

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Friday, May 2, 1941

The Senate convened at 10:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Thursday, May 1, 1941.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Jousholder, Johnson, Kan-ner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker Wilson—36.

A quorum present.

Senator Kelly was excused from further attendance upon the sessions on account of illness until such time as his condition will permit his return.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of April 24, 1941 was further corrected as follows:

On page 32, column 2, between lines 25 and 26 from the bottom of the page, insert the following:

"Senators Horne and Johnson also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 167:

Sub paragraph a, on page 9, strike last four words, namely, "from a licensed vendor" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "as herein provided."

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted."

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of April 29, 1941, was further corrected as follows:

On page 9, column 1, line 21, strike out the figures "113" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "112."

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of April 30, 1941, was further corrected as follows:

On page 2 column 1, line 25, strike out the figures "275" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "274".

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of Thursday, May 1, 1941, was corrected as follows:

On page 5, column 1, between lines 42 and 43 insert the following:

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

And as corrected was approved.

Senator Dye moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate adjourns today it adjourn to reconvene at 3:00 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 5, 1941.

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

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Shands, Chairman of the Special Committee on Congressional Re-districting reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 109:

A bill to be entitled An Act dividing the State of Florida into six (6) Congressional districts; and prescribing and setting forth the territorial limits and boundaries of each district.

W. A. SHANDS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 109, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Adams, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock, reported that the committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass.

Senate Bill No. 275:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to dairy and beef cattle; to provide for investigations and experiments relating to internal parasites of such cattle; and to make an appropriation for such purposes.

R. S. ADAMS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 275, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the Joint Reference.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Adams, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 178:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Limited Agricultural Associations; authorizing the formation of such associations; prescribing the powers and duties thereof; limiting the personal liability of members; and providing procedure for the formation, organization, operation and dissolution of such associations.

R. S. ADAMS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 178, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Adams, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass.

Senate Bill No. 288:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare the need of and provide authorization for a State-wide survey of the soils of Florida through the cooperation of appropriate State and county agencies with proper bureaus of the United States Department of Agriculture, designating the agricultural experiment station of the University of Florida as an agency of the State to supervise such surveys; providing for the matching of Federal funds by the State and counties or other local agencies providing for the publication of soil survey reports and maps making an appropriation for carrying out the provisions of this Act and repealing any and all laws in conflict herewith.

R. S. ADAMS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 288, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Price, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same does not pass:

Senate Bill No. 75:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 17764 of the Acts of 1937, the same being Section 12 of Chapter 9330, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, the same being Section 3446 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida for 1927; by redefining Chiropractic; by adding additional regulations for applicants to practice Chiropractic, and regulating their examination by the Florida State Board of Chiropractic Examiners and providing that Chiropractors may have the right to use the work and products of State, County and Municipal laboratories, and by defining the scope of the Practice of Chiropractic and instruction and care of the sick.

HUBERT A. PRICE,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 75, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Wilson, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass.

Senate Bill No. 290:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Sections 1 and 11 of Chapter 17275, Acts of 1935, Being an Act creating the State Planning Board, prescribing its powers and duties, creating county planning councils and prescribing their powers and duties and making an appropriation for said board, and to amend Section 12 of said Chapter 17275 as amended by Chapter 19182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929.

A. L. WILSON,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 290, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Wilson, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass, with Committee amendment:

Senate Bill No. 140:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 12 of Chapter 17808, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 19018, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, the same being an Act to promote the planting and production of Sea Island Cotton and to provide protection for growers and producers thereof, and providing for the administration and enforcement of said Act, and making an annual appropriation for carrying out its provisions, and providing penalties and punishment for violation thereof.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In the Title, third line, (typewritten bill) strike out the figures "19018" and insert in lieu thereof figures "19017" and in Section 1, second line, strike out the figures "19018" and insert in lieu thereof figures "19017".

A. L. WILSON,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 140, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendment thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Perdue, Chairman of the Committee on Motor Vehicles, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same does not pass.

Senate Bill No. 172:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the fees and taxes to be collected by the Motor Vehicle Commissioner upon the registration or reregistration of automobiles for private use, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith and providing when this Act shall take effect.

G. C. PERDUE,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 172, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Perdue, Chairman of the Committee on Motor Vehicles, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 110:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require motor trucks and combinations thereof, when operating upon the public highways in the State of Florida at night, to be equipped with portable flares, and providing for use of same; and prescribing penalties for violation of said Act.

G. C. PERDUE,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 110, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Perdue, Chairman of the Committee on Motor Vehicles, reported that the Committee had carefully considered

the following bill and recommends that the same pass, with committee amendment:

House Bill No. 131:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1018 of the revised general statutes of Florida, relating to the operation of motor vehicles, trailers, semi-trailers and motorcycle side cars, by directing the Motor Vehicle Commissioner to select and place on all number plates a slogan or emblem, which in his opinion will advertise the resources, advantages, history and development of the State of Florida.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 13 of the bill, strike out the period and insert a comma and add the following: Provided, however, that the slogan or emblem or slogan and emblem hereinabove required may be eliminated from such tags by executive order of the Governor, and the Motor Vehicle Commissioner, if, in their discretion, they find that the costs of same are too great, or the difficulty in complying with such provision is disproportionate to the value thereof. It is expressly understood that the provisions of this Act do not apply to the tags issued for the year 1942.

G. C. PERDUE,
Chairman.

And House Bill No. 131, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendment thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Price, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported that the committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass:

House Bill No. 213:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require all persons licensed to practice chiropractic in the State of Florida to renew annually their licenses with the State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; to provide for the conditions upon which renewal of licenses shall be issued and requirements pre-requisite to the granting of such renewal of licenses; to provide for notice to be given licensees under said board of the provisions and requirements of this Act; to provide for the forfeiture of licenses to practice chiropractic in the State of Florida for failure to comply with the provisions of this Act, and to prescribe requirements for the restoration of such forfeited licenses.

HUBERT A. PRICE,
Chairman.

And House Bill No. 213, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Price, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 345:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make it unlawful to sell, barter or exchange, or to possess or manufacture with intent to sell, barter or exchange within this State "Filled Milk" as defined in this Act, to provide for the administration of same, and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith.

HUBERT A. PRICE,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 345, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, May 2, 1941.

Senator Price, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill, without recommendations:

Senate Bill No. 346:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Define Milk and Milk Products, Ice Cream, Frozen Custard, Ice Milk, Milk Sherbet, Ice Sherbet, Frozen Desserts, and to regulate the production, manufacture, handling, processing and sale thereof, and to prohibit the manufacture, sale, possession for sale, or offering for sale of adulterated, misbranded or imitations of such products, to provide for the issuing of permits or license to persons engaged in the business of producing, manufacturing, processing, selling, possessing or offering for sale of Milk or Milk Products, Ice Cream, Frozen Custard, Ice Milk, Milk Sherbet, Ice Sherbet, or Frozen

Desserts, and to provide for the administration and enforcement of this Act, including the right to make all reasonable rules and regulations therefor and to fix standards and to provide penalties for violations of this Act or the regulations or standards fixed hereunder, and repealing Chapter 14762, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, and Chapter 16047, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, and all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

HUBERT A. PRICE,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 346, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Price, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 343:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Public Health and for the protection of New Born Babies' Eyes, and requiring doctors and midwives to use an effective solution of silver-nitrate in new born babies' eyes; to require at least one of the registered practicing physicians who has sponsored the application of any person to practice midwifery to instruct such person in the use of such silver-nitrate solution, and to provide that the failure of either a doctor or midwife to use such solution of silver-nitrate in new born babies' eyes shall be cause for the revocation of such person's license to practice medicine or midwifery; and to provide that if any person now licensed to practice midwifery does not furnish a certificate from one of the physicians sponsoring her application for license within sixty days after this Act becomes a law, the State Board of Health shall revoke the license to such person to practice midwifery; and providing further that any person who shall hereafter make application for a license to practice midwifery shall furnish a certificate showing that such person has been instructed in the use of silver-nitrate solution in the eyes of new born babies.

HUBERT A. PRICE,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 343, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Price, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 341:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Public Health and for the protection of Mothers and New Born Babies; requiring that all expectant mothers be examined by a duly licensed physician to determine whether or not such mother has any disease that might be communicated or transmitted to any child that might be born of said mother; and requiring such examining physician in the event that treatment is needed to either furnish the same or to report this fact to the State Board of Health who shall immediately arrange for the proper treatment of such expectant mother; and providing that any midwife who is called in attendance upon any expectant mother shall call into attendance a duly licensed physician to make the examination as provided for in Section One hereof provided such examination shall not have been made.

HUBERT A. PRICE,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 341, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Shuler, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that they pass.

Senate Bill No. 144:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide punishment for the exhibition in the same enclosure of animals which by their natural instincts are antagonistic to each other.

Senate Bill No. 193:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the conservation and pro-

tection of crabs; prohibit the taking of crabs of certain sizes; prohibit the taking of female crabs in the condition commonly known as sponge crabs from May 15th, to August 15th, inclusive, of each year; prohibit the possession of any crabs taken in violation of this law; providing for violations.

Senate Bill No. 299:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Thirty-six of Chapter 13644, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, entitled: "An Act relating to game, non-game birds, fresh-water fish and fur-bearing animals; to create the Department of Game and Fresh Water Fish and the office of State Game Commissioner; to define his duties and powers and that of his deputies; to fix his compensation and that of his deputies; to provide for the protection and conservation of game, non-game birds, fresh-water fish and fur-bearing animals by prescribing the times when and means by and extent to which they may be taken, possessed and dealt in; to license hunters, guides, trappers and fishermen; to require persons who engage in the business of operating hunting and fishing boats for hire or who deal in or with fresh-water fish or hides of fur-bearing animals, to procure a license for same; to prohibit the use, placing or discharge in the fresh waters of the State of substances or forces injurious to fish; to provide for the prosecution of persons violating the provisions of this Act and a penalty and rule of evidence in such prosecutions; to provide for the collection of funds to carry out the provisions of this Act and for the disposition of revenues accruing thereunder; consenting to acquisition by the United States of areas of land, water or land and water, in accordance with the Act of Congress of February 18, 1929, and repealing certain existing laws and statutes; and defining certain terms used therein," in the following particulars: reducing the daily bag limits on certain species of fresh water fish and limiting possession to one days bag at any one time.

JAY A. SHULER,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 144, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on third reading.

And Senate Bills No. 193 and 299, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber
Tallahassee, Fla., April 29, 1941.

Senator Shuler, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that they do not pass.

Senate Bill No. 145:

A bill to be entitled An Act making the baiting or fighting of birds or animals, or the keeping of a place therefor, a misdemeanor, providing for the punishment thereof and for the seizure of implements used in such fights.

Senate Bill No. 146:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining roadside menageries for the supervision and control thereof, for the issuing of licenses therefor, and for the punishment for the failure to secure such licenses.

JAY A. SHULER,
Chairman.

And Senate Bills No. 145 and 146, contained in the above report, were laid on the table.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Shuler, Chairman of the Committee on Game and Fisheries, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that they pass.

