

# JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Wednesday, May 21, 1941

The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Tuesday, May 20, 1941.

Senator Dye, President Pro Tempore, presiding.

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

Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

A quorum present.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of Wednesday, May 14, 1941, was further corrected as follows:

On page 35, column 2, line 35, between the words "legal" and "the" insert the following: "against the specific property."

On page 35, column 2, lines 39, 40 and 41, strike out the following: "prescribing the effect of the unconstitutionality of any part or portion of said Act", and insert in lieu thereof the following: "providing that holders of any and all certificates validated by the provisions of this Act shall have no recourse for or on account of the labor and materials furnished in the paving of such roads, save and except against the property described in the certificates of indebtedness herein referred to;"

On page 35, column 2, between lines 41 and 42, insert the following:

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 572 when it was introduced in the Senate."

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of Tuesday, May 20, 1941, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1941.

Senator Gideons, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same pass.

House Bill No. 66:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, relating to racing.

JOHN W. GIDEONS,  
Chairman.

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

Senator Perdue, Chairman of the Committee on Motor Vehicles, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1941.

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

Sir:  
Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 80:

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.

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.

Senate Bill No. 599:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 3 of Chap-

ter 16085, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, entitled "An Act to amend Section 1007, Revised General Statutes, as amended by Chapter 8410, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, and by Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being Section 1281, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, as amended by Chapter 15625, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931: and to amend Section 1010, Revised General Statutes, being Section 1284, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, as amended by Chapter 15625, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931: to amend Section 1011, Revised General Statutes, as amended by Chapter 8410, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, and by Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being Section 1285, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, as amended by Chapter 15625, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931: and to amend Section 1012, Revised General Statutes, as amended by Chapter 8410, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, and by Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being Section 1286, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, and to amend Chapter 14656, Acts of 1931, all of said Sections relating to the operation, licensing and taxing of Motor Vehicles, Trailers, Semi-Trailers and Motorcycle Sidecars and providing penalties for the violation thereof," insofar as the same applies to Motor Vehicles of the "C" series.

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

G. C. PERDUE,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bills Nos. 80, 390 and 599, contained in the above report, were laid on the table.

Senator Perdue, Chairman of the Committee on Motor Vehicles, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1941.

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

Sir:

Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to whom was referred:  
Senate Bill No. 530:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 20225, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, entitled "An Act providing for the recording in the office of the Motor Vehicle Commissioner of a sworn notice of all liens for purchase money or as security for debts on Motor Vehicles; providing that no such lien shall be enforceable as against creditors or subsequent purchasers without notice unless such notice has been recorded in such office; authorizing the Motor Vehicle Commissioner to make rules and regulations for the enforcement of this Act and prepare forms and books for such recording; providing the amount of fees to be charged; providing for the cancellation of such liens upon payment and penalties for failure to cancel such liens upon payment; and repealing all laws in conflict except Chapter 4918, Acts of 1901, known as Section 7866, C. G. L. 1927, and Section 5663, Revised General Statutes," by adding an additional section providing that the said Act shall not be effective as to any retain title contract, conditional bill of sale, chattel mortgage, or other like instrument executed prior to August 1, 1941.

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

G. C. PERDUE,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 530, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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 amendments:

Senate Bill No. 622:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 11 and 23 of Chapter 14764, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, entitled

"An Act providing for the supervision and regulation of persons, firms, corporations and associations owning, controlling, operating or managing Motor Vehicles used in the business of transporting persons or property for compensation over the Public Highways of the State; providing for regulations of safety and proper operation affecting the use of said highways and preservation thereof, defining auto transportation companies and providing supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission of the State of Florida, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this Act and for the punishment of violations thereof and imposing a mileage tax and providing for the disposition of the revenues raised by the same; and providing certain exemptions and repealing all Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act." as amended by Chapter 17115, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, and as further amended by Chapters 18026, 18027, 18028 and 18029, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, and as further amended by Chapter 19107, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939; prescribing the width, height, length and weight of vehicles and combinations of vehicles and the loads thereof which may be operated on the public highways by auto transportation companies; providing that "For Hire" license tags shall not be required on pick-up and delivery trucks operated by auto transportation companies within limits of established municipalities or in territory immediately adjacent thereto; and repealing all Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act.

Which amendments were as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

"In Section 1 and Section 11, subsection (b) of the bill strike out the figure "13" and insert the following "12."

Amendment No. 2:

"On page 2, line 5 (typewritten bill), strike out the words 'thirteen' and insert the following 'twelve'."

G. C. PERDUE,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 622, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Perdue, Chairman of the Committee on Motor Vehicles, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1941.

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

Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1301:

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

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

G. C. PERDUE,  
Chairman.

And House Bill No. 1301, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senator Perdue, Chairman of the Committee on Motor Vehicles, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1941.

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

Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 190:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 16085, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, entitled "An Act to amend Section 1007, Revised General Statutes, as amended by Chapter 8410, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, and by Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being Section 1281, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, as amended by Chapter 15625, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931; and to amend Section 1910, Revised General Statutes, being Section 1284, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, as amended by Chapter 15625, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931; to amend Section 1011, Revised General Statutes, as amended by Chapter 8410, Laws of Florida, Acts

of 1921, and by Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being Section 1285, Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, as amended by Chapter 15625, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931; and to amend Section 1012, Revised General Statutes, as amended by Chapter 8410, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, and by Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being Section 1286 Compiled General Laws of Florida, 1927, and to amend Chapter 14656, Acts of 1931, all of said Sections relating to the operation, licensing and taxing of motor vehicles, trailers, semi-trailers and motorcycle sidecars and providing penalties for the violation thereof" by amending Paragraph (12) of Section 3 relating to exemption.

House Bill No. 347:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining station wagons and suburbans, and prescribing taxes and fees to be charged on such station wagons and suburbans under the laws of Florida; providing when this Act shall take effect, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

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

G. C. PERDUE,  
Chairman.

And House Bills Nos. 190 and 347, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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. 524:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the speed limits for the operation upon the public highways of trucks and buses which are self-propelled motor vehicles; and fixing the speed limits for all motor vehicles operated upon any wooden bridge upon any public highway of this State making it unlawful to exceed such limits and fixing penalties therefor.

G. C. PERDUE,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 524, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Senator Cooley, Chairman of the Committee on Welfare, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 1941.

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

Your Committee on Welfare, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 153:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 18 of Chapter 18285, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, entitled: "An Act creating a State Welfare Board and District Welfare Boards and providing for their appointment, qualifications, powers and duties; providing that said State Board shall be the agent for the United States, State, County and Municipal Governments in the administration of funds for the relief of unfortunates; and authorizing the said Boards to act as agent for the United States, State, County and Municipal Governments in the administration of any funds for investigations, social welfare work, or any other work incident to the public welfare of the United States, State, County and Municipal Governments; authorizing the State Welfare Board to promulgate rules and regulations necessary to carry out the intent and purposes of this Act; providing for the supervision of State and local institutions for destitute or dependent children and providing for the disposition, care, protection support and maintenance of dependent children; authorizing the State Welfare Board to establish minimum standards of care for all local, public and private institutions or agencies; creating the office of State Welfare Commissioner and providing for his appointment, providing that this Act shall not affect the enforcement of Chapter 9274, Acts of 1923, of Chapter 11834 and 13384, Acts of 1927, of Chapter 13620, Acts of 1929, and Acts amendatory thereof; repealing all other laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and making appropriations to carry out the purposes of said Act, and fixing the qualifications of persons entitled to monetary benefits or assistance under this Act," by adding thereto, to

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provide for the creation of "The Florida Council for the Blind," and the number and manner of appointment of the members of said Council; to prescribe the qualifications of said members and to fix their powers and duties; making an appropriation to carry out the purposes and intent of said amendment; eliminating any invalid provision hereof; repealing laws in conflict herewith; and determining when this Act shall take effect.

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

THOMAS H. COOLEY,  
Chairman.

And House Bill No. 153, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the joint reference.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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. 481:

A bill to be entitled An Act to relieve congestion in State Offices and storage rooms by authorizing the destruction of certain records and papers that have become ten years old.

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

S. A. HINELY,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 481, contained in the above report, was certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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. 426:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the appropriation of certain moneys for maintenance and improvement of Dade Memorial Park in Sumter County, Florida, and to make appropriation therefor.

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

S. A. HINELY,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 426, contained in the above report, was certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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. 395:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors; requiring a fair trade contract; providing for the method of establishing such fair trade contracts and amendments thereto; providing for a minimum mark-up resale price and allowing exceptions thereto; providing for the supervision and enforcement hereof under the direction of the State Beverage Department and providing penalties for violation thereof.

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

S. A. HINELY,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 395, contained in the above report, was certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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. 478:

A bill to be entitled An Act limiting the hours of employment of certain State employees and providing for payment of over-time for such employees.

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

S. A. HINELY,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 478, contained in the above report, was certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 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. 633:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, ratify and confirm all Acts and proceedings of the City Commission of the City of Fernandina, Florida, and of the officers and agents of said City relative to the authorization and issuance of not exceeding Fifty-four Thousand Dollars (\$54,000) of refunding bonds for the purpose of refunding outstanding bonded indebtedness of said City and to provide for and authorize the issuance of said refunding bonds.

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

S. A. HINELY,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 633, contained in the above report, was certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 20, 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. 362:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for and requiring the licensing, bonding and regulation of certain dealers in agricultural products as herein defined; providing for the payment of license fees and the disposition thereof; providing for the administration and enforcement of this Act by the Commissioner of Agriculture; making its violation a misdemeanor and providing punishment therefor; providing for the enforcement of bonds given by dealers; authorizing the Commissioner of Agriculture to make regulations for the enforcement of this Act.

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

S. A. HINELY,  
Chairman.

And Senate Bill No. 362, contained in the above report, was certified 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., May 21, 1941.

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

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 236:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide State public safety; to that end to create the State Department of Public Safety; to prescribe its membership, duties, powers and authority; to provide for the divisions of such department, for the employees thereof, and duties and compensation; to provide for the license of chauffeurs and other operators of motor vehicles as herein defined; to provide for the suspension, cancellation and revocation of such licenses; to provide for certain liabilities penalties and punishment for violations of this Act; to provide for the selection and compensation of the personnel of the division of State Highway Patrol of said department and their duties; to provide for other matters in connection with public safety; and making certain funds available for the purpose of carrying out the provisions hereof; and repeal Chapter 19551, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, relating to the State Department of Public Safety; to provide for the examination of applicants.

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

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 21, 1941.

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

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 483:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Alachua County to call an election for the purpose of voting for bonds to enlarge the Alachua County Hospital in Alachua County and equip same and authorizing the levy and collection of taxes to retire such bonds and to maintain and support said hospital.

Senate Bill No. 485:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County to borrow not exceeding Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars to supplement funds now on hand, all to be used in constructing, erecting and equipping a nurses' home at the Alachua County hospital.

Senate Bill No. 491:

A bill to be entitled An Act excluding from the territorial limits of the City of Bartow certain portions of its incorporated territory.

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

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 21, 1941.

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

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 235:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 5491 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida of 1920, now Section 7649, Compiled General Laws of Florida of 1927, by providing that said Act shall not apply to theaters in which moving pictures are shown.

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

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 21, 1941.

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

Sir:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, 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 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."

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

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 21, 1941.

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

Sir:

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

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.

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. 288:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare the need of and providing authorization for a statewide 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

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matching of Federal funds by the State and Counties or other local agency; 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.

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. 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.

Senate Bill No. 339:

A bill to be entitled An Act to make uniform the procedure of Interstate Extradition.

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.

Senate Bill No. 342:

A bill to be entitled A Uniform Act to secure the attendance of witnesses from within or without a State in criminal proceedings

Senate Bill No. 348:

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

Senate Bill No. 384:

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 \$15000.00 for the acquisition of rights of way, without advertisement or budgetary restriction for defense program roads, in Escambia County, Florida.

Senate Bill No. 385:

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 \$1500.00 for the acquisition of rights of way, without advertisement or budgetary restriction for defense program roads in Escambia County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,

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

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 21, 1941.

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

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

Senate Bill No. 15:

A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate outdoor advertising

outside 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.

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 19017, 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.

