person of lawful age who shall be an inhabitant of any county during the months of January or February of any year, and every firm or corporation which shall be engaged in business in any county of this State between the first of January and the first of March every year," and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Every person who shall be a legal resident of any county, on the first of January of any year, and every firm or corporation which shall be engaged in business in any county of this State on the first of January of every year."

Amendment No. 4—

In Section 12, line 21, page 11, strike out the words, "whose decision after hearing shall be deemed and held to be final."

Amendment No. 5—

In Section 19, page 16, strike all of paragraph (1), paragraph (2) and paragraph (3) and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(1) Class A. All notes, bonds and other obligations for the payment of money which are secured by mortgage, deed of trust or other lien upon real estate, situate in Florida, shall be classified and known as Class A. Intangibles, and shall be taxed as provided in Section 20 of this Act."

"(2) Class B. All other kinds of intangible property except those included in Class A shall be classified and known as Class B. Intangibles. All intangible property, defined or classified in Class B shall be taxed where the intangible property

is assessed at one-tenth of a mill on the dollar of the assessed value thereof, and shall be assessed and collected where the owner resides."

Amendment No. 6—

In Section 20, pages 16 and 17, strike out all of Section 20, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 20. INTANGIBLE TAX ON MORTGAGES, ETC. Notes, bonds and other obligations for the payment of money, secured by mortgage, deed of trust or other lien upon real estate, situated in Florida, shall be taxed at the following rates upon the principal amount of the indebtedness evidenced by such obligation: five cents per one hundred dollars of principal, except purchase money mortgages, which shall be taxed at the rate of one cent per one hundred dollars of principal."

Amendment No. 7—

In Section 25, page 22, after the word "conferred" at the end of the section, add the following:

"and after the roll for that year has been completed the assessment on personal property for that year may not be increased."

Amendment No. 8—

In Section 26, lines 1, 6 and 7, page 22, strike out the words "under oath."

Amendment No. 9—

In Section 27, line 8, page 23, add after the word "Florida" at the end of the section, the following:

"and the assessment for that year may not be increased."

Amendment No. 10—

In Section 38, lines 2 to 9, page 29, strike out the following words:

"All such personal property taxes shall be a lien upon any and all real estate of the taxpayer in every county from the time that the tax execution is recorded in the county where the real estate is situated. The lien of personal property taxes and tax executions shall be superior to all other liens, except liens for other taxes, State, county and municipal, and prior recorded liens on real estate."

Amendment No. 11—

In Section 50, lines 2 and 3, page 34, strike out the words, "failing or."

Very Respectfully,

ALFRED H. WAGG,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 349 with the committee amendments, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—

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

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Florida, May 14th, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 605:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the Judges of the Criminal Courts of Record in the State of Florida to practice law.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend the following Amendments:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, line 1, strike out the words "Of the Criminal Courts of Record" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of all Courts and all State Attorneys"

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 1, line 3, after the word "Florida" change the period to a comma and add "Except within connection with their duties".

Amendment No. 3:

In the title thereof strike out the words "of Criminal Courts of Record" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of all Courts and all State Attorneys"

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

Very respectfully,

E. M. JOHNS,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 605 with Committee Amendments, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—

Senator Swearingen, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Florida, May 14th, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 617:

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

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 617, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—

Senator Swearingen, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Florida, May 14th, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 599:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of W. A. Lewis, individually and as Clerk of the Circuit Court of Hamilton County Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 599, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Also—

Senator Swearingen, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Florida, May 14th, 1931.

Hon. Pat Whitaker,

President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 598:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of W. R. Hunter as Sheriff of Hamilton County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

JOHN J. SWEARINGEN,

Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 598, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

The consideration of the motion to adopt the amendment offered by Senator Harris to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361, which was pending at the hour of recess, was resumed, the amendment being as follows:

After Section 23, add Section "23 A" as follows:

Section 23 A. "Before any of the provisions of this Act shall become effective, the County Commissioners of each and every County shall have printed on the official ballot in every County of the State:

'Shall Racing Be Permitted in This County? Yes—'

'Shall Racing Be Permitted in This County? No—'

"Every County voting to permit racing shall be deemed to have voted for racing and the Racing Commission shall proceed to grant permits as is provided for in this Act. Every County against granting racing permits shall be deemed against such permit until said County shall reverse itself at

some general election when the question may be submitted again."