Senate Bill No. 311:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section Thirty-eight of Chapter 13644, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, entitled: "An Act relating to game, non-game birds, fresh-water fish and fur-bearing animals, to create the Department of Game and Fresh Water Fish and the office of State Game Commissioner; to define his duties and powers and that of his deputies; to fix his compensation and that of his deputies; to provide for the protection and conservation of game, non-game birds, fresh-water fish and fur-bearing animals by prescribing the times when and means by and extent to which they may be taken, possessed and dealt in; to license hunters, guides, trappers and fishermen; to require persons who engage in the business of operating hunting and fishing boats for hire or who deal in or with fresh-water fish or hides of

fur-bearing animals, to procure a license for same; to prohibit the use, placing or discharge in the fresh waters of the State of substances or forces injurious to fish; to provide for the prosecution of persons violating the provisions of this Act and a penalty and rule of evidence in such prosecutions; to provide for the collection of funds to carry out the provisions of this Act and for the disposition of revenues accruing thereunder; consenting to acquisition by the United States of areas of land, water or land and water, in accordance with the Act of Congress of February 18, 1929; and repealing certain existing laws and statutes; and defining certain terms used therein," in the following particulars: limiting shot guns used for taking game birds and game animals to three shell capacity or plugged to three shell capacity.

Senate Bill No. 349:

A bill to be entitled An Act making licenses to hunt and take migratory or non-migratory birds issued by any County bordering on a lake, river or other stream effective as to all of the surface of such lakes, rivers or other streams regardless of the exact boundary line or lines.

JAY A. SHULER,
Chairman.

And Senate Bills No. 311 and 349, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass.

Senate Bill No. 205:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 19291, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, entitled: "An Act relating to citrus fruit damaged by freezing; providing for the determination of the extent of damage occurring to citrus fruit from freezing temperatures; prescribing conditions under which citrus fruit damaged by freezing shall be deemed unfit for human consumption; providing for issuance of rules and regulations by the Florida Citrus Commission under the provisions of this Act; providing for an embargo on citrus fruit under certain conditions; and providing penalties for violation of the provisions of this Act."

JOHN S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 205, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass.

Senate Bill No. 203:

A bill to be entitled An Act to mend Sections 2, 3, and 7 and to repeal Section 15 A of Chapter 19326, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, entitled: "An Act relating to the purchase, handling, sale and accounting of sales of citrus fruit grown in the State of Florida; to prevent fraud and deception therein; to provide for the licensing and bonding of citrus fruit dealers; to prescribe certain powers and duties of the citrus Commission and the Commissioner of Agriculture of the State of Florida in the administration and enforcement of this Act; and to prescribe penalties for the violations of the provisions of this Act; and providing certain exceptions from the provisions of this Act."

JOHN S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 203, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:
Your Committee on Citrus Fruits, to whom was referred—
Senate Bill No. 208:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6, 9, 10 and 15 of Chapter 16856, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, as amended by Chapter 17781, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, entitled "An

Act to conserve and promote the prosperity and welfare of the Florida Citrus Industry and of the State of Florida by promoting the sale of oranges produced in Florida through the conducting of a publicity, advertising and sales promotion campaign to increase the consumption of such oranges; to levy and impose an excise tax on oranges produced in Florida and to provide for the collection thereof; to create an orange advertising fund; to vest the administration of this Act in the Florida Citrus Commission and to provide for the powers, duties and authority of said Commission hereunder; and to provide penalties for violations of this Act."

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

Senate Amendment No. 1:

In Section 3, amending Section 10 of the Act, following the words "and other printed work of similar character, kind and nature" strike out the words "shall be exempt from the provisions of any and all laws, and statutes of the State of Florida, requiring that all public printing of the State of Florida, State Departments and other State agencies, shall be let separately by the Department to which it belongs to the lowest responsible bidder who shall manufacture the same within the State." and insert the following: "shall be purchased from the lowest and best responsible bidder."

Senate Amendment No. 2:

In Section 4 (amending Section 15, sub-section 2, of the Act) strike out the words "or the same media."

Senate Amendment No. 3:

In Section 4 (amending Section 15, sub-Section 2, of the Act) following the words "the Commission" insert the following, "for a period of two years after the effective date of this act" (precede and follow by a comma).

Senate Amendment No. 4:

In Section 7, strike all of Section 7 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 7. That this Act shall take effect September 1, 1941."

JOHN S. TAYLOR, JR.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 208, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass—

Senate Bill No. 204:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 19325, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, entitled: "An Act to provide for, regulate, and control the artificial coloring of certain citrus fruits by the addition of artificial color to the peel thereof, and fixing penalties for the violation thereof."

JOHN S. TAYLOR, JR.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 204, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass—

Senate Bill No. 209:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the duties of the Florida Citrus Commission with reference to transportation problems affecting the Florida Citrus Industry and transportation rates and charges on Florida citrus fruits; to prescribe for expenditures from the orange advertising fund, the grapefruit advertising fund and the tangerine advertising fund for protecting the Florida Citrus Industry in obtaining and enjoying just, reasonable and otherwise lawful transportation rates and charges.

JOHN S. TAYLOR, JR.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 209, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Citrus Fruit, to whom was referred:
Senate Bill No. 210:

A bill to be entitled an Act to amend Sections 9, 10 and 15 of Chapter 16858, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, as amended by Chapter 17782, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, entitled "An Act to conserve and promote the prosperity and welfare of the Florida Citrus Industry and of the State of Florida by promoting the sale of tangerines produced in Florida through the conducting of a publicity, advertising and sales promotion campaign to increase the consumption of such tangerines; to levy and impose an excise tax on tangerines produced in Florida and to provide for the collection thereof; to create a tangerine advertising fund; to vest the administration of this Act in the Florida Citrus Commission and to provide for the powers, duties and authority of said Commission hereunder; and to provide penalties for violations of this Act."

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

Senate Amendment No. 1:

In Section 2, amending Section 10 of the Act, following the words "and other printed work of similar character, kind and nature" strike out the words "shall be exempt from the provisions of any and all laws and statutes of the State of Florida, requiring that all public printing of the State of Florida, State Department and other State agencies, shall be let separately by the Department to which it belongs to the lowest responsible bidder who shall manufacture the same within the State," and insert the following: "shall be purchased from the lowest and best responsible bidder."

Senate Amendment No. 2:

In Section 6, strike all of Section 3 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 6. That this Act shall take effect September 1, 1941."

Senate Amendment No. 3:

In Section 3 (amending Section 15, sub-Section 2, of the Act) following the words "the Commission" insert the following, "for a period of two years after the effective date of this Act" (precede and follow by a comma).

Senate Amendment No. 4:

In Section 3 (amending Section 15, sub-Section 2 of the Act) by striking the words "or the same media."

JOHN S. TAYLOR, JR.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 210, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Citrus Fruits, to whom was referred—
Senate Bill No. 202:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 3, 8, 10, 11, 16 and 17 of Chapter 16854, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, as amended by Chapter 17775, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, entitled: "An Act to stabilize and protect the citrus industry of the State of Florida and to promote the General welfare of such industry and of the State of Florida; to create a State Citrus Commission of the State of Florida to be known as 'Florida Citrus Commission;' to provide for the appointment and payment of expenses of the members of such commission, and to prescribe the powers, duties and functions of such commission and the qualifications and terms of office of members thereof; to create seven citrus districts to be numbered one to seven; to provide for the adoption by said commission of rules, regulations and orders necessary and proper for an effective administration and enforcement of this Act; to protect and enhance the reputation of Florida Citrus Fruit in domestic and foreign markets; to regulate the inspection, grading and marking of citrus fruit; to prohibit the shipping of citrus fruit in violation of this Act; to prescribe the powers and

duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture of the State of Florida in the enforcement of this Act; to provide for judicial review of protests made in connection with any rules, regulations or orders adopted pursuant to this Act; to provide for the levy and collection of assessments and the disbursement thereof; to provide for inspection and inspection services; and to provide penalties for violations of the provisions of this Act and any rule, regulation or order promulgated thereunder."

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

Amendment No. 1:

In section 1, Strike out "at least five of whom shall also be shippers of citrus fruit or connected with a citrus fruit packing, shipping or marketing organization or association, either as officers or as paid employees."

and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Or has been the directing or managing head of a corporation, firm partnership or other business unit which has, during said period derived the major portion of its income from the growing, or growing and shipping, of citrus fruit. Seven members of said Commission shall be growers not connected with any packing, shipping or marketing organization or association, either as officers or as paid employees, and the remaining four members of said Commission shall be growers who are also shippers or connected with a packing, shipping or marketing organization or association, either as officers or as paid employees."

JOHN S. TAYLOR, JR.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 202, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendment thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Citrus Fruits, to whom was referred—
Senate Bill No. 201:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create and establish a research department of the Florida Citrus Commission to conduct the study of standards of quality, grade and maturity of Florida Citrus Fruit and the cause and effect thereof, to determine the nutritional and other value of such fruit and to develop new uses for citrus fruit and to prescribe the powers and duties of the Florida Citrus Commission in connection therewith; to provide for the employment of a manager of such research department and to prescribe his powers and duties; to provide for expenditures from the orange advertising fund, the grapefruit advertising fund and the tangerine advertising fund for the proper financing of such research department and the activities thereof, and to provide for an advisory research committee to consult and advise with the Florida Citrus Commission in the expenditure of the funds appropriated by this Act and the research work to be done thereunder.

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

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 5, strike out all of Section 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 5. That in the exercise of its powers and duties hereunder, and particularly in connection with the expenditure of the funds appropriated by this Act, said Florida Citrus Commission shall from time to time advise and consult with an Advisory Research Committee, which shall consist of ten practical citrus fruit men, resident citizens of the State of Florida, four of whom shall be growers of citrus fruit not connected with any packing, shipping or marketing agency or association, either as officers or as paid employees, three of whom shall be canners of citrus fruit or persons connected with an organization or association engaged in canning citrus fruit, and the remaining three members of which shall be growers who are shippers of citrus fruit or persons connected with an organization or association engaged in shipping citrus fruit, such Advisory Research Committee to be selected and appointed by the Florida Citrus Commission and the members thereof to serve for a term of five years each."

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 4(f) strike out on line 1 of such sub-section the

words "to employ and at its pleasure" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "to, in its discretion, employ and at its pleasure."

JOHN S. TAYLOR, JR.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 201, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

Your Committee on Citrus Fruits, to whom was referred: Senate Bill No. 206:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 10, 11 and 17 of Chapter 17780, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, entitled "An Act to conserve and promote the prosperity and welfare of the Florida citrus industry and of the State of Florida by promoting the sale of grapefruit produced in Florida through the conducting of a publicity, advertising and sales promotion campaign to increase the consumption of such grapefruit; to levy and impose an excise tax on grapefruit produced in Florida and to provide for the collection thereof; to create a grapefruit advertising fund; to vest the administration of this Act in the Florida Citrus Commission and to provide for the powers, duties and authority of said commission hereunder; to create an advisory committee of grapefruit canners; to provide for their appointment, qualifications and terms of office; and to provide penalties for violations of this Act."

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

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 2 amending Section 11 of the Act, following the words "and other printed work of similar character, kind and nature," strike out the words "shall be exempt from the provisions of any and all laws and statutes of the State of Florida requiring that all public printing of the State of Florida, State Departments, and other State agencies shall be let separately by the Department to which it belongs to the lowest responsible bidder who shall manufacture the same within the State."

And insert the following: "shall be purchased from the lowest and best responsible bidder."

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 3 (amending Section 17, sub-section 2, of the Act), strike out the words "or the same media."