Senate Bill No. 256:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and providing for service of process by publication in judicial proceedings; for the entering of decrees pro confesso and defaults thereon; for the appointing of guardians ad litem; for the promulgation and adoption of court rules in connection therewith; and for the repeal of Sections 2609, 2610, 3111, 3112, 3113, 3114, 3115, 3154, 3155, 3156, 3423, and 3453, of the Revised General Statutes of Florida; Chapters 8465 and 8467, Acts of 1921; Chapter 9319, Acts of 1923; Chapter 10102 as amended and Chapter 11364, Acts of 1925; Sections 5, 6, 7, and 8 of Chapter 11829 Acts 1927; and Chapter 16881, Acts 1935, and repealing all other laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Senate Bill No. 266:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the cancellation of all outstanding tax sale certificates held and owned by the State of Florida and all tax liens for subsequent unpaid taxes on certain lands in Manatee and Sarasota Counties.

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,

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

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 21, 1941.

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

Sir:

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

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.

Senate Bill No. 372:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing expenditure by the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, of the sum of \$1500.00 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.

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.

Senate Bill No. 443:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the pursuing, tak-

ing, hunting or killing of any game, game birds or game animals in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 12,925 nor more than 13,125, according to the State Census of 1935, in each year for that period of time beginning with the first day of February and ending at midnight on the succeeding November nineteenth, and providing penalties for the violation of this Act.

Senate Bill No. 456:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Nassau County, Florida, determining and declaring said county to be a manufacturing and industrial area, determining and declaring that it is and will be in the interest of the public, the United States, the State of Florida, and Nassau County, Florida, to grant to Municipal Corporations, and to persons, firms and corporations operating manufacturing or industrial plants in said county the right and power to discharge and deposit sewage, industrial and chemical wastes and effluents, or any of them, into the tidal waters of said Nassau County and granting such rights and powers.

Senate Bill No. 479:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 19,901 of the Laws of Florida of 1939, which is An Act creating a Jackson County Hospital District and a Jackson County Hospital Corporation and provides for the establishment and operation of a public hospital at Marianna in Jackson County, by providing who may practice medicine and surgery and other healing arts in said hospital.

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

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Sir:

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

House Memorial No. 5:

A RESOLUTION to Memorialize Congress to continue the Women's program of the works progress administration in the State of Florida.

House Memorial No. 7:

A MEMORIAL to Congress to pass an Act for the relief of property owners who suffered damages from the campaign to eradicate the Mediterranean Fruit fly.

House Bill No. 335:

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.

House Bill No. 973:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create a contingent fund for Duval County, Florida, authorizing the County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to levy taxes each year for said fund in an amount not exceeding one half mill and to appropriate and use said fund with the approval of the Duval County Budget Commission for any County purposes.

House Bill No. 1013:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners in any county having a population of more than 250,000 according to the last preceding Federal Census, and maintaining under the supervision and control of the county commissioners, a hospital or home for the poor and indigent, to levy each year, on all taxable property within such County, a tax not exceeding seven mills on the dollar, in order to provide a special fund to be used, in addition to amounts appropriated out of the General Fund, for the maintenance, equipment, improvement and betterment of such hospitals and homes of said County and for the care of the occupants of such homes who shall be poor and indigent persons of the County or indigent or delinquent children of such County, and to provide literary and industrial school training for the benefit of the children maintained in such County's Detention Homes, and further authorizing the County Com-

missioners of any such County to defray the expense of hospitalization of the poor and indigent of any such County in municipally-owned hospitals within such County, and further authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of any such County, to issue bonds, subject to the approval of the voters, for the purpose of raising additional funds to pay for the acquisition of land, maintenance, equipment, improvement and betterment of such hospitals and homes as shall be operated by such County and for the construction of any new building or buildings for the hospitalization and for the care of the poor and indigent of any such County.

House Bill No. 1130:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 17525, Laws of Florida, 1935 as amended by Chapter 19761, Laws of Florida, 1939, entitled: "An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 17525, Laws of Florida, entitled An Act to authorize Dade County to acquire and hold land for park purposes, and authorizing the levy of a special tax to pay for same and to pay for lands to be used for rights of way for roads" by further authorizing the board of County Commissioners of Dade County to issue bonds, subject to the approval of the voters, for purposes of raising additional funds to pay for the acquisition and maintenance of parks, and to levy taxes to pay the principal and interest of such bonds and provide for the maintenance of such parks, and to cooperate with agencies of the Government in the United States and other lawful agencies in the acquisition of such parks, and to accept funds from the Government of the United States, or such other agencies, to be used in part payment for such parks" by providing for the increase from two to three mills of the annual tax therein authorized.

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

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House Bill No. 50:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that candidates for the offices of members of the Board of County Commissioners and of the County Board of Public Instruction of Washington County shall be nominated by the voters of the County at large, and making this effective only after the same has been ratified by the qualified electors at the general election to be held in the year A. D. 1942.

House Bill No. 583:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, to levy a special tax not to exceed three mills for one hundred dollars of assessed valuation upon all property subject to County tax for the purpose of furnishing the County's portion or sponsorship for projects to be jointly undertaken with State or Federal agencies, in particular with the Federal Works agency and its associated agencies or their successors.

House Bill No. 607:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the City of Clearwater, a municipal corporation, directing the Comptroller of the State of Florida to cancel certain tax certificates against certain municipally owned property.

House Bill No. 654:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel all accrued unpaid taxes, tax certificates, tax liens and tax claims against certain lands in Hardee County, Florida.

House Bill No. 687:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Arcadia Elks Club, Inc., a corporation not for profit, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida, and cancelling DeSoto County, Florida, tax sale certificate No. 301 of the tax sale of August 2, 1937, covering the east 89 1/2 feet of lots 4 and 6 of block 27 of the original survey of the town now City of Arcadia, Florida.

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House Bill No. 704:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it lawful to issue licenses to establishments selling intoxicating liquors where such establishments are located within three hundred feet of any school located on property of the Cuban government in all Counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 14,000 nor more than 14,200 according to the last preceding Federal census.

House Bill No. 853:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating and confirming all sales of real estate made by the City of Tarpon Springs; all leases or agreements made affecting Real estate owned by the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida.

House Bill No. 794:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the several Boards of Public Instruction in counties having a population of not less than 200,000 of the State of Florida to enter into agreements for group insurance for the teachers and other persons necessary to the operation of the public schools of their respective counties, and providing for contribution by said boards of Public Instruction to the premiums, and providing for the said boards to enter into such agreements and to do and perform all things necessary in carrying out such a plan of group insurance only when a majority of the teachers and other persons necessary to the operation of the public schools of such county may vote in favor of such a plan.

House Bill No. 854:

A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing all the assessments and valuations of property and levies of taxes made by the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, a Municipality in Pinellas County, Florida.

House Bill No. 1014:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the City of Miami Beach to construct, build, erect, purchase, extend, replace, acquire, any one or more, or any combination of the following: abattoirs, airports, auditoriums, bridges, tunnels, buildings, hospitals, viaducts, City and town halls, community houses, sanitariums, dispensaries, jails, ice plants, precooling and cold-storage plants, warehouses, water works systems, including new water lines, dredging and deepening harbors and channels, jetties, breakwaters, public landings, wharves, docks, and other improvements for harbors and shipping facilities, markets, memorials, automobile parking lots, parks, including recreational facilities, playgrounds recreation centers, bathing beaches with necessary improvements, structures, buildings, piers, public buildings and plazas, reservoirs, schools, sewers, sewage or drainage systems and sewage disposal or treatment plants, stadiums, streets, roads, avenues, alleys, and highways, sidewalks and curbs, gutters and storm-water sewers or drains, harbor and port facilities, toll bridges or causeways, swimming pools, as defined in Section 1 of this Act; to issue bonds for the purposes of construction, erecting, extending, acquiring, or purchasing of any one of the above municipal projects; providing that bonds may be payable from taxes or payable exclusively from the revenue of such municipal projects; and if payable exclusively from revenues, denying all power of taxation in connection therewith; providing for the procedure for the issuance of such bonds with or without an election; providing for the securing of payment of said bonds issued in pursuance to this Act; providing for the sale of said bonds, their terms, interest rate, and how payable and how enforced, providing for their validation; providing that the powers conferred by this Act are supplemental and in addition to the powers now enjoyed and vested in the City of Miami Beach, and providing that if any of the provisions of this Act are held to be unconstitutional and valid it shall not affect the remainder of this law.

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,

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

Sir:

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

House Bill No. 592:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish certain State roads in Leon County, Florida.

House Bill No. 606:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than ninety thousand (90,000) and not more than one hundred fifty thousand (150,000), according to the latest State or Federal Census, all taxes, tax certificates and assessments heretofore or currently levied, issued, sold or assessed of any kind or nature whatsoever against real property used as a County Airport in and owned, leased, operated, maintained or controlled by any of such counties are cancelled and annulled and further providing for the exemption of said real property and any personal property necessarily used in connection therewith from all taxes and assessments of every kind and nature whatsoever; and declaring the acquisition, leasing, maintenance, operation and control of said Airports to be a public purpose.

House Bill No. 817:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 18005, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, being An Act relating to the establishment and maintenance of central Law Libraries in all those counties of the State of Florida which constitute of themselves an entire Judicial Circuit and in which there shall be now or hereafter authorized by law, two or more Judges for the Circuit Court of such circuit.

House Bill No. 826:

A bill to be entitled An Act to exempt property of Herger Williams Post No. 2, American Legion, Wauchula, Florida, and to cancel all past due and omitted State, County, or City taxes heretofore levied against the same.

House Bill No. 879:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Free Methodist church of Lake Worth, in Palm Beach County, Florida, providing for the cancellation of certain taxes, tax sale certificates and assessments of the State of Florida, County of Palm Beach and City of Lake Worth, upon the property of said church; and prescribing duties of tax collecting officials in connection therewith.

House Bill No. 908:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 18, Chapter 17894 Laws of Florida, 1937, entitled "An Act to provide for the prompt payment and adjustment of claims by those engaged in the Dry Cleaning and Laundry business: To provide for the consolidation and regulation of the cleaning, dyeing, pressing and laundry industry under one board to be known as the Florida Dry Cleaning and Laundry Board; to provide for the creation of such board and to define its powers, jurisdiction and duties; To exempt the ordinary 'washwomen' from the provisions hereof; to provide for the levying of license fees for the operation of such board; to provide for reasonable charges for service; to provide for other purposes reasonable incidental; to repeal all laws in conflict; to provide that this Act shall only apply to counties of over 17,500 population", by making said chapter applicable to counties of over 25,000 population according to the last preceding Federal Census.

House Bill No. 919:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary and expenses of each member of the Board of Public Instruction in all counties of the State of Florida having the population of not less than 12,800, and not more than 13,100, according to the last State or Federal Census; fixing the expenses of such members and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

House Bill No. 965:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to establish and maintain a County Fund to be known and designated as the Road Equipment Fund: To provide money for the purchase of road machinery of all kind and for the repair thereof, to be used on the public roads of said county; and to authorize and empower said Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to raise monies for said fund by taxation.

House Bill No. 1061:

A bill to be entitled An Act finding and declaring that the conservation of the surface waters and the raising of the level of the water table in Indian River County, Florida, where the same may be necessary, is in the interest of the public welfare; authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County to conserve the surface waters in Indian River County; providing authority in the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County to erect and maintain dams, gates and other barriers and devices for controlling and conserving the flow of surface waters in any natural or artificial outlet or drainage; prohibiting the unauthorized interference with any dam, gate or other barrier or device so erected and providing the punishment and penalty therefor; providing a remedy for the relief or redress by the owner or any other person having any interest in and to any lands which may be damaged or subject to damage as a result of the erection and maintenance of such gates or dams; providing for the payment of the costs of erecting and maintaining such devices for the control and conservation of the flow of surface waters; authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, after due notice, to suspend the right to the further drainage of swamps, marshes, lakes and other natural bodies of surface waters; providing that this Act shall not apply to lands or waters within the boundaries of any Drainage District duly organized and existing in Indian River County, Florida, or to any waters, ditches, or canals which form a part of the plan of reclamation of any Drainage District duly organized and existing in Indian River County, Florida; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

House Bill No. 1072:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the taking of the species of fish commonly known as the Great Pompano or permit (scientific name Trachinotus Goodei) from the waters of the County of Dade, State of Florida; regulating the methods by which this fish may be taken; establishing the daily bag limit and prohibiting the sale and transportation for sale thereof; empowering the supervisor of conservation and his duly authorized agent to enforce the provisions of this Act and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

House Bill No. 1095:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Jacksonville to issue certificates of indebtedness or revenue certificates.