Which was agreed to.

Senator Getzen moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which the amendment by Senator Young to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361 was not adopted, said amendment being as follows:

In Section 5, line 8 (printed bill), strike out the word granted and insert in lieu thereof the following: filed.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Senate reconsidered the vote by which the amendment by Senator Young was not adopted.

The question was put on the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gary offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361:

In Section 25, strike out all of Section 25 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "This Act shall become effective upon its approval by a majority of the votes of the qualified electors of the State of Florida cast upon the question at the next regular Statewide election held in Florida. The Secretary of State is hereby authorized and empowered to cause the ballots in said election to have printed thereon the question of approval or rejection of this Act."

Senator Gary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Upon which a roll call was demanded.

The roll was called on the adoption of the amendment and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Andrews, Bell, Chowning, English, Gary, Harris, Hilburn, Parrish—9.

Nays—Senators Adams, Anderson, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Clarke, Council, Dell, Futch, Getzen, Gomez, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Knabb, Lewis, Parker, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Watson, Young—25.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Getzen moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361, as amended, be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 361, as amended, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Adams, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Clarke, Council, English, Getzen, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Lewis, Parker, Stewart, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—20.

Nays—Mr. President; Senators Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Chowning, Dell, Futch, Gary, Gomez, Harris, Hilburn, Johns, Knabb, Parrish, Swearingen—15.

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

And the same was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 899 be recalled from the House of Representatives for further consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 625:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing the manner of selling and disposing of any marsh lands owned by the City of New Smyrna, in Volusia County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 626:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of New Smyrna in Volusia County, Florida, to borrow money from time to time and to issue negotiable, interest bearing promissory notes to evidence the indebtedness so incurred; fixing a limit on the aggregate amount of said notes to be outstanding at any one time; providing for the form of said notes; designating the purpose for which the money so borrowed shall be used and providing the manner of execution of said notes.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 627:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of New Smyrna, Volusia County, Florida to issue refunding bonds in an amount not to exceed in the aggregate \$200,000.00, and providing how said bonds may be sold and/or exchanged, and providing for the payment of said bonds and making provisions for carrying out the purpose of this Act.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 628:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing the manner of selling and disposing of any public utilities owned by the City of New Smyrna, in Volusia County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 629:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of New Smyrna, Volusia County, Florida, to purchase a certain tract or parcel of land in Volusia County now held and owned by Robert Handley and to issue bonds of said City in an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of said land and the making of certain improvements thereon.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 630:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of New Smyrna, Volusia County, Florida, to acquire, construct, own and operate a golf course or golf courses, and to charge admission to or rentals or fees for the use of enjoyment thereof and to use any lands now owned by said city and to acquire lands by purchase, lease or condemnation for such golf course or golf courses, and providing a method of financing the same and authorizing the levy of a tax therefor.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 631:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and legalize the sale of all tax certificates heretofore made under authority of Section 42 of Chapter 14572, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929.

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

By Senator Council—(by request).

Senate Bill No. 632:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1283, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, being Section 1880, Compiled General Laws of Florida 1927, relating to police license on all boats or vessels engaged in the sponge industry, and providing for application and issuance of such license and fixing the amount of such license.

Which was read the first time by its title only and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation.

By Senator Whitaker—

Senate Bill No. 633:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating that certain thoroughfare in Hillsborough County, Florida, beginning at the Western boundary line in Hillsborough County at a point where Howard Avenue intersects Bayshore Boulevard, thence along the Seawall to a point where Bayshore Boulevard is intersected with Gandy Boulevard, thence along Gandy Boulevard to the East end of Gandy Bridge and Causeway, as a State road.

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

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 634:

A bill to be entitled An Act vesting the city auditor and clerk of the City of New Smyrna, in Volusia County, Florida, as registration officer of said city with all power and authority, relative to municipal elections, as is vested in county supervisors of registration relative to state and county elections.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Chowning—

Senate Bill No. 635:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the redemption

of lands sold for unpaid taxes in the City of New Smyrna and providing for the rate of interest to be paid upon the redemption of such lands sold for unpaid taxes during the year 1930 and all subsequent years.