Amendment No. 3:

In Section 3 (amending Section 17, sub-section 2, of the Act) following the words "the Commission" insert the following, "for a period of two years after the effective date of this act" (precede and follow by a comma).

Amendment No. 4:

In Section 6 strike all of Section 6 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Section 6. That this Act shall take effect September 1, 1941."

JOHN S. TAYLOR, JR.,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 206, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Beall, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that same pass.

Senate Bill No. 330:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to mortgages or other instruments, to or in favor of any person, firm, association or corporation making agricultural loans, or the government of the United States, creating liens on real or personal property, or agricultural, horticultural or fruit crops, planted, growing or to be planted, grown or raised, securing existing indebtedness and/or future advances, including optional and obligatory advances; providing for the priority of such mortgages or other instruments; and providing when this Act shall become effective.

PHILIP D. BEALL,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 330, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred: Senate Bill No. 366:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require all persons licensed to practice chiropractic in the State of Florida to renew annually their licenses with the State Board of Chiropractic examiners; to provide for the conditions upon which renewal of licenses shall be issued and requirements prerequisite to the granting of such renewal of licenses; to provide for notice to be given licensees under said board of the provisions and requirements of this Act; to provide for the forfeiture of licenses to practice chiropractic in the State of Florida for failure to comply with the provisions of this Act, and to prescribe requirements for the restoration of such forfeited licenses.

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

HUBERT A. PRICE,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 366, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Shands, Chairman of the Committee on State Institutions, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass.

Senate Bill No. 327:

A bill to be entitled An Act conferring the right of eminent domain upon the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida, and repealing Chapter 7947, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1919.

W. A. SHANDS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 327, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Shands, Chairman of the Committee on State Institutions, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass, with Committee amendment:

Senate Bill No. 335:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 617 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 11857, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, relating to disbursements for institutions by the Board of Control, by providing for revolving funds to be set up by certain institutions to pay wages of laborers and certain expenses, providing for disbursements from such funds and for reimbursement to such funds, providing for the protection of such funds, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Which amendment is as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, line 18 on page two of the bill, after the word "Blind," insert the following: "Florida Farm Colony, State Prison Farm, Florida Industrial School for Girls, Florida Industrial School for Boys, and the Florida State Hospital"

W. A. SHANDS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 335, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendment thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Taylor, Chairman of the Committee on Citrus Fruits, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your Committee on Citrus Fruits, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 207:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit canning of any citrus fruit that is immature or otherwise unfit for canning purposes; to provide for the enforcement thereof; and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

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

Senate Amendment No. 1:

In Section 12. In the second paragraph of Section 12 at the end of the second line of second paragraph and after the word "shall" add the following: "Be persons who are duly licensed or certified by the United States Department of Agriculture as citrus fruit inspectors and." (continue with the phraseology beginning with "be governed.")

Senate Amendment No. 2:

In Section 3, amend by striking that portion of Section 3 appearing on page 5 of the bill and substitute the following attached page:

368 cubic centimeters of juice.

2. A grapefruit of size 36 shall contain not less than 341 cubic centimeters of juice.

3. A grapefruit of size 46 shall contain not less than 324 cubic centimeters of juice.

4. A grapefruit of size 54 shall contain not less than 297 cubic centimeters of juice.

5. A grapefruit of size 64 shall contain not less than 269 cubic centimeters of juice.

6. A grapefruit of size 70 shall contain not less than 247 cubic centimeters of juice.

7. A grapefruit of size 80 shall contain not less than 236 cubic centimeters of juice.

8. A grapefruit of size 96 shall contain not less than 209 cubic centimeters of juice.

9. A grapefruit of size 126 shall contain not less than 176 cubic centimeters of juice.

10. A grapefruit of size 150 shall contain not less than 154 cubic centimeters of juice.

The tests of the juice contents of grapefruit hereunder shall be based upon the average maximum amount of liquid contents which can be extracted from the flesh and pulp of not less than three average individual specimens of said grapefruit of any given size. The Florida Citrus Commission shall, by proper rules and regulations to be issued hereunder, prescribe the manner and method of drawing of said samples and of conducting said tests. The skin and rind shall be removed before the liquid contents are extracted, and the remaining portion of the fruit shall be enclosed within a porous cloth before the juice is extracted therefrom for the purpose of permitting an efficient extraction of said juice, and the mechanical juice extractor or fruit press known as "Juicy Fruit Press" manufactured by O. P. Schriver Company.

JOHN S. TAYLOR, Jr.,

Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 207, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,

Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that the same pass.

Senate Bill No. 312:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, empowering and directing the Governor of the State of Florida, with the consent of the Congress of the United States, to enter into a compact on behalf of the State of Florida with any State of the United States legally joining therein for out-of-State supervision of probationers and parolees; providing, substantially, for the form of such compact, and providing that such compact shall include the terms and conditions under which a person placed on probation or released on parole by one State party to such compact may reside in another State party to such compact, the duties of visitation of and supervision over out-of-State probationers and parolees and their arrest under certain conditions, the manner in which such probationers and parolees shall be returned to the State granting probation or parole, the power of the parties to said

compact to make rules and regulations to carry out the terms of such compact, and an agreement that said compact shall have the force and effect of law and shall remain binding until renounced by any State party of such compact; conferring and defining certain duties, and powers of the Parole Commission under this Act, providing for its operation fixing effective date and repealing laws in conflict herewith.

Senate Bill No. 340:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sub-section (13) of Section 1 of Chapter 16087, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, regulating the manufacture, sale, possession, control, cultivation, etc., of narcotic drugs and hereby to amend the definition of "Cannabis" or products of the plant sometimes known as Marihuana.

AMOS LEWIS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bills No. 312 and 340, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 342:

A bill to be entitled A Uniform Act to secure the attendance of witnesses from within a State in criminal proceedings.

Senate Bill No. 337:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make uniform the law on fresh pursuit and authorizing this State to cooperate with other states therein.

AMOS LEWIS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bills Nos. 342 and 337, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that the same pass.

Senate Bill No. 344:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the State of Florida may enter into a compact with any of the United States for mutual helpfulness in relation to persons convicted of crime or offenses who may be on probation or parole.

Senate Bill No. 339:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make uniform the procedure of interstate extradition.

AMOS LEWIS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bills Nos. 344 and 339, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 159:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3224 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida of 1920, the same being Section 5030 of the Compiled General Laws of 1927, relating to temporary injunction or an abatement of nuisances.

Senate Bill No. 161:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the duties of sheriffs in levying writs.

AMOS LEWIS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bills Nos. 159 and 161, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Senator Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that the same pass:

Senate Bill No. 158:

A bill to be entitled An Act Amending Section 250, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, being Section 306,

Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, the same being the law fixing and prescribing the compensation of inspectors and Clerks of any Special or General Election, by including therein a provision for the payment by the Board of County Commissioners of the compensation of Deputy Sheriff serving at the polling places in any such election and validating all payments heretofore made to such Deputy Sheriffs by any Board of County Commissioners.

Senate Bill No. 294:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define and punish the offense of passing worthless checks in the State of Florida, and providing certain rules of evidence in prosecutions under this Act; repealing Sections 5706 and 5707 Revised General Statutes of Florida relating, respectively, to "issuing worthless checks in payment of property" and "rule of evidence"; Chapter 8401, Acts of 1921, entitled "An Act to define and punish the offense of passing worthless checks in the State of Florida and providing certain rules of evidence and certain forms of accusations which may be used in prosecutions under this Act" and Chapter 9328, Acts of 1923, entitled "An Act regulating the issuance of checks, drafts and orders for the payment of money within the State of Florida and to provide a penalty for the violation of this Act."

AMOS LEWIS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bills Nos. 158 and 294, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading
Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla. May 2, 1941.

Senator Lewis, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B," reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bills and recommends that the same pass—

House Bill No. 493:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and affecting the time within which writs of error shall be sued out in actions at law or taken in suits in chancery; to repeal certain statutes relating thereto, and certain statutes saving the time therefor in favor of infants and married women; and to fix the effective date hereof.

House Bill No. 92:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 4979 and 4980, Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, the same being Sections 7068 and 7069, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, relating to the payment of wages due an employee upon his death to his wife or other close relative by including therein in addition to wages traveling expenses due such employee.

AMOS LEWIS,
Chairman.

And House Bills Nos. 493 and 92, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.
Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla. May 2, 1941.

Senator Beall, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass—

Senate Bill No. 354:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and permit the recording of any and all instruments filed for record with the several Clerks of the Circuit Court in this State by photographic or other similar process and to provide for the purchase of equipment required for such recording and to provide the powers and duties of the Clerk of the Circuit Court and the Board of County Commissioners in respect thereof.

PHILIP D. BEALL,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 354, contained in the above report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Senator Adams, Chairman of the Committee on Forestry and Parks, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass—

Senate Bill No. 127:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of any County to cooperate with the Florida Board of Forestry in the employment of a County Forester, and prescribing his duties.

J. FRANK ADAMS,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 127, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 274:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2660 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, relating to pleas of set-off; extending the same to counterclaims and cross-claims; providing for the force and effect of counterclaims and cross-claims; providing for the transfer of certain cases from an inferior to a superior court; and providing for the consolidation of certain suits.

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

S. A. HINELY,
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 274, contained in the above report, was referred to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 30, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 101:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending the Charter of the City of Tampa, Florida, by authorizing said City to levy a Special Tax, not exceeding one mill upon real and personal property therein, for the purpose of maintaining a public library in said City.

House Bill No. 111:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the registration and/or re-registration of the electors of Highlands County, Florida; to provide for new registration books and lists of electors, and to provide for the compensation of the Supervisor of Registration.

House Bill No. 112:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that all funds to be received under the provisions of Chapter 14,832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, or any Act amendatory thereto, and all funds received from licensing and taxing persons, firms, corporations or associations, operating a Fronton for the exhibition of the Spanish ball game called Jai-A-Lai or Pelota, which may hereafter be paid to the State of Florida, and all funds derived from the licensing and taxing of other forms of games for amusement where the same is to be apportioned to the several counties of the State of Florida, shall in Levy County, Florida, be paid by the State Treasurer, or other officer having the authority to disburse said funds, to the Board of Public Instruction of Levy County, Florida, and providing for the payment of certain portions of said funds to the Board of County Commissioners of Levy County, Florida, for general county purposes; and providing for the use of the remainder thereof by the Board of Public Instruction of Levy County, Florida.

House Bill No. 119:

A bill to be entitled An Act apportioning the moneys received from the State of Florida by the County Commissioners of Hardee County under and by virtue of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, 1931, as amended by Chapter 16113, Laws of Florida, 1933, providing for a State Racing Commission and providing for licensing and taxing such Racing and apportioning the moneys derived therefrom among the several counties; to provide that one-third of all the moneys so received by said County Commissioners of Hardee County shall be paid over to the County School Board of said County for school purposes as received by said County; and providing that the Board of Public Instruction of Hardee County

may borrow money and pledge the anticipated funds to be received under the provisions of this Act for the necessary current operating expenses of the Public Free Schools of said County, including costs of administration and any other school purposes.