House Bill No. 1183:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Tarpon Springs, Florida, to grant exclusive franchises for the use of its streets and roads for the operation of automobile buses for hire and to determine, control and regulate the equipment to be used and the operation thereof, the schedules to be maintained and the rates to be charged for the carriage of persons and property for hire within the said city by said buses.

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,

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Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1941.

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

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

House Bill No. 605:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the City of Tarpon Springs in Pinellas County, Florida, and to create, establish and organize a Municipality to be known and designated as the City of Tarpon Springs and to define its territorial boundaries and provide for its Government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges and providing for a referendum.

House Bill No. 855:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners of the City of Tarpon Springs,

Florida, to sell and dispose of property acquired by the City of Tarpon Springs at tax foreclosure sales or improvement assessment sales or property acquired under decrees wherein State and County certificates were foreclosed and the City was made a party defendant, at such prices and on such terms and conditions as the Board of Commissioners deem for the best interest of the City of Tarpon Springs, and providing that the provisions of this Act shall be applicable to property now owned by the City acquired under such sales and that which may be acquired in the future.

House Bill No. 878:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Trustees of the Boynton Masonic Lodge, in Palm Beach County, Florida, providing for the cancellation of certain taxes, tax sale certificates and assessments of the State of Florida, County of Palm Beach and Town of Boynton, upon the property of said Boynton Masonic Lodge; and prescribing duties of tax collecting officials in connection therewith.

House Bill No. 880:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church of Lake Worth, in Palm Beach County, Florida, providing for the cancellation of certain taxes, tax sale certificates and assessments of the State of Florida, County of Palm Beach and City of Lake Worth, upon the property of said Church; and prescribing duties of tax collecting officials in connection therewith.

House Bill No. 1060:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate, ratify and confirm all Acts and proceedings of the Board of Supervisors and all officials and agents of Sebastian River Drainage District, situated in Indian River County, Florida, and to validate, ratify and confirm the decrees and orders of the Circuit Court in and for Indian River County, Florida, in incorporating said Sebastian River Drainage District and in amending the original decrees incorporating Sebastian River Drainage District, and in approving the report of the Commissioners of Sebastian River Drainage District; and validating, ratifying and confirming all Acts and proceedings in connection with the incorporation of said Sebastian River Drainage District and the amendment of the decree incorporating said District and the adoption of the plan of reclamation of said District and the assessment of benefits and damages accruing to all lands in said District and the levying of a total Drainage tax in said District; validating, ratifying and confirming all assessments of benefits and levies of taxes for and on behalf of said Drainage District; prescribing the method of making, assessing, levying, apportioning, collecting and paying assessments and taxes upon lands within said Drainage District; providing authority and methods for the releasing, discharging and satisfying of assessments and tax levies of said District.

House Bill No. 1076:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it lawful for licenses to be granted to vendors of intoxicating liquors whose places of business are not less than One Thousand (1000) feet from an established school within County Commissioner's District No. 1 of Martin County, Florida; confirming, legalizing and validating any such licenses heretofore issued; providing for the repeal of all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

House Bill No. 1126:

A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 19713, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, the same being "An Act relating to fur-bearing animals and to prohibit the taking by means of traps or otherwise raccoons, commonly known as coons, for a period of four years, in the County of Calhoun, State of Florida, and to provide for the violation thereof."

House Bill No. 1144:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 1 of Chapter 10,350 of the Laws of Florida, adopted by the Legislature in the year 1925, which Chapter 10,350 extended the corporate limits of the Town of Boynton, Palm Beach County, Florida, by excepting from the property described in said Section 1 of said Chapter 10,350, and from the territorial limits of the Town of Boynton, as therein set out, the following described property, to-wit: the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the Northwest quarter (NW 1/4); and Southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of Northwest quarter (NW 1/4); and South half (S 1/2) of Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of Northeast quarter (NE 1/4), all in Section four (4), Township Forty-six (46) South, Range Forty-three (43) East.

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House Bill No. 1177:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the ratification and confirmation of each and every tax settlement made by the Clerk of the Circuit Court and/or Tax Collector of Okeechobee County, Florida, on tax certificates heretofore issued for non-payment of taxes on lands situated in said County, and providing that all assessments for State taxes shall be paid in full as provided by law.

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

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

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

House Bill No. 1150:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the investment of any surplus funds in any account of Okeechobee County, Florida, administered by the State Board of Administration under the provisions of Chapter 14486, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, as amended; providing for the manner by which such surplus may be ascertained and the obligations in which the same may be invested; and prescribing the duties and powers of the Board of County Commissioners of Okeechobee County, Florida, and the State Board of Administration of the State of Florida with reference thereto.

House Bill No. 1149:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that candidates for members of the Board of County Commissioners in and for Monroe County, Florida, shall be nominated in primary elections by votes of the electors of their respective districts.

House Bill No. 1152:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund to release and quitclaim, by proper deed, to the New Smyrna-DeLand Drainage District all lands within the boundaries of said district, the title to which is in the State of Florida by virtue of Chapter 18296, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937; and providing the consideration to be paid therefor and the terms and conditions thereof.

House Bill No. 1163:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Diston Island Drainage District, a drainage district organized and existing under the laws of Florida and embracing lands within Glades and Hendry Counties, Florida; amending Section Nine (9) of Chapter 13626, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, relating to the sale or redemption of lands or other property, title to which has vested in the Board of Supervisors of Diston Island Drainage District for the nonpayment of Diston Island Drainage District taxes; providing that all redemptions heretofore made of land or other property embraced in a tax sale certificate which was two years old or more at the time of such redemption shall operate to divest the title vested in the Board of Supervisors of Diston Island Drainage District without the issuance of any deed by said board to the land or property so redeemed; and ratifying, confirming and validating certain Acts of said district and its board of supervisors, agents and officers.

House Bill No. 1187:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the issuance of future bonds or other evidences of indebtedness by Special Road and Bridge District No. 15 in Palm Beach County, Florida, as now created; limiting the levy and collection of taxes for future indebtedness and for maintenance and operations to that certain portion of said district designated as Special Road and Bridge District No. 15-A; providing that all future bonds or other evidences of indebtedness shall constitute a lien against only that portion of said District No. 15 embraced within the limits of said District No. 15-A.

House Bill No. 1189:

A bill to be entitled An Act to allow the premium cost of surety bonds of county officials of Palm Beach County as an

item of expense of the respective office and to require the State Auditing Department to approve such cost as an item of expense.

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

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

House Bill No. 218:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the sale, offering or exposing for sale of fireworks; defining fireworks and to regulate the manner of using fireworks, and to provide penalties for the violation of the provisions of this Act.

House Bill No. 775:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 100, 101 and 198 of Chapter 10552, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1925, being the Charter of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Broward County, Florida, by providing a method and procedure for the enforcement of the collection of taxes on real estate in the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida; authorizing said City to advertise and sell all real estate within the corporate limits of said City, upon which city taxes are delinquent; to issue tax sale certificates to purchaser or purchasers at such sale and to purchase, in the name of the City, all property not purchased at such sale by other persons; providing for redemption, sale and assignment of tax sale certificates and authorizing the said City to issue tax deeds, based upon tax sale certificates issued, assigned or sold by said City; providing for the foreclosure of such tax sale certificates and the issuance of deeds to the purchasers.

House Bill No. 801:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the financing by the governing body of the City of Chipley, Florida, of certain self-liquidating projects without incurring of indebtedness or the levy of taxes; providing for the purchase, construction improvement, extension, betterment, repair, operation and maintenance of an electric light plant and power system and/or a gas plant system; authorizing issuance of revenue certificates or debentures of the City of Chipley, Florida, payable solely from earnings to pay the costs of such projects; providing that no debt of the City of Chipley, Florida, shall be incurred in the exercise of any of the powers granted by this Act, and that the governing body of the City of Chipley, Florida, shall have no power to levy taxes for the payment of such revenue certificates or debentures; providing for the collection of rates, fees and rentals not less than sufficient for the payment of such revenue certificates or debentures and cost, in connection therewith, and for the cost of maintenance, repair and operation of such projects, there being reserved to the governing body of said City the right to use any excess over and beyond such named requirements realized from such rates, fees and rentals for any lawful municipal purpose; and providing for the execution of trust agreements to secure payment of such revenue certificates or debentures without mortgaging or encumbering any such projects.

House Bill No. 869:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to elections in the City of Wildwood, Sumter County, Florida, and permitting absent voters to vote thereat, and providing a penalty for the violations thereof.

House Bill No. 907:

A bill to be entitled An Act directing the State Treasurer to return for cancellation Bond No. 211 of Napoleon B. Broward Drainage District to the Secretary of said District.

House Bill No. 926:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the registration and re-registration of all qualified electors in Hendry County, Florida, as a pre-requisite for voting; providing for the making of a

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new set of registration books in Hendry County; providing for payment of expenses of same by the Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

House Bill No. 958:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Okaloosa County, Florida, to make, execute, and deliver a deed to the Town of Crestview, Florida, conveying certain property in Okaloosa County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,

A. P. DRUMMOND,

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

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 21, 1941.

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

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

House Bill No. 457:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and requiring the Clerk of Court of Highlands County, Florida, to turn over and surrender to the Board of County Commissioners of that county and directing the disposition of certain bonds taken for delinquent taxes and certain money on hand received from the proceeds of certain bonds taken for delinquent taxes.

House Bill No. 1059:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Section 3 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." Fixing and prescribing the territorial limits of the City of Punta Gorda, Florida.

House Bill No. 1071:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating Chapter 16497, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, entitled; "An Act relating to the granting of pardons and releases to persons convicted in the Municipal Court of the City of Jacksonville, under City Ordinances of said City, and prescribing the officers of said city in whom the power to pardon and release such persons shall be vested and the manner in which the same shall be exercised."

House Bill No. 1073:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the taking of the species of fish commonly known as the Bonefish (Scientific name, *Albula Vulpes*) from the waters of Dade County, State of Florida; regulating the methods by which this fish may be taken; establishing the daily bag limit and prohibiting the sale and transportation for sale thereof; empowering the Supervisor of Conservation and his duly authorized agents to enforce the provisions of this Act and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

House Bill No. 1077:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and legalize in the purchaser, or purchasers, and their successors and assigns in title, the title to all property acquired at any Master's Sale through foreclosure of delinquent city taxes, or Special assessments or Improvement Liens, by the City of Stuart, Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 15,038, Acts of 1931, Laws of Florida, or any supplemental or amendatory Acts.

House Bill No. 1079:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the City Commission of the City of Stuart, Florida, to compromise, adjust and settle certain taxes and assessment liens of the said city.

House Bill No. 1080:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the compensation for the members and the chairman of the School Board for

Martin County, Florida, and to repeal any and all laws in conflict herewith.

House Bill No. 1089:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm conveyances of lands in Martin County, Florida, heretofore made by the Board of Commissioners of St. Lucie Inlet District, and no port authority, provided deeds affecting such conveyances have heretofore been duly recorded in the Public Records of such County; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

House Bill No. 1094:

A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to take, possess, sell, offer for sale, or knowingly transport turtle eggs in Martin County, Florida; providing that the violation of this Act shall be a misdemeanor; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

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

Very respectfully,

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Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1941.

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

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

House Bill No. 542:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Declare, Designate and Establish Certain State Roads in the County of Polk.

House Bill No. 765:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Designate and Establish Certain State Roads in Broward County.

House Bill No. 945:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Chapter 11128 of the Laws of Florida, as adopted by the Legislature of the State of Florida in 1925, and as Amended by Chapter 20114 of the Laws of Florida, as adopted by the Legislature of the State of Florida in 1939, and being An Act creating and incorporating a Special Taxing District in St. Lucie County, Florida, to be known and designated as Indian River Mosquito Control District and for other purposes by particularly amending Section 1 of said Chapter 11128 with reference to the fixing and prescribing of boundaries of said district and for the purpose of fixing and prescribing the boundaries of said district.

House Bill No. 964:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Town of Milton to construct, build, and maintain buildings, warehouses, factories, mills, structures, or other facilities suitable for housing any industrial enterprise as the town council of said town may determine by ordinance; authorizing said town to acquire lands for such purposes; authorizing said town to levy taxes for the construction of any of such facilities; authorizing said town to issue bonds for the construction of any of such facilities, and providing for the method of the payment of such bonds; authorizing said town to sell or lease any of said facilities; declaring the powers and functions granted in this Act to be municipal in character; repealing all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act; providing for the submission of the question as to whether this Act shall become operative and effective to the voters of said town, and providing for the canvass of the votes cast upon such question, in either event.