Which was read the first time by its title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By Senator Chowning—
Senate Bill No. 636:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of members of the Board of County Commissioners in counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than thirty five thousand (35,000), and not more than forty five thousand (45,000), according to the last preceding federal census.

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

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 379 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 379:

A bill to be entitled An Act assenting to and accepting the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July 11, A. D. 1916, and all amendments thereto, the same being entitled "An Act to provide that the United States shall aid the States in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes," and providing for the apportionment and appropriation of funds to meet the same.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 379 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. 379 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, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Knabb, Neel, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson—31.

Nays—Mr. Futch—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 294 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 294:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the levy of an inheritance and estate tax in the State of Florida on the decedents dying after November 4, 1930, whether a resident or non-resident of the State of Florida, but prior to the taking effect of the General Inheritance and Estate Tax Law enacted at the 1931 session of the Legislature; providing for the method of computing and collecting the same and for the enforcement thereof, and for the disposition of the revenues therefrom; and providing for the refund to taxpayers of any taxes collected under this Act which may be disallowed as a credit on Federal Estate Taxes collected on the same estate.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 294 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. 294 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, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Council, Gary, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Howell, Irby, Johns, Lewis, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—24.

Nays—Senators Anderson, Bradshaw, Chowning, Clarke, Dell, English, Futch, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Hodges, Knabb, Swearingen—13.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

The following explanation of votes on House Bill No. 294 were received:

I vote no for the reason that in my opinion such a law will be retroactive in effect, and be useless legislation.

BERNARD H. ENGLISH.

I vote "No" because it is bad enough to tax inheritances yet to come on people who are yet to die but it is even worse to attempt to tax inheritances on estates of people fortunate enough to die before the State could manage to get the little they had left when they died after paying taxes from the cradle to the grave. Fortunately a law retroactive in effect is a nullity.

WM. C. HODGES.

Senator Getzen moved that the rules be waived and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 be recalled from the House of Representatives for further consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 187 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 187:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the manner by which elections may be called and held for the approval of the issuance of bonds by counties, districts and municipalities of the State of Florida, in compliance with Section Six, Article Nine of the Constitution of the State of Florida, as amended at the General Election, A. D. 1930, and to regulate the calling, holding, conduct and declaration of the result of same; to prescribe the effect thereof; to limit the right to contest same and to provide penalties for violation of this Act.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 187 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. 187 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, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Knabb, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—32.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

By unanimous consent Senator Anderson withdrew Senate Bill No. 134.

Senator Dell moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 179 out of its order, which was read a second time in full on May 12, 1931, and by motion of Senator Dell retained its place on the Calendar of Bills on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 179:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the public health and to the control of preventable diseases, and to authorize counties of the State of Florida to co-operate with the State Board of Health in the establishment and maintenance by the State Board of Health of full-timed local health units therein, and to levy and collect special county taxes therefor, and to authorize two or more counties to agree upon joint or concurrent action to effectuate the purpose of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Turner offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 179:

In Section 1, line 2 (printed bill), after "State of Florida" insert the following: "and cities therein".

Senator Turner moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Turner offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 179:

Strike out Section 2 (printed bill), and insert in lieu thereof the following:

To enable such counties to execute the purposes of this Act, every county in the state with a population exceeding one hundred thousand (100,000), according to the last state census, is hereby authorized to levy an annual tax of not exceeding one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) mill, and every county in the state with a population exceeding forty thousand (40,000), according to the last state census, and not exceeding one hundred thousand (100,000) is hereby authorized to levy an annual tax of not exceeding one (1) mill, and every county in the state with a population not exceeding forty thousand (40,000), according to the last state census, is hereby authorized to levy an annual tax not exceeding two (2) mills, on the dollar on all taxable property in such county, the proceeds of which, when collected, shall be paid to the State Treasurer for the account of the State Board of Health. Such funds in the hands of the State Treasurer shall be known as the full-time local health unit funds of the county by which such funds were raised; and said funds shall be expended by the State Board of Health solely for the purpose of carrying out the intent and object of this Act in such county. The State Board of Health shall render to the County Commissioners of any such county providing such funds a semi-annual financial statement of the disbursements thereof, so long as said moneys shall continue to be disbursed by or under the direction of the State Board of Health.