House Bill No. 147:

A bill to be entitled An Act closing all waters of Osceola County to commercial seining and trapping; providing for a referendum; providing this Act shall not become effective until approved by a majority of the qualified voters at a referendum; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

House Bill No. 151:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 20026, Special Acts of 1939, being An Act providing for commercial fishing in Osceola County, Florida; and to authorize commercial fishing in certain waters of Osceola County, Florida; prescribing the size of nets that may be used; prohibiting the taking of certain classes of fish; prohibiting the sale, barter, purchase, exchange or transportation of certain kinds of fish; making it unlawful to take black bass except at certain times and in a certain manner with certain limitations; providing for the issuance of permits by the Board of County Commissioners authorizing holders thereof to take certain fish for commercial purposes by means of a seine, net, trap or other set device; limiting the number of permits which may be issued and the kind of permit which may be issued with reference to the various lakes in Osceola County, Florida; not exempting permit-holders from the payment of fishing licenses required by law; providing for enforcement of this Act and the penalties for its violation.

House Bill No. 160:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the erection of a monument on the County Courthouse grounds in Glades County, Florida, to the memory of the people killed by the 1926 hurricane; appropriating Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars therefor from Glades County's share of State Racing Taxes, and naming a committee to erect same.

House Bill No. 165:

A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 19909, Laws of Florida, 1939, entitled, "An Act affecting the Government of the City of Jacksonville and creating the Office of Municipal Registration Officer; providing for his appointment, compensation and duties, and providing for the registration of the qualified electors of said City and amending the Charter of the City of Jacksonville so as to comply herewith."

House Bill No. 177:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 19215, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, entitled: "An Act creating a Court of Crimes in Duval County, Florida; prescribing the jurisdiction of said Court and the terms thereof; providing for the appointment of a Judge for said Court and a Prosecuting Attorney for the same; fixing their respective compensation and terms of office; providing that the Clerk of Civil and Criminal Courts of Record of Duval County, Florida, shall be the Clerk of said Court and that the Sheriff of Duval County, Florida, shall be the executive officer thereof; providing for a review of cases from said Court by the Circuit Court of Duval County, Florida, and the Supreme Court of Florida; providing for a stenographer for the Prosecuting Attorney of said Court; authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to furnish quarters for said Court; and generally to provide a forum for the speedy trial of persons charged with misdemeanors"; to abolish the Court of Crimes in and for Duval County and providing for the transfer of all cases pending in said Court upon this Act becoming effective.

House Bill No. 195:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of Members of the Boards of Public Instruction in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 15,000 and not more than 16,000, according to the Federal Census of 1940.

House Bill No. 217:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the registration of all voters in Bay County, Florida, who desire to participate in Primary, General and Special elections to be held in said County in the year 1942 and subsequent years; prescribing the method of such registration, and providing for the payment of the expense thereof.

House Bill No. 284:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the publication and filing by the Chairman and Treasurer of the Executive Committee of each political party represented by candidates for nomination to any County or Municipal office in Duval County, Florida, of an itemized statement of its receipts and disbursements; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof.

House Bill No. 339:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 10552, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1925, and Acts amendatory thereto, by providing for the establishment of a system of personnel administration for the Civil Service of all Departments of the City of Fort Lauderdale, a Municipal Corporation of Florida, and providing for a referendum thereon.

House Bill No. 353:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the registration and re-registration of all voters for all elections to be held in the year 1942, and subsequent years thereafter, in Lee County in the State of Florida, and providing that registration of voters heretofore had in said County shall be null and void after the first day of January, 1942, and providing for time to register and re-register in said County and the duties of the Superintendent of Registration and repealing of laws in conflict therewith.

House Bill No. 381:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Charlotte County, Florida, to employ and compensate a County Agricultural Agent for the purpose of carrying on and promoting in said County extension and demonstration work in agriculture, dairying, poultry and animal husbandry; also authorizing such Board of County Commissioners to fix the compensation and expenses of such agent and pay the same out of the General Revenue Fund of said County and authorizing such Board of County Commissioners to make agreements and contracts with the State of Florida, the United States, or any Governmental Agencies, of either or both concerning the employment, compensation, and supervision of the work of such agent and to agree with the State and United States for the allocation and expenditure of any Federal and State Funds for the purpose of this law, also authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to levy a tax for the purpose of paying the salary and expenses of said agent herein provided.

House Bill No. 382:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6, 152, 153, 160 and 162 of Chapter 9055, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present Municipality of the Town of Punta Gorda, DeSoto County, Florida, and to create and establish a Municipal Corporation to be known as the City of Punta Gorda, Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government and to confer certain powers upon said Municipality and its officers, and to provide a Charter for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act."

House Bill No. 384:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and direct the Board of Public Instruction of Charlotte County, Florida, to cancel a certain outstanding warrant in the sum of \$61.20.

House Bill No. 386:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of Members of the Board of County Commissioners of Charlotte County, Florida.

House Bill No. 388:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating and fixing the compensation for the County Assessor of Taxes and the compensation for the County Tax Collector in Charlotte County, Florida, designating who shall pay such compensation and the funds from which such payment shall be made; prescribing the basis of commissions on assessments and collections, and repealing all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

House Bill No. 406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the County of Sarasota, Florida, and the State Treasurer to exchange for appropriate refunding bonds of said County any and all bonds heretofore used or accepted in settlement of taxes and now in the custody of the State Treasurer of the Clerk of the Circuit Court under the provisions of Chapter 15054, Acts of 1931, or Chapter 16252, Acts of 1933, Laws of Florida; providing for adjustment of interest on bonds so

exchanged; prescribing the manner in which and by whom said bonds hereafter shall be held, owned or disposed of; authorizing and directing the State Board of Administration to assist in making the exchanges herein provided for; and ratifying and confirming as valid and sufficient in law any such exchanges heretofore made.

House Bill No. 447:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that all lands and property of the several incorporated cities or towns in Pasco County, Florida, whether such property or land is used or intended for public purposes or not, shall, for the year 1941, and all subsequent years be wholly exempt from taxation for County purposes; and provided further that this Act shall take effect immediately upon its becoming law, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith to the extent of such conflict.

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.

A. P. DRUMMOND,
Chairman.

House Bills Nos. 101, 111, 112, 119, 147, 151, 160, 165, 177, 195 217, 284, 339, 353, 381, 382, 384, 386, 388, 406, and 447, 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.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 92:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define and to regulate the practice of Dentistry and Dental Hygiene in the State of Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of any of the provision of this Act.

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.

A. P. DRUMMOND,
Chairman.

Senate Bill No. 92, contained in the above report was thereupon duly signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate in open session and ordered referred to the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate, to be conveyed to the Governor for his approval.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 1, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

House Bill No. 411:

A bill to be entitled An Act to further amend Section 8 of Chapter 10847 Laws of Florida, approved May 9, 1925, entitled "An Act to amend and re-enact the Charter of the City of Miami, County of Dade, and fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of said City and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances; and to ratify certain Acts and proceedings of the commission and of officers of the City," as amended by this Chapter 15339, approved May 15, 1931 and as further amended by Chapter 19974, special Acts of 1939, relating to municipal elections and qualifications

and requirements of candidates participating in said municipal election.

House Bill No. 350:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Clerk of the City of Miami, Florida, to appoint a deputy, or deputies, and providing for the clerks' liability for the Acts of such deputies; and further providing for their powers.

House Bill No. 352:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to procedure in municipal Court in the City of Miami, Florida.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

The same having been duly signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, we herewith present the same for the signature of the President and Secretary of the Senate.

A. P. DRUMMOND,
Chairman.

House Bills Nos. 411, 350 and 352, 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.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

House Bill No. 61:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 4846, Revised General Statutes of Florida, the same being Chapter 6932, Compiled General Laws, 1927, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 16067, Acts of 1933, relating to legal holidays.

House Bill No. 100:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Public Health and making it mandatory for the County Commissioners of Polk County to establish a full-time Local Health Unit under Chapter 14906, Laws of Florida, enacted at the 1931 session of the Legislature and providing a referendum.

House Bill No. 109:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 10 of Chapter 11865 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, entitled "An Act amending Sections 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33, of Chapter 10028, Acts of 1925, Laws of Florida, relating to building and loan associations."

House Bill No. 595:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define the area of operation of housing authorities regarding projects to assure the availability of safe and sanitary dwellings for persons engaged in national-defense activities.

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.

A. P. DRUMMOND,
Chairman.

House Bills Nos. 61, 100, 109 and 595, 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.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 92:

A bill to be entitled An Act to define and to regulate the

practice of dentistry and dental hygiene in the State of Florida, and to provide penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of this Act.

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

A. P. DRUMMOND,
Chairman.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 411:

A bill to be entitled An Act to further amend Section 8 of Chapter 10847, Laws of Florida, approved May 9, 1925, entitled "An Act to amend and re-enact the Charter of the City of Miami, County of Dade, and fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of said city and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances; and to ratify certain Acts and proceedings of the Commission and of officers of the city," as amended by this Chapter 15339, approved May 15, 1931, and as further amended by Chapter 19974, Special Acts of 1939, relating to municipal elections and qualifications and requirements of candidates participating in said municipal election.

House Bill No. 350:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Clerk of the City of Miami, Florida, to appoint a deputy, or deputies, and providing for the Clerk's liability for the Acts of such deputies; and further providing for their powers.

House Bill No. 352:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to procedure in Municipal Court in the City of Miami, Florida.

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

A. P. DRUMMOND,
Chairman.

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

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., April 30, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 101:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending the Charter of the City of Tampa, Florida, by authorizing said City to levy a Special Tax, not exceeding one mill upon real and personal property therein, for the purpose of maintaining a public library in said City.

House Bill No. 111:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the registration and/or re-registration of the electors of Highlands County, Florida; to provide for new registration books and lists of electors, and to provide for the compensation of the Supervisor of Registration.

House Bill No. 112:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that all funds to be received under the provisions of Chapter 14,832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, or any Act amendatory thereto, and all funds received from licensing and taxing persons, firms, corporations or associations, operating a Fronton for the exhibition of the Spanish ball game called Jai-A-Lai or Pelota, which may hereafter be paid to the State of Florida, and all funds derived from the licensing and taxing of other forms of games for amusement where the same is to be apportioned to the several counties of the State of Florida, shall in Levy County, Florida, be paid by the State Treasurer, or other officer having the authority to disburse said funds, to the Board of Public Instruction of Levy County, Florida,

and providing for the payment of certain portions of said funds to the Board of County Commissioners of Levy County, Florida, for general county purposes; and providing for the use of the remainder thereof by the Board of Public Instruction of Levy County, Florida.

House Bill No. 119:

A bill to be entitled An Act apportioning the moneys received from the State of Florida by the County Commissioners of Hardee County under and by virtue of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, 1931, as amended by Chapter 16113, Laws of Florida, 1933, providing for a State Racing Commission and providing for licensing and taxing such Racing and apportioning the moneys derived herefrom among the several counties; to provide that one-third of all the moneys so received by said County Commissioners of Hardee County shall be paid over to the County School Board of said County for school purposes as received by said County; and providing that the Board of Public Instruction of Hardee County may borrow money and pledge the anticipated funds to be received under the provisions of this Act for the necessary current operating expenses of the Public Free Schools of said County, including costs of administration and any other school purposes.