House Bill No. 1045:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Chapter 11480, Acts of the Florida Legislature, adopted in the year 1926, and which Chapter constitutes the existing charter of the City of Fellsmere, Florida, and particularly to Amend Sections 6 and 7 thereof in order to provide that the mayor and members of the city council of said city shall be legal voters and residents of the City of Fellsmere, Florida, and providing that all other officers and employees of the City of Fell-

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House Bill No. 252:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing certain roads in Hamilton County, Florida, as State Roads.

House Bill No. 1044:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the taking of or attempting to take fish, except with hook and line, in the channel of the Indian River in Indian River County, Florida, or within one hundred feet on each side of said channel; prohibiting the use of nets, seines and other devices in said waters of said area; defining the terms "channel" and other terms set out in said Act; providing penalties for the violation of said Act and providing for the enforcement thereof.

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

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Hon. John R. Beacham,  
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Sir:

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

House Bill No. 8:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating, declaring and establishing as a State road that certain highway beginning at a point on State road No. 2 in Coleman, Florida, thence north and east over the present paved road to its intersection with State Road No. 2, between Coleman and Wildwood, Florida.

House Bill No. 10:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating, declaring and establishing as a State road that certain highway running west from a point on State road No. 2, at or near Lady Lake, in Lake County, Florida, thence west via Oxford, Florida, over the present paved road in Sumter County, Florida, and State Road No. 225 in Marion County, Florida, to Pedro, Marion County, Florida, through Long Hammock Settlement.

House Bill No. 91:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating, declaring, and establishing as a road that certain highway beginning at a point on State road No. 2, between Coleman and Wildwood, Florida, where said road intersects with the south city limits of the city of Wildwood, Florida, thence north over the present paved road to its intersection with State road No. 2, between Wildwood and Oxford, Florida, where said road intersects with the north city limits of Wildwood, Florida.

House Bill No. 276:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Marion County as State roads, and as such to be a part of the system of State roads of the State of Florida.

House Bill No. 496:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the running at large of live stock in Sarasota County, Florida; prohibiting such running at large except within a certain defined area of said county; prescribing certain duties, rights, remedies, procedure and penalties in aid of the enforcement of this Act; and re-enacting certain existing laws relating to the subject matter hereof.

House Bill No. 531:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain State roads in the County of Polk.

House Bill No. 920:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the hunting of squirrels in Okaloosa County, Florida, prescribing the opening and closing dates of such hunting, and fixing a penalty for violation thereof.

House Bill No. 1105:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Overseas Road and Toll Bridge District of Monroe County, Florida, to pay

to the Chamber of Commerce of Key West, Florida, \$3,000.00, the same being the pro rata and agreed-upon share of the Overseas Road and Toll Bridge District for the celebration held at the opening of the district to traffic in 1938, said celebration being participated in by other public bodies in Monroe County and arranged through the Key West Chamber of Commerce.

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

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Sir:

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

House Bill No. 979:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Sarasota County, Florida, to provide additional compensation for an Inspector of Marks and Brands in Sarasota County.

House Bill No. 1043:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the taking of or attempting to take fish, except with hook and line, in all waters of the Indian River in Indian River County, Florida, which are within the distance of one hundred yards in any direction of and from any bridge which traverses the Indian River or any part thereof in Indian River County, Florida; providing for the enforcement of said Act; providing penalties for the violation of said Act.

House Bill No. 1047:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Commission of the City of Tallahassee, Florida, to establish and create by ordinance a pension, annuity and retirement system for any or all groups of officers and employees employed by said City, to provide for disability and death benefits, to provide for contribution to the costs thereof on an actuarial basis; to provide for the manner in which officers and employees may come under the operation of said system; to provide for repayment to members leaving the service of the City; to provide for contributions into said system by the City of Tallahassee in an amount not exceeding the contributions by officers and employees; to provide for the investment of funds of said system and to provide for the administration of said system.

House Bill No. 1085:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and permit the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida, to levy not to exceed six mills on the dollar on the assessed valuation of all taxable real and personal property in Martin County for the Fine and Forfeiture Fund of such County; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when such Act shall become effective.

House Bill No. 1091:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and permitting the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida, by resolution duly adopted by such Board prior to the commencement of any fiscal year of such County, to provide for the payment of a salary not to exceed Fifty Dollars a month to each County Commissioners of such County, to be paid out of the General Fund of such County in lieu of all other compensation for their services and expenses in connection with their official duties as County Commissioners; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when such Act shall become effective.

House Bill No. 1092:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and permitting the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida, to levy not to exceed fourteen mills on the dollar on the assessed valuation of all real and personal property in Martin County for operation and maintenance expenses of the Road and Bridge Fund of such County; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when such Act shall become effective.

House Bill No. 1087:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm conveyances of lands in Martin County, Florida, heretofore made by the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida, provided deeds affecting such conveyances have heretofore been duly recorded in the Public Records of such County; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

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

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Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 1941.

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

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

House Bill No. 831:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing certain roads in Pasco County, Florida, as State Roads.

House Bill No. 1066:

A bill to be entitled An Act enabling the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County to authorize the Florida Inland Navigation District to act as its agent in all matters pertaining to the extension of the Inland Waterway into Monroe County, authorizing Monroe County to levy an Ad Valorem tax of not to exceed one mill, authorizing the establishment of an Inland Waterway Fund to receive the proceeds of the tax, authorizing the Monroe County Commissioners to pay from said Fund all charges made by the Florida Inland Navigation District for services rendered in connection with the extension of the Inland Waterway into Monroe County, authorizing the Florida Inland Navigation District to act as the agent of Monroe County for extending the Inland Waterway into Monroe County, to make charges therefor and to receive payment thereof.

House Bill No. 1078:

A bill to be entitled An Act rectifying, ratifying, confirming validating and legalizing the assessments, valuations of properties, levies of taxes, tax certificates, the filing and recording of lists of tax certificates, and tax sales, made by the City of Stuart, Martin County, Florida, for the years A. D. 1939 and 1940, and authorizing the collection of said taxes in the manner provided by law.

House Bill No. 1086:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 10177, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, the same being An "Act to license and regulate the business of making loans in certain Counties in sums of Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than ten per centum per annum; prescribing the rate of interest and charge therefor, and penalties for the violation thereof, and regulating the assignment of wages or salaries, earned or to be earned when given as security for any such loan," and making the provisions of this Act applicable to Martin County, Florida; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

House Bill No. 1090:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating all actions and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida, heretofore taken and appearing of Record in the Minute Book of such Board for the closing of streets and roads in such County declaring such streets and roads to be closed, vacated and abandoned; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when such Act shall become effective.

House Bill No. 1097:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and affecting the Government of the City of Jacksonville, providing for an annual budget of said City and prescribing its effect.

House Bill No. 1119:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the taking of quail, turkey, squirrel and dove in Lee County, Florida; fixing the

oper season therefor, and providing a penalty for violation thereof.

House Bill No. 1098:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Board of Administration to transfer and pay over to the Board of County Commissioners of Glades County, for use in the construction and maintenance of County roads, monies collected and turned over to the State Board of Administration for the account of any County road or highway bonds in Glades County whose entire indebtedness has been retired.

House Bill No. 1088:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating and confirming all expenditures made in excess of budgeted items by the County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida, during the fiscal years 1939 and 1940; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing when such Act shall become effective.

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

Very respectfully,  
A. P. DRUMMOND,  
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By the Committee on Motor Vehicles—

Senate Bill No. 655:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Motor Vehicle transportation; to provide for the regulation, supervision and licensing of Motor Carrier transportation agents, and to provide for the enforcement of said Act and penalties for the violation thereof.

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

By Senator King—

Senate Bill No. 656:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of all counties in the State of Florida which now have or may hereafter have a population of more than eighty thousand and not more than ninety thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding State or Federal census, upon the approval of the State Comptroller, to transfer surplus funds from one item of a fund to another item, or a new item of the same fund, or to another item or a new item of a different fund.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 656 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 656 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 656 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. 656 was read the third time in full. Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 656 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 656 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. 657:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. C. Williams and R. L. Lupo, as sureties upon the appearance bond of W. M. Cox, in Polk County Florida, and the judgment entered upon estreatment thereof.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 657 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 657 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. 657 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 657 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 657 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. 658:

A bill to be entitled An Act creating a Park Commission for the City of Lake Wales, Florida; prescribing the qualifications of its members, providing for the nomination, election, or selection and recall of its members; defining the powers and duties of the Commission, and authorizing the delegation of additional powers and duties to said Commission by the governing body of said City, and the surrender thereof by the Commission; authorizing the City of Lake Wales to acquire property for parks, parkways, playgrounds and other public recreational purposes, and providing how same may be purchased; authorizing said City to accept grants and devises of real property and gifts and bequests of personal property, and comply with any conditions attached to such grants, devises, gifts and bequests; authorizing the City of Lake Wales, through the agency of the Park Commission, to join and cooperate with other Municipalities, Polk County, or any adjoining County, Boards of Education, Educational, Scientific, Historical, Recreational Institutions, and other similar organizations in providing, establishing and conducting parks, parkways, playgrounds and recreational centers; providing for the establishment and maintenance of a park and recreational ground fund by the governing body of the City of Lake Wales; providing for an annual tax levy for said fund and a method for increasing or reducing said tax levy; providing for a referendum election for making this Act effective, and for the repeal of laws, or parts of laws, in conflict with this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 658 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 658 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 658 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. 658 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 658 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 658 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. 659:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for and requiring all persons entitled to tax exemptions in the City of Lake Wales, Polk County, Florida, to file claim for exemption each year; providing for failure to file claim constituting a waiver, and providing for tax assessor to approve or disapprove the exemption and show same on tax roll; and providing for method of

handling application and method of appeals by applicants, and authorizing the tax assessor to administer oaths, and repealing conflicting laws.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 659 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA, )  
COUNTY OF POLK. )

Before the undersigned authority, personally appeared E. R. Chandley, who, on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill, relating to:

“An Act providing for and requiring all persons entitled to tax exemptions in the City of Lake Wales, Polk County, Florida, to file claim for exemption each year; providing for failure to file claim constituting a waiver, and providing for tax assessor to approve or disapprove the exemption and show same on tax roll; and providing for method of handling application and method of appeals by applications, and authorizing the tax assessor to administer oaths, and repealing conflicting laws,”

has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 12th, 1941, of The Lake Wales Daily, a newspaper published in Polk County, Florida; that a copy of the notice has been published as aforesaid, and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

E. R. CHANDLEY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, A. D. 1941.

MRS. E. J. MOORE,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large,

My commission expires Feb. 24, 1943.

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NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, Florida, will at the present session of the State Legislature of the State of Florida, present to said legislative body for enactment into law, a Special Act the substance of which is hereinafter set out as follows, to-wit:

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AND REQUIRING ALL PERSONS ENTITLED TO TAX EXEMPTIONS IN THE CITY OF LAKE WALES, POLK COUNTY, FLORIDA, TO FILE CLAIM FOR EXEMPTION EACH YEAR; PROVIDING FOR FAILURE TO FILE CLAIM CONSTITUTING A WAIVER, AND PROVIDING FOR TAX ASSESSOR TO APPROVE OR DISAPPROVE THE EXEMPTION AND SHOW SAME ON TAX ROLL; AND PROVIDING FOR METHOD OF HANDLING APPLICATION AND METHOD OF APPEALS BY APPLICANTS, AND AUTHORIZING THE TAX ASSESSOR TO ADMINISTER OATHS, AND REPEALING CONFLICTING LAWS.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of every taxpayer who claims exemption from the payment of any taxes, whether for homestead or otherwise, to file an application for such exemption with the City Tax Assessor on or before April 1st of each year; and the failure to do so shall constitute a waiver of said exemption for such year for which no claim for exemption was made; provided however, that for the year 1941 such claim may be filed on or before August 1st, 1941.

SECTION 2. The Tax Assessor of the City of Lake Wales shall examine each claim for exemption filed with him, or referred to him, and if found to be in accordance with the law, shall approve same by marking it “approved,” and making the proper reduction on the tax books. In every case, the property shall be assessed whether of the value, more or less than the exemption claimed, and an appropriate deduction shall be made as the case may be.