Senator Turner moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Turner offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 179:

Strike out Section 4 (printed bill), and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That the personnel of the minimum full-time local health unit shall consist of a director, who shall be a doctor of medicine, a public health nurse, a sanitary officer and a clerk. All of the members of such personnel shall be selected from those especially trained in public health administration and practice; so far as the same shall relate to the duties of their respective positions. They shall be employed by the Board of County Commissioners, provided however that no such personnel shall be employed by the Board of County Commissioners unless such said personnel shall be approved by the State Health Officer. The duties and compensation of said personnel shall be fixed and determined by the State Board of Health upon the approval of the Board of County Commissioners. Such employees shall devote their entire time to the control of preventable diseases and the education of the public in modern scientific methods of sanitation, hygiene and the control of communicable disease in cooperation with and under the supervision of the State Board of Health.

Senator Turner moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Dell moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 179, 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. 179, as amended, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Caro, Chowning, Council, Dell, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Knabb, Neel, Parrish, Stewart, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—28.

Nays—Senators English, Parker—2.

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

And Senate Bill No. 179 was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senator English moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 427 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 427:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create the State Purchasing Agency for the State of Florida; providing for the duties and powers of such State Purchasing Agency and for the making of rules and regulations by said State Purchasing Agency and appropriating money to be used for the payment of the cost of maintaining and operating such State Purchasing Agency.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator English moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 427 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. 427 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Adams, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Council, English, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Knabb, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Taylor, Wagg, Watson, Young—24.

Nays—Mr. President; Senators Anderson, Clarke, Dell, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Turner—8.

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 Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 532 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 532:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the transfer to the Department of Florida, United Spanish War Veterans, Inc., of certain funds now on deposit in the name of Cary A. Hardee, Governor of the State of Florida, in the Lewis State Bank of Tallahassee, Florida, and providing for the distribution and use of such funds.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 532 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 532 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Bradshaw, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Hilburn, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Knabb, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, 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.

Senator Parrish moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 111 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 111:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the improvement and extension of the Inland Waterways of Florida, and providing an appropriation therefor.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Butler offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 111:

In Section 2, line 2, strike out the words "Five Thousand Dollars per year," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Thirty-six Hundred Dollars per year."

Senator Butler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Parrish moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 111, 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. 111, as amended, was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Anderson, Bell, Butler, Chowning, Dell, Futch, Gary, Gomez, Harris, Hodges, Irby, Knabb, Parrish, Stewart, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—19.

Nays—Senators Adams, Andrews, Clarke, Council, English, Howell, Johns, Neel, Parker—9.

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

And Senate Bill No. 111 was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be waived and the

Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 119 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 119:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Road Department and authorizing suits at law and in equity to be brought and maintained by and against the State Road Department on any claim which has arisen since June 7, 1923, under contract for work done, or which may hereafter arise under contract for work done, and limiting the time within which such suits may be brought.

Was taken up.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 119 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 119 was read a second time by its title only.

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 119:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing suits at law and in equity to be brought and maintained against the State Road Department of the State of Florida on any claim which has arisen since June 7, 1923, under contract for work done or which may hereafter arise under contract for work done and limiting the time in which such suits may be brought, and providing that such suits against said State Road Department shall be cognizable only in the courts of the State of Florida and providing how process shall be served upon said State Road Department.

Was taken up and read the first time by its title only.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 119 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 119 was read a second time in full.

Senator Butler moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute.

Which was agreed to.

And the Committee Substitute was adopted.

Senator Getzen moved that the rules be waived and the hour of recess be extended 15 minutes.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 119 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 119 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, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Taylor, Turner, Watson—25.

Nays—Senators Bell, Knabb, Wagg, Young—4.

So the Committee Substitute passed, title as stated.

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

By permission the following joint resolution was introduced:

By Senator English—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 637:

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 14" relating to the taxation of gasoline.

Which was read the first time by its title only and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senator Getzen moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 143 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 143:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define retain title contract covering personal property and to provide the manner in which such property so held may be retaken, recovered or repossessed upon failure of the vendee to make the payments

therefor as contained in such contract.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

The Committee on Judiciary "A" offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 143:

In Section 3, line 8 (printed bill), change the "Period" to a Comma and add "Except in those cases where the vendee shall voluntarily surrender possession of such property to the vendor or by abandonment by the vendee of such property in places of residence or storage place. In such event the landlord of any dwelling, or the proprietor of any storage place shall be authorized under this act to deliver any such properties to such vendors."