House Bill No. 147:

A bill to be entitled An Act closing all waters of Osceola County to commercial seining and trapping; providing for a referendum; providing this Act shall not become effective until approved by a majority of the qualified voters at a referendum; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

House Bill No. 151:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 20026, Special Acts of 1939, being An Act providing for commercial fishing in Osceola County, Florida; and to authorize commercial fishing in certain waters of Osceola County, Florida; prescribing the size of nets that may be used; prohibiting the taking of certain classes of fish; prohibiting the sale, barter, purchase, exchange or transportation of certain kinds of fish; making it unlawful to take black bass except at certain times and in a certain manner with certain limitations; providing for the issuance of permits by the Board of County Commissioners authorizing holders thereof to take certain fish for commercial purposes by means of a seine, net, trap or other set device; limiting the number of permits which may be issued and the kind of permit which may be issued with reference to the various lakes in Osceola County, Florida; not exempting permit-holders from the payment of fishing licenses required by law; providing for enforcement of this Act and the penalties for its violation.

House Bill No. 160:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the erection of a monument on the County Courthouse grounds in Glades County, Florida, to the memory of the people killed by the 1926 hurricane; appropriating Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars therefor from Glades County's share of State Racing Taxes; and naming a committee to erect same.

House Bill No. 165:

A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 19909, Laws of Florida, 1939, entitled, "An Act affecting the Government of the City of Jacksonville and creating the Office of Municipal Registration Officer; providing for his appointment, compensation and duties, and providing for the registration of the qualified electors of said City and amending the Charter of the City of Jacksonville so as to comply herewith."

House Bill No. 177:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 19215, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, entitled: "An Act creating a County Court of Duval County, Florida; prescribing the jurisdiction of said Court and the terms thereof; providing for the appointment of a Judge for said Court and a Prosecuting Attorney for the same; fixing their respective compensation and terms of office; providing that the Clerk of Circuit and Criminal Courts of Record of Duval County, Florida, shall be the Clerk of said Court and that the Sheriff of Duval County, Florida, shall be the executive officer thereof; providing for a review of cases from said Court by the Circuit Court of Duval County, Florida, and the Supreme Court of Florida; providing for a stenographer for the Prosecuting Attorney of said Court; authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to furnish quarters for said Court; and generally to provide a form

for the speedy trial of persons charged with misdemeanors"; to abolish the Court of Crimes in and for Duval County and providing for the transfer of all cases pending in said Court upon this Act becoming effective.

House Bill No. 195:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of Members of the Boards of Public Instruction in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 15,000 and not more than 16,000, according to the Federal Census of 1940.

House Bill No. 217:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the registration of all voters in Bay County, Florida, who desire to participate in Primary, General and Special elections to be held in said County in the year 1942 and subsequent years; prescribing the method of such registration, and providing for the payment of the expense thereof.

House Bill No. 284:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the publication and filing by the Chairman and Treasurer of the Executive Committee of each political party represented by candidates for nomination to any County or Municipal office in Duval County, Florida, of an itemized statement of its receipts and disbursements; and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof.

House Bill No. 339:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 10552, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1925, and Acts amendatory thereto, by providing for the establishment of a system of personnel administration for the Civil Service of all Departments of the City of Fort Lauderdale, a Municipal Corporation of Florida, and providing for a referendum thereon.

House Bill No. 353:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the registration and re-registration of all voters for all elections to be held in the year 1942, and subsequent years thereafter, in Lee County in the State of Florida, and providing that registration of voters heretofore had in said County shall be null and void after the first day of January, 1942 and providing for time to register and re-register in said County and the duties of the Superintendent of Registration and repealing of laws in conflict therewith.

House Bill No. 381:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Charlotte County, Florida, to employ and compensate a County Agricultural Agent for the purpose of carrying on and promoting in said County extension and demonstration work in agriculture, dairying, poultry and animal husbandry; also authorizing such Board of County Commissioners to fix the compensation and expenses of such agent and pay the same out of the General Revenue Fund of said County and authorizing such Board of County Commissioners to make agreements and contracts with the State of Florida, the United States, or any Governmental Agencies of either or both concerning the employment, compensation, and supervision of the work of such agent and to agree with the State and United States for the allocation and expenditure of any Federal and State Funds for the purpose of this law; also authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to levy a tax for the purpose of paying the salary and expenses of said agent herein provided.

House Bill No. 382:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6, 152, 153, 180 and 162 of Chapter 9055, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present Municipality of the Town of Punta Gorda, DeSoto County, Florida, and to create and establish a Municipal Corporation to be known as the City of Punta Gorda, Florida; to prescribe the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe the form of government and to confer certain powers upon said Municipality and its officers, and to provide a Charter for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act."

House Bill No. 384:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and direct the Board of Public Instruction of Charlotte County, Florida, to cancel a certain outstanding warrant in the sum of \$61.20.

House Bill No. 386:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of

Members of the Board of County Commissioners of Charlotte County, Florida.

House Bill No. 388:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating and fixing the compensation for the County Assessor of Taxes and the compensation for the County Tax Collector in Charlotte County, Florida, designating who shall pay such compensation and the funds from which such payment shall be made; prescribing the basis of commissions on assessments and collections, and repealing all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

House Bill No. 406:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the County of Sarasota Florida, and the State Treasurer to exchange for appropriate refunding bonds of said County any and all bonds heretofore used or accepted in settlement of taxes and now in the custody of the State Treasurer or the Clerk of the Circuit Court under the provisions of Chapter 15054, Acts of 1931, or Chapter 16252, Acts of 1933, Laws of Florida; providing for adjustment of interest on bonds so exchanged; prescribing the manner in which and by whom said bonds hereafter shall be held, owned or disposed of; authorizing and directing the State Board of Administration to assist in making the exchanges herein provided for; and ratifying and confirming as valid and sufficient in law any such exchanges heretofore made.

House Bill No. 447:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that all lands and property of the several incorporated cities or towns in Pasco County, Florida, whether such property or land is used or intended for public purposes or not, shall, for the year 1941, and all subsequent years be wholly exempt from taxation for County purposes; and provided further that this Act shall take effect immediately upon its becoming law, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith to the extent of such conflict.

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

A. P. DRUMMOND,
Chairman.

Senate Chamber,
Tallahassee, Fla., May 2, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

Your committee appointed in accordance with Senate Resolution No. 13 to make arrangements with the artists now serving the Senate for the painting of a duplicate painting of the Hon. J. Turner Butler and the Hon. John R. Beacham, beg leave to report that it has arranged with Mr. Palmer Caldwell of the Dishinger Woodward Studio, of Jacksonville, Florida, to furnish a duplicate of the portrait of Hon. J. Turner Butler and an original and duplicate portrait of Hon. John R. Beacham. Your Committee further reports that the cost of the duplicate portrait of Hon. J. Turner Butler will be \$400.00, the cost of the original of Hon. John R. Beacham will be \$600.00 and the cost of the duplicate of such portrait will be \$400.00, which sums your committee recommends be paid as Legislative expense of the 1941 Session.

Respectfully submitted,

R. C. HORNE,
PHILIP D. BEALL.

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the foregoing report of the Special Committee.

Upon adoption of the foregoing report of the Special Committee the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—33.

Nays—None.

So the report of the Special Committee was adopted.

The President and Senator Butler were excused from voting on the adoption of the foregoing report.

Senator Cooley moved that Senate Bill No. 286, pending roll call, be re-committed to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Cooley moved that Senate Bill No. 287 be re-committed to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator McKenzie—

Senate Bill No. 369:

A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 256 of the Revised General Statutes of the State of Florida, being Section 312 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, relating to printing of names of candidates on the official ballots to be used in General and Municipal Elections; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and providing when this Act shall take effect.

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

By Senator Adams (30th)—

Senate Bill No. 370:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 19432, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, the same being designated and known as "The Florida Certification Seed Law."

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock.

By Senator Beall—

Senate Bill No. 371:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, directing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, without advertisement or budgetary restrictions to expend a sum not to exceed \$7500.00 for the acquisition of rights of way for State Road Number 62 in Escambia County, Florida, by paying into Court the amounts of any awards or awards in condemnation cases brought by said County condemning or seeking to condemn rights of way for said State Road Number 62 in said County.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 371 when it was introduced in the Senate:

Escambia County

THE NEWS-JOURNAL COMPANY, INC.
PENSACOLA JOURNAL—PENSACOLA NEWS
Published Daily
PENSACOLA, ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared N. S. Veal, who on oath says that he is Publisher of the Pensacola Journal, a daily newspaper published at Pensacola in Escambia County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice in the matter of application for payment of \$7,500 in condemnation cases, in the Court, was published in said newspapers in the issues of March 29, 1941.

Affiant further says that the said Journal is a newspaper published at Pensacola, in said Escambia County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Escambia County, Florida, each day and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Pensacola, in said Escambia County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

N. S. VEAL,
Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of April, A. D. 1941.

(Seal)

DOROTHY G. THOMAS,
Notary Public.

My Commission expires March 6, 1944.

TAKE NOTICE of the intention of the undersigned to apply for passage of, and of intention to introduce in the 1941 session of the Legislature of Florida, a Local Bill authorizing, directing and empowering the County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, without advertisement or budgetary restrictions, to expend not to exceed \$7500.00, by payment into Court

of the amounts of awards in condemnation cases, condemning or seeking to condemn rights-of-way for State Road No. 62 in said County.

PHILIP D. BEALL.

2606—1t—3-29-41.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 371 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 371 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 371 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 371 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 371 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 371 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Beall—

Senate Bill No. 372:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing expenditure by the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, of the sum of \$15,000.00 for the acquisition of rights of way, without advertisement or budgetary restriction for defense program roads in Escambia County, Florida, and/or the payment of commitments heretofore made for the purchase of rights of way for such defense roads, in Escambia County, Florida, and validating, authorizing and approving commitments heretofore made by said board for such purposes.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 372 when it was introduced in the Senate:

Escambia County

THE NEWS-JOURNAL COMPANY, INC.
PENSACOLA JOURNAL—PENSACOLA NEWS
Published Daily
PENSACOLA, ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared N. S. Veal, who on oath says that he is Publisher of the Pensacola Journal, a daily newspaper published at Pensacola in Escambia County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a notice in the matter of Application Validating \$15,000 for Rights-of-Way in the court, was published in said newspaper in the issues of March 29, 1941.

Affiant further says that the said Journal is a newspaper published at Pensacola, in said Escambia County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Escambia County, Florida, each day and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Pensacola, in said Escambia County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

N. S. VEAL,
Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of April, A. D. 1941.

DOROTHY G. THOMAS,
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 6, 1944.

(Seal).

TAKE NOTICE of the intention of the undersigned to apply for passage of, and of intention to introduce in the 1941 ses-

sion of the Legislature of Florida, a Local Bill validating and authorizing expenditures in a sum of not to exceed \$15,000.00 by the County Commissioners of Escambia County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, in the acquisition of rights-of-way for Defense Roads in said County, and authorizing payment of commitments not exceeding said sum for such purpose.

PHILIP D. BEALL.

2605—1t—3-29-41.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 372 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 372 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 372 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 372 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 372 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 372 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator King—

Senate Bill No. 373:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating, ratifying and confirming the issuance, sale and delivery of bonds of Special Tax School District No. 53 of Polk County, Florida, voted at an election held in said district on March 22, 1938, and ratifying, validating and confirming the manner of execution of said bonds and the interest coupons attached thereto.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 373 when it was introduced in the Senate:

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLISHER

STATE OF FLORIDA,)
COUNTY OF POLK.)

On this day personally appeared before me, A. B. MEEK, to me well known, who, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is publisher of THE FORT MEADE LEADER, a newspaper published in the City of Fort Meade, County of Polk and State of Florida; That said newspaper has been published in accordance with the provisions and requirements of an act relating to publication of legal notices and process in newspapers in the State of Florida, Acts of 1931, approved May 20, 1931, and known as Senate Bill No. 58; and that the attached advertisement was published in the said newspaper once each week for a period of one week, to-wit: in the issue of the said newspaper published on March 20, 1941.