SECTION 3. The Tax Assessor of the City of Lake Wales shall, as soon as practical, after the first day of September of each current year, carefully consider all applications for tax exemption that shall have been filed in his office, on or before the first day of April of that year, and upon such investigation the Tax Assessor finds the applicant entitled to the exemption applied for under the law, he shall mark the application approved, and the exemption granted, and file

same in the permanent records of his office, and shall make such entries upon the tax roll of the City as will be necessary to allow such exemption to the applicant. If, after due consideration, the Tax Assessor should find the applicant not to be entitled under the law to the exemption asked for, it shall be the duty of the Tax Assessor to immediately make out in triplicate form, a notice of such disapproval, giving his reasons therefore, copy of which notice shall be served upon the applicant, by the Tax Assessor, either by personal delivery or by registered mail, to the post office address given by the applicant, and shall make return of the manner in which such notice was served upon said applicant upon the original notice thereof, and immediately file same with the City Clerk of the City of Lake Wales. The third copy of said notice shall likewise have entered upon it the return of the Tax Assessor, as to the service had, and filed among the permanent papers of his office. The original notice of disapproval of application for exemption, with entry of service upon the applicant, when filed with the Clerk of said City, shall constitute an appeal of the applicant from the decision of the Tax Assessor, refusing to allow the exemption for which application was made to the City Council, when sitting as a Board of Equalization, and said City Council, when sitting as a Board of Equalization, shall review the application and evidence presented to the Tax Assessor, upon which the applicant based his claim for exemption, and shall hear the applicant in person or by agent in behalf of his right to such exemption, and the City Council shall have the power and authority to reverse the decision of the Tax Assessor in said cause, and grant exemption to the applicant, if, in its judgment the applicant is entitled thereto, or affirm the decision of the Tax Assessor and such action of the City Council shall be filed in said cause, unless applicant shall, within fifteen days from the date of refusal of said application of said City Council, sitting as a Board of Equalization, filed in the Circuit Court of the County in which the homestead is situated, a proceeding against the Tax Assessor for declaratory decree, as provided for in Secs. 4953 and 4954, C. G. L. of Florida, 1927, and laws amendatory or in revision thereof or by other appropriate proceedings; and provided that the failure of the taxpayer to appear before the City Council or to file any papers other than provided for in Section 1, shall not constitute any bar or defense to said proceedings.

SECTION 4. For the purpose of administering the provisions of this law, or any other duty pertaining to the proper administration of the duties of the office of Tax Assessor, for making and filing of tax returns and applications for tax exemption, as provided under the laws of the State of Florida, the duly elected or appointed Tax Assessor of said City of Lake Wales, or his lawful deputy, are hereby authorized and empowered to administer oaths and attest same in the same manner as a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace of the State of Florida, and when so administered by said Tax Assessor, such oath shall have the same effect and be as binding as if administered by Justice of the Peace or Notary Public of the State of Florida.

SECTION 5. If any portion of the law, or any section, sentence, clause, phrase, or word thereof, shall be held to be void or uneffective, because of uncertainty or repugnance to the Constitution, or otherwise, the remaining portion of the law shall not be affected thereby, but shall remain in force, so as to effect as nearly as possible the purpose and intent of this law.

SECTION 6. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, are hereby expressly repealed.

Authorized by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, April 9th, 1941.

L. H. KRAMER  
Mayor of the City of Lake Wales.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 659 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 659 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 659 be read the third time and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 659 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 659 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 659 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. 660:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 3, Article VII, of Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the Town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances."

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 660 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA.  
COUNTY OF POLK.

Before the undersigned authority, personally appeared E. R. Chandley who, on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to:

"An Act to amend Section 3, Article VII, of Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the Town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances."

has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 18th, 1941, of The Lake Wales Daily, a newspaper published in Polk County, Florida; that a copy of the notice has been published as aforesaid, and also this affidavit of proof of publication, are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

E. R. CHANDLEY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, A. D. 1941.

MRS. E. J. MOORE,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires Feb. 24, 1943.  
(SEAL)

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, Florida, will at the present session of the State Legislature of the State of Florida, present to said legislative body for enactment into law, a Special Act, the substance of which is hereinafter set out as follows, to-wit:

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 3, ARTICLE VII, OF CHAPTER 8997, LAWS OF FLORIDA, ACTS OF 1921 ENTITLED 'AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE PRESENT MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE TOWN OF LAKE WALES IN THE COUNTY OF POLK AND STATE OF FLORIDA, AND TO ESTABLISH, ORGANIZE AND CONSTITUTE A MUNICIPALITY AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT, TO BE NAMED AND DESIGNATED AS THE TOWN OF LAKE WALES, TO DEFINE ITS TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES, TO PROVIDE FOR ITS JURISDICTION, POWERS AND PRIVILEGES AND FOR THE EXERCISE OF SAME AND TO AUTHORIZE THE IMPOSITION OF PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF ITS ORDINANCES.'  
BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That Section 3, of Article VII, Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled, "An Act to Abolish the Present Municipal Government of the Town of Lake

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Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to Establish, Organize and Constitute a Municipality and Municipal Government, to be Named and Designated as the Town of Lake Wales, to Define Its Territorial Boundaries, to Provide for Its Jurisdiction, Powers and Privileges and for the Exercise of Same and to Authorize the Imposition of Penalties for Violation of Its Ordinances," be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Every ordinance, before its passage, shall be read three times, unless three-fifths of the council shall deem it expedient to dispense with this rule, but the reading of an ordinance by sections in its final passage shall in no case be dispensed with, and every ordinance, before becoming a law, shall receive a majority vote of the City Council, which shall be by roll-call, and the vote entered in the minutes of the meeting, nor shall any ordinance be effective until the same be signed by the Mayor, unless it be passed over his veto as may be prescribed by ordinance, such ordinance so passed, shall be promulgated without unnecessary delay, by publishing the title only of said ordinance, in any newspaper in said city for a period of not less than two weekly issues of said paper."

SECTION 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon enactment into law.

Authorized by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, April 9th, 1941.

L. H. KRAMER,

Mayor of the City of Lake Wales.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 660 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 660 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 660 be read the third time in full and put up its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 660 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 660 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 660 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. 661:

A bill to be entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Lake Wales, and providing for the sale of real property for delinquent taxes; and providing for the issuance, sale, redemption and foreclosure of tax certificates and issuance of tax deeds.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 661 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA, )  
COUNTY OF POLK )

Before the undersigned authority, personally appeared E. R. Chandley, who, on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill, relating to:

"An Act affecting the Government of the City of Lake Wales, and providing for the sale of real property for delinquent taxes, and providing for the issuance, sale, redemption and foreclosure of tax certificates and issuance of tax deeds."

has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 12, 1941, of The Lake Wales Daily, a newspaper published in Polk County, Florida; that a copy of the notice has been published as aforesaid, and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the pro-

posed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

E. R. CHANDLEY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, A. D. 1941.

MRS. E. J. MOORE,

Notary Public, State of Florida at large,

My commission expires Feb 24, 1943.

(SEAL)

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, Florida, will, at the present session of the State Legislature of the State of Florida, present to said legislative body for enactment into law, a Special Act, the substance of which is hereinafter set out as follows, to-wit:

AN ACT AFFECTING THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF LAKE WALES, AND PROVIDING FOR THE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY FOR DELINQUENT TAXES: PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE, SALE, REDEMPTION AND FORECLOSURE OF TAX CERTIFICATES AND ISSUANCE OF TAX DEEDS.

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

SECTION 1. Beginning with the city taxes of the City of Lake Wales which shall become delinquent on April 1, 1942, the City Treasurer of the City of Lake Wales, shall, except as herein provided, proceed in the collection of delinquent city taxes substantially in the same manner as now provided by law for the collection of delinquent state and county taxes and sale of property for the non-payment of taxes due the state and county. He shall give all notices required by law, and sell the real property of delinquents in the manner now provided by law pertaining to delinquent state and county taxes, and give to the purchaser a certificate substantially in form now provided by law for state and county taxes. He shall prepare in triplicate a report of tax sales of real property for each year, one of which he shall retain, one shall be filed in the office of the City Tax Assessor and the other delivered to the City Auditor. At all sales of land for unpaid City taxes, in the absence of purchasers thereof, the lands shall be bid in by the City Treasurer, and certificate issued accordingly. City tax certificates shall be of equal dignity with state and county tax certificates issued upon the same property, and with all liens for taxes previously levied for City taxes, and in the case of foreclosure of either state and county or city tax certificates, shall share alike in the proceeds of the sale.

SECTION 2. Said tax certificates may be redeemed, purchased, or foreclosed in the same manner and form, and upon the payment of the same costs and fees as now provided, or may hereafter be provided by law for the redemption, purchase and foreclosure of state and county tax certificates.

SECTION 3. The holder of any City tax certificate provided for in the foregoing section at any time two years after the date of its issuance, may obtain a tax deed to the land therein described by making application to the City Treasurer and paying the fees therefor, all in the manner and form as is now or may hereafter be provided by law for application for tax deeds upon state and county tax certificates, and the City Treasurer shall issue such deed in the name of the City of Lake Wales, and in the same manner and form and upon the same conditions as provided by law for the issuance of tax deeds upon state and county tax certificates, and shall charge and collect the same fees and costs as now provided, or as may hereafter be provided by law, for the issuance of tax deeds upon state and county tax certificates.

SECTION 4. Any person applying for a city tax deed under the provisions of this Act shall first pay all taxes and special assessment liens legally levied by the City of Lake Wales upon the property in question.

SECTION 5. The sale of city tax certificates held under this Act shall be held upon the first Monday in August, beginning upon the first Monday in August, A. D. 1942. Sales may be adjourned from day to day until all certificates are sold.

SECTION 6. City tax certificates issued under the provisions of this Act shall not only include City taxes for the year for which the same are severally issued, but also shall include any portion of any special assessment or assessments having been transferred to the tax rolls for the year for which said several tax certificates are issued.

SECTION 7. In the event that any portion or provision of this Act shall be judicially determined to be unenforceable or

void, such judicial determination shall not affect the other provisions of this Act.

SECTION 8. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, are hereby expressly repealed.

Authorized by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, April 9th, 1941.

L. H. KRAMER, Mayor of the City of Lake Wales.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 661 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 661 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 661 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. 661 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 661 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 661 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. 662:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1, Article VI, of Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the Town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances."

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 662 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA, )
COUNTY OF POLK. )

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared E. R. Chandley, who, on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill, relating to:

"An Act to amend Section 1, Article VI, of Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the Town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances"

has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 12th, 1941, of the Lake Wales Daily, a newspaper published in Polk County, Florida; that a copy of the notice has been published as aforesaid, and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

E. R. CHANDLEY.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, A. D. 1941.

MRS. E. J. MOORE, Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires Feb. 24, 1943. (SEAL)

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, Florida, will, at the present session

of the State Legislature of the State of Florida, present to said legislative body for enactment into law, a Special Act, the substance of which is hereinafter set out as follows, to-wit:

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 1, ARTICLE VI, OF CHAPTER 8997, LAWS OF FLORIDA, ACTS OF 1921, ENTITLED, "An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and state of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a Municipality and Municipal Government, to be named and designated as the town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances."

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

SECTION 1. That Section 1 of Article VI, Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled "An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances," be, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. It shall be the duty of the Mayor to attend all meetings of the city council—to see that all ordinances are executed; he shall appoint persons to perform temporarily the duties of any disabled or suspended officer. It shall be his duty to suspend at any time, any officer, except councilmen, or employees of the police force, because of incompetency, for gross neglect or dereliction of duty, immorality, drunkenness, failure to obey orders given by proper authority, or for any other just or reasonable cause, at the same time notifying such officer in writing the cause of such suspension, and giving him notice to appear at the next regular meeting of city council in answer thereto. That when said meeting shall be held, to report such suspension and the cause thereof, and if city council deems the cause sufficient for removal, it shall remove the suspended officer, and the vacancy shall be filled as prescribed by the charter and ordinances of the city of Lake Wales."

SECTION 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon enactment into law.

Authorized by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, April 9th, 1941.

L. H. KRAMER, Mayor of the City of Lake Wales.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 662 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 662 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 662 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. 662 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 662 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 662 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—

House Bill No. 663:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 3, 4 and 6 of Article IX, of Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State

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of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances."

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 663 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA, )
COUNTY OF POLK. )

Before the undersigned authority, personally appeared O A Brice, who on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill, relating to:

"An Act to amend Sections 3, 4 and 6, of Article IX, of Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the Town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances."

has been published at least thirty days prior to this date, by being printed in the issue of April 17th, 1941, of The Lake Wales News, a newspaper published in Polk County, Florida; that a copy of the notice has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

O. A. BRICE.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, A. D. 1941.

MRS E. J. MOORE,
Notary Public, State of Florida at large,
My commission expires Feb. 25, 1943.