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Getzen moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 143, 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. 143, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Senator Anderson moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate do adjourn it recess until 8:00 o'clock, P. M., this day.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

Pending the consideration of the passage of Senate Bill No. 143 a point of order was called and the Senate stood recessed at 5:15 o'clock P. M., until 8:00 o'clock P. M., this day.

NIGHT SESSION

The Senate convened at 8:00 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, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—36.

A quorum present.

Senator Futch moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 516 be recalled from the House of Representatives for further consideration.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Hilburn moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bills No's. 404 and 405 be made a special and continuing order for 11:15 o'clock A. M. Friday May 15, 1931.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Harris moved that when the Senate do adjourn it adjourn until 10:00 o'clock A. M., Friday, May 15, 1931.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Young moved that the rules be waived and when the roll call is sounded by districts for the taking up of bills pursuant to Senate Resolution No. 29, the call alternate from the top to the bottom of the roll.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and that if three Senators object to the consideration of any bill called up, the same shall not be considered.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Hilburn moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bills No's. 404 and 405 be made a special and continuing order for 11:16 o'clock A. M., Friday, May 15, 1931.

Which was agreed to.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 127 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 127:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to witnessing and acknowledging of deeds and mortgages and other instruments

under the laws of the State of Florida.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Adams moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 127 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. 127 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, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—35.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Caro moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 105 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 105:

A bill to be entitled An Act to relate to the record in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of certified copies of proceedings, orders, judgments and decrees of the United States Courts, relating to Estates in Bankruptcy, and the effect there, and validating previous records thereof, and fixing a rule of evidence as to such records and certified copies of such records.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Caro moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 105 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. 105 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, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Council, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Neel, Parker, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—33.

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 Neel moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 452 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 452:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Commissions of county assessors of taxes for assisting special taxes and special tax district taxes.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Neel moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 452 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. 452 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Adams, Anderson, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Harris, Harrison, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Neel, Parrish, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—28.

Nays—Senators Andrews, Gomez, Hilburn, Hinely, Knabb, Parker, Stewart—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 Howell moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 559 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 559:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the State Pension Board to investigate all claims for Pension heretofore or hereafter granted under Special Acts of the Legislature, and to drop from such Pension Roll any special Pensioner whom it is found deserted the Confederate Army or Navy or who did not render service to the Confederate States as soldier or sailor.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Howell 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—Senators Council, Howell, Neel, Taylor, Wagg, Watson, Young—7.

Nays—Mr. President; Senators Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Parker, Stewart, Swearingen, Turner—25.

So the bill failed to pass.

By unanimous consent Senator Wagg withdrew Senate Bills No.'s 257 and 258.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 215 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 215:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Charles B. Parkhill as states attorney of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit in and for Hillsborough County, Florida.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 215 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. 215 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, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Neel, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—34.

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 Swearingen moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 423 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 423:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cure certain informalities and defects in the execution and acknowledgement of deeds and other instruments executed and acknowledged prior to the first day of April, A. D. 1931, in States, Territories, and Districts of the United States outside of the State of Florida, and conveying, encumbering or transferring any interest in real or personal property located within the State of Florida, including any interest of any married women in real or personal property, and the relinquishment of dower by any married woman.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Swearingen moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 423 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. 423 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, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, English, Futch,

Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—29.

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 Hodges moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 16 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 16:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State Commission on Employment and Industrial Development; and to prescribe its powers and duties and making an appropriation therefor.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 16 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. 16 was read a third time in full.

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

Yeas—Senators Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Caro, Chowning, Council, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Harris, Hilburn, Hodges, Howell, Irby, King, Parrish, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—21.

Nays—Senators Adams, Butler, Clarke, English, Gomez, Hinely, Johns, Knabb, Neel, Parker, Stewart—11.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Irby moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of House Bill No. 666 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

House Bill No. 666:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the city of Inverness, Florida, to issue bonds in the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for the purpose of acquiring and improving a park, providing for the issuance and sale of said bonds and to levy a tax to create a sinking fund and pay the interest thereon and validating proceedings relating to said bonds.

Was taken up.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 666 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 666 was read a second time by its title only.