(Signed) A. B. MEEK.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of March, 1941.

(Signed) A. L. CLEVELAND,
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.
My commission expires August 13, 1942.
(Seal) —

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR SPECIAL LEGISLATION AFFECTING SPECIAL TAX SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 53 OF POLK COUNTY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislature of the State of Florida, at its regular session in the year 1941, for passage of a special law relating to Special Tax School District No. 53 of Polk County, Florida, the substance of said proposed law being the validation and confirmation of the sale and delivery of all or part of an issue of Sixty Thousand Dollars of School District Bonds of said Special Tax School District, dated June 1, 1938, authorized at an election held in said District on March 22, 1938, and vali-

dating and confirming the manner of execution of said bonds and the interest coupons attached thereto.
Board of Public Instruction of Polk County Florida.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 373 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 373 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 373 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 373 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 373 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 373 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Perdue—

Senate Bill No. 374:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that any person catching fish within any of the salt waters of any County in the State of Florida having a population of not less than twelve thousand five hundred fifty (12,550) and not more than twelve thousand seven hundred (12,700) according to the last Federal census, shall have a right to sell such fish to anyone desiring to buy such fish.

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

By Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Beacham, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, and Wilson—

Senate Bill No. 375:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that State Road 5-A extending from Perry to High Springs shall be known as "Fred P. Parker Memorial Highway," and that certain bridge on State Road 5-A between Lafayette and Suwannee Counties shall be known as the "Fred P. Parker Memorial Bridge."

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 375 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 375 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 375 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 375 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 375 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 375 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Maines—

Senate Bill No. 376:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road in Clay and Bradford Counties.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Maines moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 376 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 376 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Maines moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 376 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 376 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 376 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 376 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Whitaker—

Senate Bill No. 377:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the employment and the payment of the salary of the Secretary or Secretaries of the Circuit Judge or Judges in all Counties of the State of Florida, where such Circuit Judge or Judges may reside, having a population of not less than 100,000 nor more than 200,000 according to the latest State or Federal Census, and fixing the salary of said Secretary or Secretaries.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 377 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 377 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 377 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 377 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 377 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 377 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senators Folks, Kelly, Whitaker, Perdue, Cliett, Cooley, Johnson, and Shepherd—

Senate Bill No. 378:

A bill to be entitled An Act assessing, levying and imposing an annual license tax upon every person, firm, copartnership, joint adventure, joint stock company, association, corporation, estate, business trust, trust, receiver, syndicate, fiduciary, or any other association of persons conducting, engaging in or carrying on the business of a retailer in this state, and operating an independent store or one or more chain stores within this State; and to classify such stores for the purpose of such license taxes and of graduating the license tax in accordance with the number of chain stores operated under a single ownership, management, or control, one or more of which chain stores is located in this State; said tax upon chain stores located in this State to be based on the number of such chain stores included under the same general management, supervision, ownership or control, whether located in this State or not; defining "independent store" and "chain store" and "chain stores" and other words used in this Act; to provide for the administration and enforcement of this Act and for the promulgation and enforcement of rules and regu-

lations to facilitate such enforcement; to provide for the creation and enforcement of a lien upon the property of persons and association of persons liable for the payment of such license tax; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act and of rules and regulations lawfully made under the authority hereof; to provide for the filing of sworn reports by the person or association of persons, on which such license tax is imposed; and also assessing, levying, and imposing an independent, separate and additional annual license tax upon every person, firm, copartnership, joint adventure, joint stock company, association, corporation, estate, business trust, trust, receiver, syndicate, fiduciary, or any other association of persons conducting, engaging in or carrying on the business of operating a department store in this state, as defined in this Act, whether such department store be an independent store, or chain store; and to classify such department stores for the purpose of such independent, separate and additional license tax and of graduating the license tax in accordance with the number of department stores operated under a single ownership, management, or control, one or more of which department stores is located in this State; said license tax upon department stores that are chain stores to be based on the number of such department stores included under the same general management, supervision, ownership or control, whether operated in this state or not; defining a department store; and to repeal conflicting laws, expressly out on condition including certain parts and sections of Chapter 16848, Laws of Florida, 1935; and to appropriate the revenues derived hereunder.

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

By Senator Folks—

Senate Bill No. 379:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5884 of Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, being Section 1 of Chapter 8478, Acts of 1921, relating to the appointment of guardians of minor children during infancy, giving preference to parents in appointment as guardians of the estates of minor children, excepting in cases where it is affirmatively shown that parent is unfit, and further providing that in cases where persons other than parents are now serving as guardians of estates of infants, parents may, on appropriate application be appointed as guardian of the estate of his or her minor child, unless shown to be unfit.

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

By Senator Shands, Folks, and McKenzie—

Senate Bill No. 380:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit drunkenness, to provide a penalty for the violation thereof, and to repeal Chapter 16978, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, and all other laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

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

By Senator Johnson—

Senate Bill No. 381:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating cattle districts: providing for the appointment of Cattle Inspectors; designating their qualifications; fixing their terms of office, compensation and prescribing their duties; authorizing the issuance of certificates; requiring inspection and certification of cattle, sheep, goats and hogs under certain conditions and the recordation of marks and brands; preventing the transportation, sale for slaughter purposes or slaughter for sale of cattle, sheep, goats and hogs without prior inspection and certification, making it unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to violate any of the provisions of this Act and prescribing the penalties therefor; exempting certain owners, while transporting their cattle, from inspection; and providing that the terms of this Act shall not apply to retail sales, farmers and interstate shipments or commerce; providing for inspectors' seals and stamps and making it unlawful for all parties except duly appointed cattle inspectors to possess, use the same or issue any certificate required hereunder; providing for recovery for loss of animals not inspected and certificated; prohibiting the transportation of cattle, sheep, goats or hogs without inspection; defining the words "animals," "cattle," "sheep," "goats," and "hogs"; providing for a savings clause; requiring County Commissioners to furnish Cattle Inspectors with records, seals and stamps; providing for the repeal of all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Livestock.

By Senator Hinely—
Senate Bill No. 382:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the relief of Johnnie Kalil and F. A. Kalil, as partners doing business under the firm name and style of Johnnie's Luncheonette in the City of Live Oak, Suwannee County, Florida.

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

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 382 when it was introduced in the Senate:

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF FLORIDA)
) SS.
COUNTY OF SUWANNEE)

C. P. Helfenstein being duly sworn on oath saith: That he is the publisher of the Suwannee Democrat, a newspaper published at Live Oak, in said county and state and that the advertisement of Local Legislation a copy whereof is hereto attached, was published in said newspaper once a week for one (1) week, to wit: Beginning with the issue of March 7, 1941, and ending with the issue of March 7, 1941; That said newspaper has been regularly and continuously published at least once a week for a period of more than one year at and prior to the date of the first insertion of the aforementioned advertisement and which said newspaper was duly entered as second class mailing matter at the post-office in Live Oak, Suwannee County, Florida, more than one year next preceeding the first insertion of said advertisement or publication.

WITNESS MY HAND This 29th day of April, A. D. 1941.
C. P. HELFENSTEIN,

Sworn to and subscribed to before me this 29th day of April, 1941.

G. E. AIRTH.
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.
My Commission Expires Feb. 6, 1942.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING PROPOSED SPECIAL ACT WILL BE INTRODUCED IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, SESSION OF 1941.

"An Act providing for the relief of Johnnie Kalil and F. A. Kalil as partners doing business under the firm name and style of Johnnie's Luncheonette in the City of Live Oak, Suwannee County, Florida."

"BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:"

"SECTION 1. That Johnnie Kalil and F. A. Kalil, as partners doing business under the firm name, and style of Johnnie's Luncheonette, be relieved and discharged from the payment of taxes under the provisions of Chapter 16848, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935."

"SECTION 2. That said co-partnership be refunded by the State of Florida the sum of \$658.45, heretofore paid under the provisions of this Act."

"SECTION 3. That the Comptroller of the State of Florida do issue State Warrant in favor of said co-partnership for the sum of \$658.45, in refund of said taxes."

"SECTION 4. That this Act shall take effect upon its becoming a law."

JOHNNIE KALIL,
F. A. KALIL.

As partners doing business under the firm name and style of Johnnie's Luncheonette.

42. Senator Shepherd moved that Senate Bill No. 320 be recalled from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways and placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Shepherd moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider Senate Bill No. 320, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-third vote.

Senate Bill No. 320:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain State roads in St. Johns County, Florida.
Was taken up.

Senator Shepherd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 320 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
And Senate Bill No. 320 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shepherd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 320 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
And Senate Bill No. 320 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 320 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.
So Senate Bill No. 320 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Shepherd moved that Senate Bill No. 137 be recalled from the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.
By unanimous consent Senator Shepherd withdrew Senate Bill No. 137.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
The following Message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 1, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed.

By Mr. Allen of Levy—
House Bill No. 707:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that all funds undistributed to be received under the provisions of Chapter 14,832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931 or any act amendatory thereto and all funds received from licensing and taxing persons, firms, corporations or associations, operating a fronton for the exhibition of the Spanish ball game called jai-a-lai or pelota, which may hereafter be paid to the State of Florida, and all funds derived from the licensing and taxing of other forms of games for amusement where the same is to be apportioned to the several counties of the State of Florida, for the years and or season of 1940-1941 shall in Levy County, Florida, be paid by the State Treasurer or other officer having the authority to disburse said funds to the Board of County Commissioners of Levy County, Florida, and providing for the payment of all over \$7,000.00 thereof to the Board of Public Instruction of Levy County, Florida, to be used according to law.

Proof of Publication attached.
And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

BEN H. FUQUA,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 707, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Perdue moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 707 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
And House Bill No. 707 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Perdue moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 707 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.
And House Bill No. 707 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 707 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye.

Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 707 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

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

Tallahassee, Fla.,
May 1, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

By Mr. Leaird of Broward—

House Bill No. 739:

A bill to be entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Hollywood by providing for the creation of a City Commission of five members; providing that the present five commissioners shall hold office until the day after the general election set in said Act, at which time the terms of all the present commissioners shall expire; providing for the biennial election at large of City Commissioners for a term of two years; fixing the dates of, the procedure of and the methods of conducting primary and general elections; prescribing the qualifications of City Commissioners; prescribing the procedure for becoming a candidate for the City Commission; prescribing the time at which commissioners shall take office; prescribing the filling of vacancies in the City Commission; prescribing the qualifications of electors and the manner of registration; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

BEN H. FUQUA,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 739, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

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

Tallahassee, Fla.,
May 1, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed by the required Constitutional three-fifths vote of all members elected to the House of Representatives for the 1941 Session of the Florida Legislature—

By Mr. Overstreet of Dade—

House Joint Resolution No. 97:

A Joint Resolution proposing the amendment to Section 1, of Article X of the Constitution of Florida, relating to homestead and exemption, so as to permit the wages, salary and income from any source whatsoever due to any person the head of a family as provided therein, to be the subject of garnishment in the courts of this State, as may be provided by law, for the payment of any obligations arising by express or implied contract subsequent to the adoption of this amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

That the following amendment to Section 1, Article X of the Constitution of Florida, authorizing the garnishment of any wages, salary or income due any person who is the head of a family, as provided therein, to the extent of 25% thereof, be, and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State in the General Election of Representatives in 1942 for their approval or rejection; that is to say, that Section 1 of Article X be amended by adding thereto the following section:

"Section 1-A: That the salary, wages and income from any source whatsoever due and owing, or to become due and

owing to any person who is the head of a family residing in this State, shall be the subject of garnishment in the courts of this State as may be provided by law, to the extent of not more than 25% of such salary, wages and income: Provided, however that the Legislature shall not extend the right of garnishment as herein provided where the salary is \$25.00 or less per week except to necessities of life as may from time to time be defined by the Legislature, for the payment of any obligations arising by express or implied contract subsequent to the adoption of this amendment.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

BEN H. FUQUA,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Joint Resolution No. 97, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

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

Tallahassee, Fla.,
May 1, 1941.