(SEAL)

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, Florida, will at the present session of the State Legislature of the State of Florida, will present to the legislative body for enactment into law, a Special Act the substance of which is hereinafter set out as follows: to-wit:

An Act to amend Sections 3, 4 and 6, Article IX, of Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the Town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the Town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances."

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

SECTION 1. That Sections 3, 4 and 6, of Article IX, Chapter 8997, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Lake Wales in the County of Polk and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government, to be named and designated as the Town of Lake Wales, to define its territorial boundaries, to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of same and to authorize the imposition of penalties for violation of its ordinances, be, and the same are hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 3. All persons, corporations or firms holding or owning property, real or personal, subject to taxation by the City of Lake Wales, are hereby required to make a return of the same before the 1st day of April of each and every year, to the City Tax Assessor."

Section 4. Such returns shall be made upon and in compliance with blanks prepared therefor and furnished by the City of Lake Wales, and shall contain a complete list of all the property taxable by the City, belonging to such persons, firm or corporation, on the first day of January, in the year for which return is made, giving separately and intelligently a description of each separate lot and parcel of real estate.

The description of property thus returned may be considered by the City Tax Assessor in making assessments, but he shall not be bound thereby. Should any person, firm or corporation omit to make return as above required, the assessing officer shall assess property not thus returned in the name of the owner; if the name of such owner is not known to him, he may assess it in the name of the supposed or reputed owner or occupant, or as belonging to an unknown owner, and in no case shall the failure of such person to return real estate or personal for taxation, or failure to assess real estate in the name of the owner or occupant render the tax assessment upon real estate void or furnish a valid reason why the taxes should not be paid."

"Section 6. It shall be the duty of the City Tax Assessor to make out and submit to the first meeting, or as soon thereafter as practicable, of the City Council, in August of each year, a preliminary assessment roll of the city. As soon as practicable after the assessment roll shall be completed and submitted to the City Council, it shall cause to be published, a notice that the said assessment roll has been submitted to the City Council, and approved, and requiring all persons desiring to have corrections thereof made, whether in the listing valuation of property or otherwise, to file with the City Tax Assessor on or before the day to be named in the said notice setting forth their objections to the said assessment; and the correction that they desire made. Said notice shall be published weekly for four consecutive weeks in some newspaper published in Lake Wales, Polk County, Florida, and said notice shall name a time and place when and where the City Council shall meet for the purpose of equalizing the assessments and making corrections. From the date of first publication of said notice to and including the time of such meeting of the City Council, the assessment roll shall be open to the inspection of the public during reasonable office hours."

SECTION 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon enactment into law.

Authorized by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Lake Wales, April 9th, 1941.

L. H. KRAMER,
Mayor of the City
of Lake Wales, Fla.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 663 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 663 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 663 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. 663 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 663 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 663 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. 664:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for and fixing the rate of interest on any and all money judgments or decrees, if any, which may hereafter be obtained or rendered against any County of the State of Florida, for labor and/or materials furnished for and used in the grading, paving and/or curbing of any public road or portion thereof where such grading, paving and/or curbing was petitioned to be provided under the provisions of Chapter 9316, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, and ordered in response to such petition and such labor and/or materials were furnished under written contract with the County providing that the contractor furnishing the same would accept in payment for the grading, paving and/or curbing furnished, certificates against the abutting property

and such certificates were delivered to and accepted by such contractor in payment for the labor and/or materials furnished.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 664 when it was introduced in the Senate:

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT TAMPA MORNING TRIBUNE

Published Daily

Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida

STATE OF FLORIDA )

) ss

COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH )

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared J. S. Mims, who on oath says that he is General Manager of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a daily newspaper published at Tampa in Hillsborough County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice Application for Local or Special Law in the matter of Providing for and fixing the rate of interest on any and all money judgments or decrees to the Legislature of the State of Florida was published in said newspaper in the issues of April 16, 1941.

Affiant further says that the said Tampa Morning Tribune is a newspaper published in Tampa, in said Hillsborough County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Hillsborough County, Florida, each day and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Tampa, in said Hillsborough 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.

J. S. MIMS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 16th day of April, A. D. 1941.

(Seal)

DOLORES A. VEGA,

Notary Public, in and for State of Florida at large. My commission expires January 9, 1944.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LOCAL OR SPECIAL LAW

NOTICE is hereby given of intention to apply to the Legislature of Florida at its present regular 1941 session for the enactment of a local or special law which shall provide for and fix the rate of interest on any and all money judgments or decrees, if any, which may hereafter be obtained or rendered against any County of the State of Florida, for labor and/or materials furnished for and used in the grading, paving and/or curbing of any public road or portion thereof where such grading, paving and/or curbing was petitioned to be provided under the provisions of Chapter 9316, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, and ordered in response to such petition and such labor and/or materials were furnished under written contract with the County providing that the contractor furnishing the same would accept in payment for the grading, paving and/or curbing furnished, certificates against the abutting property and such certificates were delivered to and accepted by such contractor in payment for the labor and/or materials furnished.

FRED W. BALL.

STATE OF FLORIDA, ) COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH )

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared W. F. Himes, who, on oath, does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to the rate of interest on any and all money judgments or decrees obtained or rendered against any County of the State of Florida in certain cases, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date by being printed in the issue of April 16, 1941, of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a newspaper published in Hillsborough County, Florida; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

W. M. HIMES.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this May 17, 1941.

MARGARET GREEN,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My Commission expires Dec. 1, 1941. (Seal)

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 664 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 664 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 664 be read the third time in full and upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 664 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 664 the roll was called and the vote was.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 664 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. 665:

A bill to be entitled An Act limiting to five mills on the dollar in any one year the tax which Hillsborough County, Florida, its boards and officers may levy, assess or impose upon the taxable property within said county to provide for the discharge, payment or satisfaction of all or any money judgments or decrees, if any, which may hereafter be obtained or rendered against said county for labor and/or materials furnished for and used in the grading, paving and/or curbing of any public road or portion thereof where such grading, paving and/or curbing was petitioned to be provided under the provisions of Chapter 9316, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, and ordered in response to such petition and such labor and/or materials were furnished under written contract with the county providing that the contractor furnishing the same would accept in payment for the grading, paving and/or curbing furnished certificates against the abutting property and such certificates were delivered to and accepted by such contractor in payment for the labor and/or materials furnished.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 665 when it was introduced in the Senate:

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT TAMPA MORNING TRIBUNE

Published Daily

Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida

STATE OF FLORIDA )

) ss.

COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH )

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared J. S. Mims, who on oath says that he is General Manager of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a daily newspaper published at Tampa in Hillsborough County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice Application for local or special law in the matter of limiting to five mills on the dollar in any one year the tax which Hillsborough County, its boards and officers may levy to the Legislature of the State of Florida, was published in said newspaper in the issues of April 16, 1941.

Affiant further says that the said Tampa Morning Tribune is a newspaper published at Tampa, in said Hillsborough County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Hillsborough County, Florida, each day and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Tampa, in said Hillsborough 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.

J. S. MIMS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 16th day of April, A. D. 1941.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LOCAL OR SPECIAL LAW  
NOTICE is hereby given of intention to apply to the Legislature of Florida at its present regular 1941 session for the enactment of a local or special law which shall limit to Five Mills on the Dollar in any one year the tax which Hillsborough County, Florida, its Boards and Officers may levy, assess or impose upon the taxable property within said County to provide for the discharge payment or satisfaction of all or any money judgments or decrees if any, which may hereafter be obtained or rendered against said County for labor and/or materials furnished for and used in the grading, paving and/or curbing of any public road or portion thereof where such grading, paving and/or curbing was petitioned to be provided under the provisions of Chapter 9316, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, and ordered in response to such petition and such labor and/or materials were furnished under written contract with the County providing that the contractor furnishing the same would accept in payment for the grading, paving and/or curbing furnished certificates against the abutting property and such certificates were delivered to and accepted by such contractor in payment for the labor and/or materials furnished.

FRED W. BALL.

STATE OF FLORIDA )  
COUNTY OF HILLSBOROUGH )

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared W. F. Himes, who, on oath, does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to the placing of a limit of five mills on the dollar in any one year on the tax which Hillsborough County, Florida, its boards and officers may levy, assess or impose upon the taxable property within said county for certain purposes, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date by being printed in the issue of April 16, 1941, of the Tampa Morning Tribune, a newspaper published in Hillsborough County, Florida; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

W. F. HIMES.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this May 17, 1941.  
(Seal)

MARGARET GREEN,  
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.  
My Commission expires December 1, 1941.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 665 be read the second time by title only.  
Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 665 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 665 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. 665 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 665 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.  
Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 665 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. 666:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to S. L. Collins of Polk County, Florida.  
Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Pensions and Claims.

By Senator Shands—  
Senate Bill No. 667:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Geo. E. Evans as Clerk of the Circuit Court and Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County, Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 667 when it was introduced in the Senate:

HIGH SPRINGS TELEGRAM

Published Weekly

At High Springs, Alachua County, Florida

STATE OF FLORIDA )  
COUNTY OF ALACHUA )

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Tom Irving, who on oath says that he is Publisher of the High Springs Telegram, a weekly newspaper published at High Springs in Alachua County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Public Notice in the matter of Relief to cover frozen deposits to the Proper Officials was published in said newspaper in the issues of April 18, 1 time, 1941.

Affiant further says that the said High Springs Telegram is a newspaper published at High Springs, in said Alachua County, Florida, and that said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Alachua County, Florida, each week and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in High Springs, in said Alachua 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 said newspaper.

TOM IRVING.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of April, A. D. 1941.

(SEAL)

C. G. EVANS,  
Notary Public State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires December 8, 1942.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

You will please take notice that the County of Alachua, State of Florida, by its proper officials will request the Legislature of the State of Florida, during the present session beginning on April 9, 1941, for the passage of an Act for the relief of Geo. E. Evans, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Alachua County, said relief being to cover deposits made by him in the Phifer State Bank and which deposit was frozen and which represents money for the redemption of individual tax certificates, which money had not been called for by the owners thereof at the time for the closing of the Bank and to relieve the said Clerk from the individual responsibility thereon and to relieve his bondsmen from the liabilities on account of the deposits in said Bank.

This April 14, 1941.

(SEAL)

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,  
Alachua, County, Florida.

W. J. WHITEHURST, Chairman,  
Attest: GEO. E. EVANS, Clerk.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 667 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 667 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 667 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. 667 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 667 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.  
Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 667 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. 668:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Bradford County, Florida as State Roads.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Maines moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 668 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 668 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Maines moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 668 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. 668 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 668 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 668 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 Shuler—  
Senate Bill No. 669:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1863, Compiled General Laws of Florida, being Section 4 of the Chapter 10123, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, being entitled "An Act to protect and regulate the salt water fishing industry in the State of Florida, and to declare certain fresh waters of this State salt water for the purpose of this Act and to define certain waters as salt waters."

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

By Senator Shuler—  
Senate Bill No. 670:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 1 and Section 3 of Chapter 17917, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, being entitled "An Act relating to the salt water fishing in the State of Florida in tidal waters and other territorial waters of the State of Florida and providing a license tax on all boats, vessels, schooners or launches operating and/or plying in the tidal and salt waters or other waters under the control of the State Board of Conservation of the State of Florida, and providing an additional tax on aliens or non-residents who own such boats, vessels, schooners or launches, and defining such aliens or non-residents, and providing penalties for violation of same."

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

By Senator Shuler—  
Senate Bill No. 671:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1, 4 and 8 of Chapter 19611, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, being entitled "An Act relating to and regulating dealing in seafoods, and salt water products, requiring certain permits and imposing license taxes, and providing conditions governing the issuance thereof, and providing for the collection and disposition of the proceeds thereof; defining and regulating wholesale seafood dealers and retail seafood dealers; providing for the revocation and annulment for cause of permits and licenses to dealers in seafoods and salt water products; providing a tax on aliens dealing in seafoods and salt water products; conferring police powers on conservation officers and agents; providing for seizure and sales of such products for certain violations; providing certain exemptions and repealing conflicting laws."

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

By Senator Adams (30th),  
Senate Bill No. 672:

A bill to be entitled An Act making an appropriation to the Stephen Foster Memorial Commission, said appropriation to be used for the purposes provided in and by Chapter 19243, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939.