Senator Irby moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 666 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. 666 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, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Council, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Irby, Johns, King, Knabb, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—36.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Andrews moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 268 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 268:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2 of Chapter 2065, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1875, the same being Sections 5792 and 5793 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to the exemption of the personal earnings of heads of families from garnishment, to provide for the garnishment of twenty-five per cent of such earnings.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Andrews moved that the rules be further waived

and Senate Bill No. 268 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. 268 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, Andrews, Caro, Chowning, Council, Gary, Harris, Hodges, Irby, Johns, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Turner, Young—18.

Nays—Senators Bell, Butler, English, Futch, Gomez, Hilburn, Hinely, Howell, King, Knabb, Swearingen, Taylor, Wagg, Watson—14.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Harris moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 434 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 434:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 13884 of 1929 Laws of Florida, 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 powers 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," and providing for exclusive franchise for five miles in both directions along both shore lines, and giving additional and exclusive rights to present and future franchise holders.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 434:

In Title, line 27, page 1 (printed bill) strike out the words "Five" and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Three and one-half.

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 434:

In Section 2, line 5 (printed bill), strike out the words "Five" and insert in lieu thereof the following: Three and one-half.

Senator Harris moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to.

And the amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 434, 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. 434, as amended, was read a third time in full.

Senator Harris moved that the rules be waived and the further consideration of Senate Bill No. 434 be informally passed and that the bill retain its place on the Calendar of Bills on third reading, after being engrossed.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent the following bills were introduced:

By Senators Caro and English—
Senate Bill No. 638:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the calling and holding of a party convention by any political party nominating its candidates under the primary laws, for the purpose of setting forth the principles of such political party, and providing for delegates in such conventions.

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

By Senators Caro and English—
Senate Bill No. 639:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the selection of delegates from the State of Florida at large to the national convention of any political party, by the State convention, or State executive committee, or other like committee or such political party.

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

By Senator Young—
Senate Bill No. 640:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1123 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, being Section 1476 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, pertaining to the powers given to the Board of Supervisors of drainage districts, and to delegate to such boards additional powers.

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

Senator Parker moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 367 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—
Senate Bill No. 367:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of James R. Jackson of the Circuit Court of Taylor County, Florida, on account of moneys on deposit in The First National Bank of Perry, Florida, belonging to the State of Florida and Taylor County for tax redemptions.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Parker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 367 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. 367 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 Andrews, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Johns, King, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—27.

Nays Senator Anderson—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Gomez moved that the Senate do now adjourn.
Which was not agreed to.

Senator Watson moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 167 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—
Senate Bill No. 167:

An Act to prescribe the registration fees to be paid for the licensing of passenger automobiles and busses furnishing public transportation exclusively within the corporate limits of any city, or between cities whose boundaries adjoin, and operate over definite routes on regular schedules and are regulated by the Legislative body of the city in the State of Florida; and in regard to the use of "For Hire Certificates" on said passenger automobiles and busses; and to make it lawful for such city within whose boundaries such passenger automobiles or busses operate to charge and collect a registration or license fee.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Wagg moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 167 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. 167 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 Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, King, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—27.

Nays—None.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator English moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 123 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—
Senate Bill No. 123:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the issuance of writs of ne exeat, bond or security to be given under such writs, and providing for the manner of suing for the breach of such bonds.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator English moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 123 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. 123 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 Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Johns, King, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—31.

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 Johns moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 121 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—
Senate Bill No. 121:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of G. W. Alderman, individually, and as Clerk of the Circuit Court of Bradford County, Florida.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 121 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. 121 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 Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Howell, Johns, King, Neel, Parker, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—30.

Nays—Senator Anderson—1.

So the bill passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Stewart moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 528 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—
Senate Bill No. 528:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Three (3) of Chapter 13761, Acts of 1929, being An Act entitled An Act repealing Sections 370, 410, 412 of Compiled General Laws, 1927, being same as Sections 313, 353 and 355 of Revised General Statutes 1920, and amending Sections 356, 359, 361, 386, 387, 400, 401, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 411 and 421, Compiled General laws of Florida, 1927, being Sections 300, 303, 305, 329, 330, 343, 344, 348, 349, 350, 351, 353, 354 and 364, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, relating to primary elections pro-

viding for a second primary election, abolishing second choice voting, and relating to the qualifications of voters and the registration of voters, and other matters in connection therewith.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Andrews moved that Senate Bill No. 528 be indefinitely postponed.