Hon. John R. Beacham,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

By Senator Drummond—

Senate Bill No. 77:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide, upon payment in cash of all taxes due the State of Florida, for the cancellation and/or release of all State and/or County Taxes and/or Special District Taxes held or owned by the State and/or Holmes County on certain lands in Bonifay, Holmes County, Florida, more particularly described as follows: Lots 11 and 12, Block 121, located in Bonifay, Holmes County, Florida, according to the map of Bonifay drawn by G. W. Banfill, on file in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Holmes County, Florida.

BEN H. FUQUA,
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 77, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 26:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring all public officials now or hereafter required to post fidelity bonds or performance bonds, to post bonds written by surety companies authorized to do business in Florida, and providing that such officials shall not be qualified until such bonds are filed, and providing for payment of premiums thereon.

Was taken up in its order pending roll call, having been read the third time in full on April 21, 1941.

By unanimous consent Senator Drummond offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 26:

Strike out everything after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. In all cases where public officials, not honorary, either State, County or District, are now, or shall hereafter be required to post fidelity or performance bonds, all such bonds shall be written by surety companies authorized by law to do business in the State of Florida.

"Section 2. The provisions of this law shall not apply to deputy sheriffs.

"Section 3. No such official shall be qualified to hold office or perform the duties thereof until such surety bond has been filed.

"Section 4. The cost of the premium on such bond shall be paid out of the General Revenue Fund of the State, or out of the County or out of the various Districts, depending upon the class into which such officer belongs. In the event any excess premium over the base premium rate should be charged in the procurement of the bonds herein provided for, such excess premium shall be paid by the individual officer or official.

"Section 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are herein and hereby repealed.

"Section 6. This Act shall take effect immediately upon becoming a law."

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Drummond to Senate Bill No. 26, and by unanimous consent. Senator Folks offered the following amendment to the amendment offered by Senator Drummond:

Strike out all of Section two (2) and insert in lieu thereof the following: No such official shall be qualified to hold office or perform the duties thereof until such surety bond has been filed, the premium upon such bond shall be paid by the person elected or appointed and in no instance shall be paid from any public funds.

Senator Folks moved the adoption of the amendment to the amendment.

Which was not agreed to and the amendment to the amendment failed of adoption.

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Drummond to Senate Bill No. 26.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Drummond moved that the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 26 was adopted:

Strike out everything after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1. In all cases where public officials, not honorary, either State, County or District, are now, or shall hereafter be required to post fidelity or performance bonds, all such bonds shall be written by surety companies authorized by law to do business in the State of Florida.

"Section 2. The provisions of this law shall not apply to deputy sheriffs.

"Section 3. No such official shall be qualified to hold office or perform the duties thereof until such surety bond has been filed.

"Section 4. The cost of the premium on such bond shall be paid out of the General Revenue Fund of the State, or out of the County or out of the various Districts, depending upon the class into which such officer belongs. In the event any excess premium over the base premium rate should be charged in the procurement of the bonds herein provided for, such excess premium shall be paid by the individual officer or official.

"Section 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are herein and hereby repealed.

"Section 6. This Act shall take effect immediately upon becoming a law."

Which was agreed to and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which the amendment offered by Senator Drummond was adopted.

By unanimous consent, Senator Drummond offered the following amendment to the pending amendment to Senate Bill No. 26:

In Section 2, add the following: nor to Notary Publics.

Senator Drummond moved the adoption of the amendment to the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

Senator Drummond moved the adoption of the amendment, as amended, to Senate Bill No. 26:

Which was agreed to and the amendment, as amended, was adopted.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 26, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Graham, Horne, Kanner, King, Lewis, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Smith—21.

Nays—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, Lindler, Maines, Shuler, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—15.

So Senate Bill No. 26 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bills Nos. 122, 32, 99 and 254 were taken up in their order, pending roll, and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 231:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the occupation of barbering and the operation of barber shops; authorizing the Barbers' Sanitary Commission, upon petition signed by a

majority of all of the barbers holding certificates of registration in a County to investigate trade practices among barbers and barber shops in such County and, after public hearings, to prescribe and enforce such reasonable rules and regulations pertaining to minimum prices to be charged for barber services and hours of operation of barber shops as will eliminate unfair and unsanitary practices; prescribing the penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act and the rules and regulations adopted pursuant hereto, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up in its order, having been read the third time in full on May 1, 1941, pending roll call.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 231 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Folks, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maines, McKenzie, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilson—29.

Nays—Senators Dye, Gideons, Perdue, Shuler, Ward—5.

So Senate Bill No. 231 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senate Bill No. 262:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 19063 Laws of Florida relating to vital statistics, and the issuance of Birth Certificates for Adopted Persons.

Was taken up in its order, having been read the third time in full on May 1, 1941, pending roll call.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 262 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 262 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senate Bill No. 82:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the establishment and quieting of title to real property held in continued adverse possession, either under color of title or without color of title, for a period of seven years.

Was taken up in its order, having been read the second time by title only on May 1, 1941, amended, and retained on the Calendar of Bills on second reading, pending further amendment.

The Committee on Judiciary "C" offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 82:

At the end of the title add the following: "And also providing for the establishment and quieting of title to real property where the title is based upon a tax deed and the grantee in such deed has been in actual continuous possession of said real estate for a period of four (4) years under said deed and has paid the taxes accruing thereon for said period, said action to quiet title may be brought at the end of said four (4) years."

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary "C" also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 82:

In Section 1 at the end of Sub-Section "B" add the following: (c) Where possession is based on tax deed. Any person to whom has been issued a tax deed and who has been in continuous actual possession of said real estate for a period of four (4) years and has paid all taxes levied and assessed against said real estate during said period shall be entitled to have his title to said real estate established and quieted at the end of said four (4) year period.

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary "C" also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 82:

Strike all of Section 4.

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary "C" also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 82:

Strike all of Section 5.

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary "C" also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 82:

Strike out all of Section 6 and insert in lieu thereof the following re-numbered section:

"Section 4 Process and the service thereof shall be issued and executed in proceedings authorized and brought under the provisions of this Act as to all defendants in the same manner as now provided by existing law."

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary "C" also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 82:

Strike out all of Section 16 and renumber the following sections so as to give them the proper numbers.

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment. Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 82, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 82, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 82, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 82 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bills Nos. 53, 62 and 248 were taken up in their order and consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senator King moved that Senate Bill No. 96 be recommitted to the Committee on Labor and Industry.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

Senate Bill No. 194:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining and regulating the practice of professional engineering in Florida and defining a professional engineer; providing for the registration of professional engineers; creating and establishing the Florida State Board of Engineer Examiners; providing for the appointment of members composing said board; defining the qualifications of the members; granting certain powers and duties to said board; providing for the expenses of said board and for the organization and holding of meetings and for the keeping of records of said board; defining violations of this Act and the penalties for such violations; providing procedure for determining violations and prescribing penalties therefor; defining and providing for exemptions from the provisions of this Act; providing as to engineers from other states practicing professional engineering in Florida; providing for registration and examination fees and providing for and defining qualifications for registration; providing for the holding of examinations and the issuance of certificates of registration and for suspending and revoking certificates so issued; providing for appeal from the action of said board; providing for receiving, accounting for, and disbursing monies by said board; providing for the abolishment of the State Board of Engineering Examiners and the transfer of its property to and assumption of its obligations by the Florida State Board of Engineer Examiners; providing for the preservation of rights vested under the law existing prior to enactment of this law; and, save as necessary to preserve such rights, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 194 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 194 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 194:

In Section 5 at the end of said section, add an additional sub-section as follows:

"(e) Regular full time employees of a corporation not engaged in the practice of professional engineering as such, who are subordinates of a person in responsible charge, such person being a registered professional engineer under this Act."

Senator Shands moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Horne offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 194:

After Section 21, insert the following as Section 21 (a):

"Section 21 (a). CERTIFICATE TO CERTAIN ENGINEERS WITHOUT EXAMINATION FEE. The Board shall at any time on or before the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and forty-one, issue a certificate of registration signed by the President and the Secretary of the Board under the seal of the Board, upon due application therefor and the payment of a fee of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00), to any professional engineer who shall submit evidence, verified by oath and satisfactory to the Board, that he is of good character and has been a resident of the State of Florida for at least five years immediately preceding the date of his application and has practiced professional engineering for at least eight years preceding the date of his application and during that period has had charge of engineering work as principal or assistant for at least two years. After the thirty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and forty-one, the Board shall issue certificates of registration only as herein provided."

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Upon which a roll call was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Horne to Senate Bill No. 194, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Butler, Clarke, Hinely, Horne, Johnson, Lewis McKenzie, Shepherd, Wilson—9.

Nays—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Housholder, Kanner, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker—26.

So the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 194 as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 194, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 194, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 194 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 166:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President of the United States in the Primary Election and providing for the qualifying of candidates therefor.

We taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 166 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 166 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 166 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 166 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 166 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Clarke, Cliett Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 166 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senate Bills Nos. 273, 230, 216, 302 and 297, were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 112:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Perry G. Wall and providing appropriation to compensate him for moneys which he expended as chairman of the Florida Citizens Finance and Taxation Committee for the publication of reports by the committee and for clerical work in connection with the study of Florida's tax problem.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 112 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 112 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 112 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 112 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 112 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—34.

Nays—Senator Maines—1.

So Senate Bill No. 112 passed by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1941 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately by waiver of the rule.

Senate Bill No. 93:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Standard Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 93 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 93 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 93 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-third vote.

And Senate Bill No. 93 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 93 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, McKenzie, Price, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker—30.

Nays—Senators Johnson, Maines, Perdue, Rose, Shepherd, Wilson—6.

So Senate Bill No. 93 passed by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all the members elected to the Senate for the 1941 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senate Bill No. 247:

A bill to be entitled An Act allowing, as a claim against the State of Florida, the Amount Due to W. R. Faircloth, Tax Collector of Holmes County, Florida, for loss of compensation in consequence of his suspension from office by the Governor of the State of Florida under Section 15 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Florida, and Providing for the payment of said Claim.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Drummond moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 247 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 247 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Drummond moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 247 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 247 was read the third time in full.

Pending roll call, Senator Dye moved that further consideration of Senate Bill No. 247 be informally passed.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senate Bill No. 113 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 348:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Fred O. Eberhardt, of Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 348 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 348 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 348:

In Section 1, line 6, after the words "Key West" strike out the balance of the section.

Senator Collins moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 348:

"Together with interest thereon at the rate of 8% per annum from January 5, 1937."