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

By Senator Shands—  
Senate Bill No. 673:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that the amount of bond that shall be required for each Bond Trustee of and for Road and Bridge District Number One of Alachua County, Florida, shall be One Thousand Dollars.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 673 when it was introduced in the Senate:

GAINESVILLE DAILY SUN  
Published Daily Except Saturday  
Gainesville, Florida

STATE OF FLORIDA,  
COUNTY OF ALACHUA )

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared L. C. Pepper, who on oath says that he is Publisher of the GAINESVILLE DAILY SUN, a daily newspaper published at Gainesville in Alachua County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice in the matter of Special Legislation in the Court, was published in said newspaper in the issues of April 15, 22, 29; May 6, 1941.

Affiant further says that the said GAINESVILLE DAILY SUN is a newspaper published at Gainesville, in said Alachua County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Alachua County, Florida, each day (except Saturday), and has been entered as second class mail matter at the postoffice in Gainesville, in said Alachua 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 for publication in the said newspaper.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of May, A. D. 1941.

(Seal) L. C. PEPPER,  
L. M. SHANNON,  
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.  
My Commission expires April 12, 1945.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL LEGISLATION

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be introduced in the Legislature of the State of Florida now in session at Tallahassee, a Special Act designed to amend an Act now in existence, changing the law to the effect that the amount of bond that shall be required for each Trustee of and for Road and Bridge District Number One of Alachua County, Florida, shall be changed from ten thousand dollars to one thousand dollars.

S. W. GODWIN,  
Chairman.

ATTEST:

H. F. ZETROUER, Secretary,  
ZACK H. DOUGLAS, County Attorney.  
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Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 673 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 673 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 673 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. 673 was read the third time in full. Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 673 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

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So Senate Bill No. 673 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 the Committee on Welfare—  
Senate Bill No. 674:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to taxation, levying and imposing an excise tax on Kerosene in addition to other taxes thereon; levying and imposing a license tax on every dealer in Kerosene; making certain exceptions; and excepting all petroleum products from any tax imposed by law upon the sale, storage or use of such petroleum products, which are used in the manufacture in this State of any commodity or product for shipment or export from this State; providing for the report of sale of such commodities, and the collection and payment of such taxes; creating special funds for the reception of such taxes; providing the purposes of such taxes and for the deposit, appropriation and disposition of the proceeds derived from such taxes, and prescribing the duties of certain officials with reference thereto; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; prescribing certain exemptions hereto and providing for the enforcement of this Act and penalties for violation hereof.

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

By Senator Cooley—  
Senate Bill No. 675:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the commissions and fix the compensations of the County Assessor of Taxes and the County Tax Collector in the various counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 27,000 and not to exceed 27,500, according to the last Federal census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Cooley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 675 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 675 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Cooley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 675 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. 675 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 675 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 675 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 Maines and Perdue—  
Senate Bill No. 676:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1005 of Chapter 19355, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, entitled "An Act relating to public education, providing for the organization, establishment, operation, maintenance, and support of the State system of public education and prescribing penalties for violating any provision of the Act, and any rule and regulation made pursuant to the Act," which Section relates to the procedure for determining the number of instruction units for transportation, and to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

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

By Senator Perdue—  
Senate Bill No. 677:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the Board of County Commissioners and the County Board of Public Instruction of all counties in this State having a population, according to the last Federal census, of not less than twelve thousand five hundred fifty (12,550) and not more than twelve thousand seven hundred (12,700) to publish monthly statements of their proceedings including itemized statements of all receipts and disbursements of all moneys received and disbursed in a

newspaper published in the county and to provide for the cost of such publication and prescribing a penalty for the violation hereof.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Perdue moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 677 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 677 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Perdue moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 677 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. 677 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 677 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 677 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. 678:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 437 and Sub-section 1 of Section 617 Chapter 19355, Laws of Florida Acts of 1939, known as the Florida school code.

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

By Senator Perdue (By request)—  
Senate Bill No. 679:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Motor Transportation; amending Section 30 of Chapter 14764, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, being An Act entitled "An Act providing for the supervision and regulation of persons, firms, corporations and associations owning, controlling, operating or managing motor vehicles used in the business of transporting persons or property for compensation over the public highways of the State; providing for regulations of safety and proper operation affecting the use of said highways and the preservation thereof; defining auto transportation companies and providing supervision and regulation thereof by the Railroad Commission of the State of Florida, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of this Act and for the punishment of violations thereof and imposing a mileage tax and providing for the disposition of the revenue raised by the same; and providing certain exemptions; and repealing all Acts inconsistent with the provisions of this Act," as amended by Chapter 17115, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, Chapter 18028, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937 and Chapter 18029, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, so as to exempt from the operation thereof motor vehicles used for transportation of agricultural or horticultural laborers to and from and in connection with employment; and repealing all laws and parts of Laws in conflict herewith.

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

By Senator Perdue (By request)—  
Senate Bill No. 680:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1006 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, as amended by Chapter 8410, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, and Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, and to amend Section 1011 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, as amended by Chapter 8410, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, Chapter 10182, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, Chapter 15625, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, and Chapter 16085, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, relating to the registration of motor vehicles, so as to except from the definition of the term "for hire," motor vehicles used for transportation of agricultural or horticultural laborers to and from and in connection with employment; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

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

By the Committee on Appropriations—  
Senate Bill No. 681:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Governor of the State of Florida to employ the Brookings Institution of Washington, D. C., to conduct a detailed fiscal and administrative survey of the State of Florida and all departments, Commissions, Boards, Agencies and Authorities thereof, and Counties, Boards of Public Instruction, Municipalities and other taxing districts and political subdivisions within the State; requiring public records to be made available for the purpose of the survey and prescribing penalties for the willful failure to make such records available; and making an appropriation for payment of the survey.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 681 be read the second time by title only.

Upon which a roll call was demanded.

Upon the adoption of the motion made by Senator Collins the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Butler, Collins, Graham, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, McKenzie, Shepherd, Shuler, Ward, Wilson—13.

Nays—Senators Adams (25th), Beall, Clarke, Cliett, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Horne, Housholder, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker—23.

So the motion made by Senator Collins failed of adoption and Senate Bill No. 681 was referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Kelly—

Senate Bill No. 682:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 80 of Chapter 8949, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, being entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Fernandina, in the County of Nassau, in the State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Fernandina, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges."

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 682 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF NASSAU )

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared HOWARD H. DAVIS, who on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to an Act amending the Charter of the City of Fernandina, same being Chapter 8949, Special Acts of Florida, 1921 amending Section 80 thereof by adding the words "or county" in describing the type of property upon which the City may place upon its assessments rolls for the purpose of general taxation, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date by being printed in the issue of April 25th, 1941, of the THE FERNANDINA NEWS, a newspaper published in Nassau County, Florida, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

HOWARD H. DAVIS,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, A. D. 1941.

HERBERT WM. FISHLER,  
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

(SEAL)

My commission expires April 26, 1943.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the 1941 Biennial Session of the Legislature of the State of Florida for the passage of An Act amending the Charter of the City of Fernandina, same being Chapter 8949, Special Acts of Florida, 1921, amending Section 80 thereof by adding the words "or county" in describing the type of property upon which

the City may place upon its assessment rolls for the purpose of general taxation.

THOMAS SHAVE, JR.,  
Representative Nassau County.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 682 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 682 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kelly moved the the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 682 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. 682 was read the third time in full. Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 682 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 682 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 Graham—

Senate Bill No. 683:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for an allowance in the form of a pension of One Hundred Dollars monthly to H. B. Messec and making an appropriation to take care of such an allowance or pension.

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

By Senator Kelly—

Senate Bill No. 684:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 126 of Chapter 8949, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, being entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Fernandina, in the County of Nassau, in the State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Fernandina, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges."

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 684 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA, )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF NASSAU, )

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Howard H. Davis, who on oath does solemnly swear that he has knowledge of the matters stated herein; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to an act amending the Charter of the City of Fernandina, same being Chapter 8949 Special Acts of Florida, 1921 by amending Section 126 thereof so as to make of the polls for City election to conform to the hours used by the State in opening and closing polls at election, has been published at least thirty days prior to this date by being printed in the issue of April 25th, 1941, of THE FERNANDINA NEWS, a newspaper published in Nassau County, Florida, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of the notice that has been published as aforesaid and also this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

HOWARD H. DAVIS,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, A. D. 1941.

HERBERT WM. FISHLER,  
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large

My commission expires April 26, 1943.

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for the passage of an act amending the Charter of the City of Fernandina, same being Chapter 8949 Special Acts of Florida, 1921 by amending Section 126 thereof so as to make the hours of the opening and closing of the polls for City election to conform to the hours used by the State in opening and closing polls at election.

THOMAS SHAVE, JR.  
Representative Nassau County.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 684 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 684 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 684 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. 684 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 684 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 684 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

State of Florida  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
Tallahassee  
May 21st, 1941

Honorable John R. Beacham,  
President of the Senate,  
Tallahassee,  
Florida.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that on May 20, A. D. 1941, I approved the following Act, which originated in your Honorable Body, and have caused the same to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 Relating to Governor's Message.

Respectfully yours,  
SPESSARD L. HOLLAND,  
Governor.

State of Florida  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
Tallahassee  
May 21st, 1941

Honorable John R. Beacham,  
President of the Senate,  
Tallahassee,  
Florida.

Sir:

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

Senate Bill No. 259 Relating to Auburndale.

Respectfully yours,  
SPESSARD L. HOLLAND,  
Governor.

State of Florida  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
Tallahassee  
May 21st, 1941

Honorable John R. Beacham,  
President of the Senate,  
Tallahassee,  
Florida.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have today approved the following Act, which originated in your Honorable Body,

and have caused the same to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

Senate Bill No. 52 Relating to Hog Cholera Serum.

Respectfully yours,  
SPESSARD L. HOLLAND,  
Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 20, 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 Messrs. Leaird and Burwell of Broward—  
House Bill No. 1175:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring all persons engaged in business or professions in the State of Florida, except corporations, using other than their own proper names, to register the trade name or whatever name they are doing business under and the extent of interest of all persons concerned with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county where the principal place of business is, as part of the public records and the penalty for non-compliance.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1175, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 20, 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 refused to concur, reconsidered the vote by which it refused to concur and concurred in Senate Amendment to:

By Mr. Clement of Pinellas—  
House Bill No. 608:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 23, 81, 89, 113, 117 and 162 of Chapter 9710, Special Acts of 1923, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Clearwater, County of Pinellas, Florida, and to create and establish a municipal corporation to be known as the City of Clearwater; to provide a charter for said City; to define its territorial limits, provide for its government, and prescribe its jurisdiction and powers;" and by such amendment to provide that ordinances enacted by the City Commission may be published by title only; to change the fiscal year of the City of Clearwater; to authorize the City Commission to establish special tax districts within the City of Clearwater; to reduce the penalties on unpaid city taxes; to make it unnecessary for the City of Clearwater to publish any delinquent tax list; and to make it unnecessary for the City of Clearwater to publish any list of voters.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 89, line 3, page 2 (typewritten bill), strike out the words commencing with "Except as follows" and all the balance of Section 89.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 20, 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 Shands—  
Senate Bill No. 587:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions to sell certain public land, and providing for the use and disposition of proceeds derived from such sales.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 587, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 20, 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 with amendments:

By Senator Shands—  
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 amendments read as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In the title of the bill, line 4, of the typewritten bill, after the words "by the Board of Control" insert "or through the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions."

House Amendment No. 2:

In Section 1, line 4, of the typewritten bill after the words "by the Board of Control" insert "or by or through the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions."

House Amendment No. 3:

In line 7 of the typewritten bill, being line 2 of the proposed amended Section 617, after the words "by the Board of Control" insert "or by or through the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions."

House Amendment No. 4:

In line 5 of the proposed amended Section 617 after the words "by the Board of Control" insert "or on approval of the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions."

House Amendment No. 5:

In line 17 of the typewritten bill of the proposed amended Section 617, after the words "approval of the Board of Control" insert "or Board of Commissioners of State Institutions."

House Amendment No. 6:

In line 20 of the typewritten bill of the proposed amended Section 617, after the words "by the Board of Control" insert "or by the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 335, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 335.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 335.

And Senate Bill No. 335, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 20, 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. Murray of Polk—  
House Memorial No. 8:

A Memorial to the President and Congress of the United States of America urging that all possible aid to Great Britain, including patrols and the conveying of ships by the United States navy, be rendered and furnished immediately.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Memorial No. 8, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Memorial No. 8 be the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Memorial No. 8 was read the second time in full.