Upon which a roll call was demanded.

Upon the call of the roll on the motion made by Senator Andrews the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Andrews, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Dell, Gary, Hilburn, Hinely, Howell, Johns, Neel, Parker, Taylor, Turner, Wagg—16.

Nays—Senators Anderson, Bell, English, Futch, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Parrish, Stewart, Swearingen, Young—12.

And Senate Bill No. 528 was indefinitely postponed.

Senator Hinely moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 465 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 465:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the creation of a Commission to be known as the Stephen Foster Memorial Commission, providing for the appointment of the members thereof and fixing their term of office and defining their duties.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator Hinely moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 465 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. 465 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 Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Howell, Johns, King, Neel, Parker, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—29.

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 Butler moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 278 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 278:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing a Board to be composed of the Governor, the Motor Vehicle License Commissioner and the Superintendent of the State Prison, to officially adopt a license tag, device or license plate for use on motor driven vehicles; to provide a rule of evidence in cases of violation of this Act, and providing penalties for its violation.

Was taken up.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 278 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 278 was read a second time by its title only.

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 278:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing a Board to be composed of the Governor, the Motor Vehicle License Commissioner, and the Superintendent of the State Prison, to officially adopt a license tag, device or license plate for use on motor driven vehicles; to provide a rule of evidence in cases of violation of this Act, and providing penalties for its violation.

Was taken up and read the first time by its title only.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 287 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

The Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 278 was read a second time in full.

Senator Butler moved the adoption of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 278.

Which was agreed to.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 278 was adopted.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 278 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 278 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 278 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Bell, Butler, Futch, Gary, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Howell, King, Parrish, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Young—16.

Nays—Senators Andrews, Chowning, English, Getzen, Gomez, Hodges, Johns, Neel, Parker, Stewart, Watson—11.

So the Committee Substitute passed, title as stated.

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

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 458 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 458:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 2 and Section 4 of Chapter 10254, Laws of Florida, entitled: "An Act to provide for the furnishings by the State of Florida of free text books for the use of the pupils in the first six grades of the Public Free Schools in the State of Florida, and to provide for the levy and collection of a tax for said purpose, and appropriating the amount so collected on account of said tax levy for the payment of said text books and other expenses herein provided for, and providing penalties for violation of this Act." Approved May 26, 1925.

Was taken up and read a second time in full.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 458 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. 458 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 Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Howell, Johns, King, Neel, Parrish, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—28.

Nays—Senator Stewart—1.

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 Senate do now take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 71 out of its order.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And—

Senate Bill No. 71:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that in the several counties in the State of Florida the clerks of the Circuit Courts shall be required to pay over to the county depositories of the several counties without remitting same to the Comptroller of the State, all interest collected by them on delinquent tax certificates, except such part of said interest as may have accrued on taxes levied by the State of Florida.

Was taken up.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 71 be read a second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 71 was read a second time by its title only.

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 71:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require the Comptroller of the State of Florida to distribute to the several counties of the State the interest on State tax certificates and subsequent omitted taxes paid on sales and redemptions of lands standing under state tax certificates except such part of said interest as may have accrued on certificates and taxes levied by the State of Florida.

Was taken up and read the first time by its title only.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 71 be read a second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 71 was read a second time in full.

Senator Gary moved the adoption of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 71.

Which was agreed to.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 71 was adopted.

Senator Gary moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 71 be read a third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 71 was read a third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 71 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Anderson, Andrews, Bell, Butler, Caro, Chowning, Clarke, Dell, English, Futch, Gary, Getzen, Gomez, Harris, Harrison, Hilburn, Hinely, Hodges, Howell, Johns, King, Neel, Parker, Stewart, Swearingen, Taylor, Turner, Wagg, Watson, Young—31.

Nays—None.

So the Committee Substitute was passed, title as stated.

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

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and that the Senate do convene tomorrow night, Friday, May 15, 1931 at 8:00 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of resuming the consideration of bills of the different Senators upon roll call by district numbers.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Getzen withdrew Senate Bill No. 305.

Senator Taylor moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 11:31 o'clock P. M., until 11 o'clock A. M., Friday, May 15, 1931.