Senator Collins moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 348, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 348, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 348, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—32.

Nays—Senators Johnson, Maines, Rose, Shepherd—4.

So Senate Bill No. 348 passed, as amended, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1941 Session of the Florida Legislature, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 15:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate advertising outside of the corporate limits of cities and incorporated towns in sight of public highways; to provide for licensing persons engaged in the business of outdoor advertising and for the issuance of permits for advertisements and advertising structures; to prohibit certain advertisements and advertising structures and to provide for the removal of advertisements and advertising structures illegally posted, displayed, erected, used or maintained; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain officers relating thereto; and to prescribe penalties for violations of this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 15 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 15 was read the second time by title only

The Committee on Finance and Taxation offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 15:

In Section 4, line 11, strike out the words one hundred dollars per annum, and insert the following: seventy-five dollars per annum for persons or corporations operating under this Act in one to eight counties and two hundred dollars per annum for those operating in more than eight counties.

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 15:

In Section 4, line 12, after the word "advance" strike the period, insert a comma, and add the following: and fifteen dollars per annum payable annually in advance for the use of the county, in each and every county within the state in which licensee shall engage or continue in the business of outdoor advertising as aforesaid.

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 15:

In Section 6, line 6 of said Section, strike out the words unincorporated, and insert the following: incorporated.

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 15:

In Section 6(b), lines 16 and 17 of said Section, strike out the words up to and including 300 sq. ft.

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 15:

In Section 9(a), line 2 of said Section, strike out the words five hundred feet, and insert the following: one hundred feet.

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 15:

In Section 6 line 10 of said section, after the word: "article" insert the following: "Those signs constructed, erected, operated, used or maintained by the owner or lessee of a place of business or residence, and relating solely to merchandise, services or entertainment sold, produced, manufactured, or furnished at such place of business or residence wherever found shall be exempt from the payment of the license tax provided by this Act, but subject to the provisions herein as to permits."

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 15:

In Section 20, line 2 of said section (typewritten bill), strike out the words "thirty days" and insert the following: "one hundred twenty days."

Senator Horne moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 15, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 15, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 15, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—34

Nays—Senator Maines—1.

So Senate Bill No. 15 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 149:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of Florida, the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of Florida and the State Board of Education of Florida to negotiate, sell and convey lease-hold estates and to make, execute and deliver lease contracts commonly known as petroleum oil and gas leases and to sell and convey any and all of the petroleum oil and/or gas and/or any other mineral lying in or under any lands or water bottoms in this State, the legal title to which lands or water bottoms is vested by law or otherwise in either of such State Boards.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 149 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 149 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Judiciary "C" offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 149:

At the end of Section 2 add the following:

Provided, however, every lease executed by any of such State Boards under the provisions of this Act shall require the lessee or his assignees to drill at least one test well on the lands leased within the first five year period of the lease and to drill at least one additional well in each succeeding five year period until the total number of wells drilled shall equal one-half the number of sections of land embraced in the lease. The lessee at the time the drilling of each well is commenced shall file with the lessor a written declaration describing the two sections of land to which such well shall apply. If no well shall be commenced within the first five year period the entire lease shall be void. If no well be commenced within the second or any subsequent five year period then the lease shall at the end of such five year period become forfeited and void as to all parties as to all lands embraced therein which shall not have been designated by the lessee or his assignee to be applicable to a well theretofore drilled as herein required.

Senator Whitaker moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 149, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 149, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 149, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—32.

Nays—Senator Lewis—1.

So Senate Bill No. 149 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

House Bill No. 102:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the publication of official public notices and legal advertisements and the amounts to be charged therefor: amending Section 2944 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida of 1920, being the same as Section 3 of Chapter 3022, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1877, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 12215, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1927, being the same as Section 4668 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927.

Was taken up in its order, having been read the third time in full on May 1, 1941, as amended and retained on the Calendar of Bills on third reading, pending roll call.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 102, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Wilson—33

Nays—Senator Whitaker—1.

So House Bill No. 102 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

House Bill No. 218 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

House Bill No. 81:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State Board of Veterinary Examiners, to prescribe its powers and duties, to prescribe the qualification of the membership thereof, their compensation and term of office and providing for the giving of bond by the Treasurer thereof for the faithful performance of his duty: to define the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery in Florida; to vest in said Board the authority to examine diplomas and credentials and affidavits of applicants and to hold examinations for applicants; to issue and revoke licenses to practice veterinary medicine and surgery; to collect fees for licenses and examinations; to disburse said funds accruing to the Board for the collection of fees; to provide penalties for the violation of this act, and providing when this act shall become effective.

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

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 81 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—33.

Nays—Senator Perdue—1.

So House Bill No. 81 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator King moved that House Bill No. 23 be recommitted to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

House Bills Nos. 137 and 145 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

House Bill No. 159:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide necessary facilities for the Supreme Court, Railroad Commission and Law Library; for the erection and furnishing of a suitable addition to the Court Building erected in the year 1912, by a special building commission; making an appropriation for the same and otherwise relating to said purpose.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 159 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 159 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 159 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 159 was read the third time in full.

Upon passage of House Bill No. 159 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—35.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 159 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

HOUSE LOCAL BILLS ON SECOND READING

House Bills Nos. 50, 258, 279, 73, 75, 76, 78, 300, 359, 378, 379 and 380 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

By permission the following bills were introduced:

By Senator King—

Senate Bill No. 383:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for nominations for appointments or election to the offices of Judge of the Crimi-

nal Court of Record and County Solicitor by a political party in a primary election and providing for the qualifying of candidates therefor.

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

By Senator Beall—

Senate Bill No. 384:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing expenditure by the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia, Florida, of the sum of \$15,000.00 for the acquisition of rights of way, without advertisement or budgetary restriction for defense program roads, in Escambia County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 384 when it was introduced in the Senate:

ESCAMBIA COUNTY

THE NEWS-JOURNAL COMPANY, INC.

PENSACOLA JOURNAL—PENSACOLA NEWS

Published Daily

PENSACOLA, ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA,)

COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared N. S. VEAL, who on oath says that he is Publisher of the Pensacola Journal, a daily newspaper published at Pensacola in Escambia County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice in the matter of Application to Expend not Over \$15,000 for Rights-of-Way in the Court, was published in said newspaper in the issue of March 29, 1941.

Affiant further says that the said Journal is a newspaper published at Pensacola, in said Escambia County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Escambia County, Florida, each day and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Pensacola, in said Escambia County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

N. S. VEAL,
Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of April, A. D. 1941.

(SEAL)

DOROTHY G. THOMAS,
Notary Public.

My Commission expires March 6, 1944.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE of the intention of the undersigned to apply for passage of, and of intention to introduce in the 1941 session of the Legislature of Florida, a Local Bill authorizing directing and empowering the County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, without advertisement or budgetary restrictions, to expend not to exceed \$15,000.00 for the acquisition of rights-of-way for Defense Program Roads in said County.

PHILIP D. BEALL.

2608—1t—3-29-41.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 384 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 384 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 384 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 384 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 384 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 384 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Beall—
Senate Bill No. 385:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing expenditures by the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, of the sum of \$15,000.00 for the acquisition of rights of way, without advertisement of budgetary restriction for defense program roads in Escambia County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 385 when it was introduced in the Senate:

ESCAMBIA COUNTY
THE NEWS-JOURNAL COMPANY, INC.
PENSACOLA JOURNAL—PENSACOLA NEWS
PUBLISHED DAILY
PENSACOLA, ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA
STATE OF FLORIDA)
COUNTY OF ESCAMBIA)

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared N. S. Veal, who on oath says that he is Publisher of the Pensacola Journal a daily newspaper published at Pensacola in Escambia County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice in the matter of APPLICATION TO CONTRACT FOR RIGHTS-of-WAY in the _____ Court, was published in said newspaper in the issues of March 29, 1941.

Affiants further says that the said Journal is a newspaper published at Pensacola, in said Escambia County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Escambia County, Florida, each day and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Pensacola, in said Escambia County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation any discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

N. S. VEAL,
Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of April,
A. D. 1941.
(SEAL)

DOROTHY G. THOMAS,
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 6, 1944.
NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE of the intention of the undersigned to apply for passage of, and of intention to introduce in the 1941 session of the Legislature of Florida, a Local Bill authorizing, directing and empowering the County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, to contract for, become obligated for and expend, without advertisement or budgetary restrictions, not to exceed \$15,000.00 in the acquisition of rights-of-way for Defense Roads in said County.

PHILIP D. BEALL.

2607—1t—3-29-41.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 385 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 385 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 385 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 385 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 385 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Mr. President; Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 385 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Smith—
Senate Bill No. 386:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act entitled "An

Act relating to premium taxes on persons, firms, associations or corporations doing an insurance business in the State of Florida, and making appropriation for refunds in cases of overpayment," being Chapter 19501, Laws of Florida, 1939, by amending Section 1 of said Chapter 19501.

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

By Senator Smith—
Senate Bill No. 387:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend An Act entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of benevolent mutual benefit associations or societies on the assessment plan organized for the purpose of benefiting and protecting members in the case of dismemberment, and to the end of benefiting widows, orphans, heirs, devisees and estates of deceased members thereof; providing for the method of incorporation of such associations and the regulation and control of such associations as may be incorporated under the terms of this Act, and requiring those associations or organizations doing a similar business in the State of Florida to be incorporated under the terms of this Act, and providing a penalty for failure so to do; authorizing the State Treasurer to examine into the solvency and operation of such associations incorporated or reincorporated under the terms of this Act; providing for a valuation of certificates and providing for a reserve fund; providing for the payment of all benefits in cash only; providing for general State supervision and control of benevolent mutual benefit associations or societies that may be hereafter operated in the State of Florida, subject to the terms of this Act, on the assessment plan"; being Chapter 15885, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, by amending Sections 4 and 5 thereof; and repealing Section 2 of Chapter 16802, Laws of Florida, 1935, being an amendment of said Section 5 of Chapter 15885, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933; and by repealing Section 1 of Chapter 19121, Laws of Florida, 1939, being an amendment of said Section 5, Chapter 15885, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, and repealing conflicting laws.

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

By Senator Smith—
Senate Bill No. 388:

A bill to be entitled An Act to require all life insurance agents to be licensed to fix their qualifications, to give insurance commissioner supervisory control over such agents and power to revoke any license, and to prescribe penalties for the violation of this Act.

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

By Senator Adams (25th)—
Senate Bill No. 389:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize a comprehensive Florida insurance reserves and gross receipts or occupational tax; defining certain terms used in the Act; providing for investments in Florida securities; providing a system of making such investments; providing for report showing the amount of the reserve; providing for a report showing the gross receipts; providing for an occupational license tax on gross receipts; making issuance of certificate to do business depend on payment of the tax; making the granting of a certificate deemed acceptance under the law; providing for renewal business; providing for failure to renew certificate; provision for revocation of certificate; penalty for failure to report or invest; making provision for exception of certain companies.

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

By Senator Folks—
Senate Bill No. 390:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to weights of trucks and trailers for hire and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

Senator Horne moved that a committee be appointed to visit Senator Dan Kelly, Jr., who is ill in a local hospital.

Which was agreed to.

The President appointed Senators Dye, Graham, Collins and Lewis as the committee.

The hour of adjournment having arrived a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 1:04 o'clock P. M., until 3:00 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 5, 1941.