The question was put on the adoption of the Memorial.

Which was agreed to and House Memorial No. 8 was adopted 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, Florida,  
May 20, 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 Committee on Finance and Taxation—  
House Bill No. 1301:

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

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1301, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

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

Tallahassee, Fla.,  
May 20, 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:

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By Senator Gideons—  
Senate Bill No. 450:

A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the season during which game, game birds and game animals may be taken in Sumter County; prohibiting the pursuing, taking, hunting, or killing of any game, game birds, or game animals on Sunday, Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week during said season; providing for a three year closed season on deer and turkey in Sumter County, Florida, beginning with November 20, 1941, and providing a penalty for the violation of this Act

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Kelly—  
Senate Bill No. 453:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the compensation of the members of the County Board of Public Instruction for Nassau County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Kelly—  
Senate Bill No. 454:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners for Nassau County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 450, 453, and 454, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Fla.,  
May 20, 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 Collins—  
Senate Bill No. 500:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that candidates for members of the Board of Public Instruction of Leon County, Florida, shall be nominated and elected by the qualified electors of the said County at large, and not by districts; prescribing where such candidates shall reside; amending Chapter 19355, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, by repealing Section 408 of Article 2 thereof as the same applies to said County, and repealing all other laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Taylor—  
Senate Bill No. 531:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 13 and 64 of Chapter 15183, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Dunedin, Pinellas County, Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Dunedin, and to define its territorial boundaries and provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges," by repealing those parts of said Sections which require the publication of ordinances in their entirety and publication of the tax roll and providing for publication of ordinances by title only.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Taylor—  
Senate Bill No. 532:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe, define and enlarge the territory of a Municipal Corporation known as the Town of Sunshine Beach, Pinellas County, Florida; and to provide for the ratification of this Act by the qualified electors of the effected area.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 500, 531, and 532, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 20, 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 Adams (30th)—  
Senate Bill No. 551:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Open Season for hunting in Hamilton County, Florida; prohibiting the hunting or taking of all game, game birds, or fur-bearing animals as herein defined, except on certain stated days during the open season for hunting; permitting the lawful hunting or taking of game, game birds or fur-bearing animals on such days; providing penalties for violation of the provisions hereof; providing for the enforcement hereof and repealing all laws contrary hereto.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Graham—  
Senate Bill No. 553:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the City of Hialeah, Dade County, Florida; providing for the setting aside, annulling of all unpaid taxes and/or assessments heretofore levied or assessed by or for said City of Hialeah against or upon the North One-Half (1/2) of Section One (1), Township Fifty-Three (53) South, Range Forty (40) East, three hundred twenty (320) acres more or less, and all interest and penalties upon such taxes and assessments, notwithstanding the purpose for which such taxes or assessments were levied or assessed; and providing for the cancellation of all liens, claims or tax sale certificates evidencing or representing such taxes and assessments, interest and penalties, and directing the appropriate officers to note such cancellation of record; declaring that the said City of Hialeah is without any jurisdiction power or authority over, or with respect to, said land and that said City had no authority or power to levy or assess taxes or assessments, for any purpose, against said land; and, repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Gideons—  
Senate Bill No. 558:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing and providing for the payment of salary of Supervisor of Registration of Sumter County, Florida, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 551, 553, and 558, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 20, 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 Collins—  
Senate Bill No. 559:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of Public Instruction of Leon County, Florida, to issue and sell not exceeding \$250,000 in principal amount of interest bearing coupon bonds for and on behalf of Special Tax School District Number 1 of said County; to make provision for a Sinking Fund for the retirement of said bonds and the interest to become due thereon; to prescribe and regulate the expenditure of the sum derived from the sale of said bonds; to provide for an election by the freeholders to approve the issuance of said bonds and providing for the qualification of said electors in said election; to provide for the validation of said bonds; and providing for the method, manner and procedure in carrying out the purposes and intent of this Act.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Taylor—  
Senate Bill No. 560:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Pinellas County, Florida, to own and operate a County Fair and Rodeo, including the construction of buildings and structures incidental thereto and the rights to improve and beautify grounds, purchase land to be used for County Fair and Rodeo purposes, purchase equipment, material and the like for the purpose of doing and performing all things necessary and incidental to equipping and maintaining a permanent County Fair and Rodeo; to provide for levying a tax annually in an amount not to exceed two mills on the dollar against the taxable property of said County for the purpose of paying the interest on and creating a sinking fund for the redemption of the fair bonds, heretofore issued by said County, and for maintenance and operation purposes.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Kelly—  
Senate Bill No. 569:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the dates for the taking and catching of shad fish in the tidal waters of Nassau County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 559, 560, and 569, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 20, 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 Lewis—  
Senate Bill No. 570:

A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, confirm, validate and legalize all acts and proceedings of the City of Marianna, Jackson County, Florida, its City Commission, officers and agents relative to the issuance of \$7,500.00 of sewerage extension and improvement bonds of 1941, dated April 1st, 1941, authorizing the same; and ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing said bonds.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Shepherd—  
Senate Bill No. 574:

A bill to be entitled An Act to be known as the permanent registration Act for the City of St Augustine, Florida, providing for a registration of electors and/or voters of said City of St. Augustine, Florida, for all primary elections and general elections to be held in the year A. D. 1941 and subsequent years thereafter, providing for the dates of opening and closing of the registration books, providing that this registration be permanent, providing for the notification of all electors and/or voters every two years beginning in A. D. 1942, providing for the return of the notices by the electors and/or voters, providing for the removal of names from the registration books of all those who fail to return the said notices, providing the form of registration card to be kept by the City Auditor and Clerk as ex-officio registration officer of said City of St. Augustine, and declaring void the present list of qualified electors and/or voters of said City of St. Augustine, Florida, providing for the date of taking effect of this Act and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Ward—  
Senate Bill No. 578:

A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit live stock from running or roaming at large within the following territorial limits of Lee County in the State of Florida, and providing for the enforcement of this Act and for the impounding of live stock found running or roaming at large in said portion of Lee County in the State of Florida, and providing that persons damaged by such live stock running or roaming at large may recover damages therefor and providing a penalty for the

violation of the provisions of this Act and for the taking effect of said Act.

Proof of Publication attached.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 570, 574, and 578, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Fla.,  
May 20, 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 Graham—  
Senate Bill No. 580:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the Chief of Police of the City of Miami Beach, Florida, need not be a legally qualified voter of said city: providing for a referendum when said Act shall take effect and other matters relating thereto.

By Senator Kelly—  
Senate Bill No. 597:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm all Acts and proceedings relative to the calling, holding, conducting and canvassing the returns of an election held in the County of Nassau, Florida, on November 5, 1940, on the question of levying an annual tax for establishing and maintaining a public hospital at Fernandina in Nassau County, and issuing bonds in the amount of \$60,000 for the purpose of purchasing a site and constructing said hospital; to validate and confirm all Acts and proceedings relative to the appointment and organization of a Board of Hospital Trustees for said County and all Acts and proceedings of said trustees: to validate all proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners relative to the authorization of \$60,000 of hospital bonds approved at said election, to authorize and provide for the issuance and sale of said bonds and the levy and collection of said tax: to authorize and provide for the acquisition of a site for said hospital and the construction, management and operation thereof and further relating to the powers and duties of the Board of County Commissioners and the Board of Hospital Trustees with respect thereto.

Proof of Publication attached.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 580 and 597, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Fla.,  
May 20, 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. Getzen of Sumter—  
House Bill No. 1369:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Sumter County, Florida, providing that the Comptroller of the State of Florida shall draw or cause to be drawn warrant or warrants in such sums found sufficient to pay judgments, anticipation notes, bills or debts, or liens due by the Board of Public Instruction of Sumter County, Florida, from the Treasury of the State of Florida, upon the funds in his hands to the credit of Sumter County, Florida, or that may be credited from any sources whatsoever to Sumter County, Florida, providing that the State Treasurer of the State of Florida shall pay or cause to be paid all warrant or warrants drawn by the State Comptroller under the provisions of this Act, providing for the use of, and appropriation herewith of funds now in the hands of the State Treasurer of the State of Florida, as Treasurer Ex-officio of Sumter County, Florida, for the payment of judgments, anticipation notes, bills or debts, or liens due by the

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Board of Public Instruction of Sumter County, Florida, providing for the delivery of such warrant or warrants herein provided by the Comptroller of the State of Florida, and the payment thereof by the State Treasurer as Treasurer Ex-officio of Sumter County, Florida; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith and apportioning moneys received from the State Treasurer, under and by virtue of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, and any amendatory Act thereto providing for the creation of a State Racing Commission, the collection and distribution of taxes thereunder, when said moneys have been received and disbursements are to be made under the above referred to Act or amendments thereto, such moneys to be distributed in Sumter County, Florida shall be distributed for the payment of certain indebtedness of Sumter County, Florida, or any governmental agency of Sumter County, Florida, to creditors of Sumter County, Florida, and providing that upon full payment of such creditors of Sumter County, Florida, that such moneys collected and to be distributed under the above referred to Act, shall be paid over and unto the Board of Public Instruction of Sumter County, Florida, for useage for purposes therein expressed, and set forth by each of the respective Boards of County Commissioners and Board of Public Instruction of Sumter County, Florida, and providing the Treasurer of the State of Florida and Comptroller of the State of Florida and the Governor of the State of Florida or their respective agents, shall issue and pay any and all warrants for the purposes expressed by the provisions of the said Act; providing for the repeal of all laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1369, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gideons moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1369 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1369 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gideons moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1369 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. 1369 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1369 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1369 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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, with amendments:

By Senators King and Smith—  
Senate Bill No. 472:

A bill to be entitled An Act to create the Florida Economic Advancement Council, composed of the Governor, the Secretary of State, the Commissioner of Agriculture, and the Attorney General, which council shall have the power and duty to cooperate with the Florida delegation in the Congress of the United States in the development and promotion of the commercial, industrial, agricultural, tourist, and other vital economic interests of the State, particularly with reference to the needs and requirements of National Defense,

by maintaining representation at Washington, D. C. and elsewhere as conditions may warrant, and to engage in research, publicity, and sales promotion in behalf of the State to advance the general economic welfare of the State; to authorize the council to employ the necessary personnel and facilities to carry out the purposes of this Act; to make an appropriation to carry out such purposes; to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and to provide that this Act shall remain in effect for two years from the date it becomes a law.

Which amendments read as follows:

House Amendment No. 1:

In Section 3. of the bill, after the period add the following: Provided, however, that the salary of any individual member of the personnel of the council or of any employee of such council shall not exceed the sum of \$5,000.00 per annum.

House Amendment No. 2:

Add Sec. 4-A as follows: All funds appropriated hereby shall be deposited in the Treasury of the State of Florida to the credit of the Florida Economic Advancement Council, and shall be withdrawn only on the warrant of the Comptroller, countersigned by the Governor and all accounts of said council shall be audited and examined by the Comptroller.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 472, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator King moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 472.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 472.

Senator King moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 472.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 472.

And Senate Bill No. 472, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Senators Cooley, Adams (30th), Shuler and Perdue—  
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 or 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 of game birds and game animals to three shell capacity or plugged to three shell capacity.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 311, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Messrs. Ayers, of Gilchrist, and Williams, of Hernando—  
House Bill No. 1055:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating traffic on highways and defining certain violations in the use and operation of vehicles; providing for traffic signs and signals; requiring certain duties of operators when involved in accidents and requiring the reporting of certain accidents to the department of public safety; defining reckless driving and operating under the influence of intoxicating liquor and providing penalties therefor; providing for certain speed regulations; requiring signalling by operators of vehicles; requiring certain equipment on vehicles and providing regulations for the use thereof; requiring vehicles to be in a safe mechanical condition, and providing the penalty and punishment for the violation of all provisions and requirements thereof, and to repeal certain conflicting or inconsistent statutes of the State of Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1055, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1055 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1055 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1055 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. 1055 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1055 the roll was called and the vote was:

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1055 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 unanimous consent Senator Beall withdrew Senate Bill No. 442.

By unanimous consent Senator Kanner withdrew Senate Bill No. 110.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Butler—

Senate Bill No. 317:

A bill to be entitled An Act to change the number of State Road 78 to State Road 140.

By Senator Kelly—

Senate Bill No. 152:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Road Department of Florida to acquire by purchase, or otherwise, a toll road known as Hecksher Drive in Duval County, Florida; to extend said road from Duval County to the city limits of Fernandina, in Nassau County, Florida; and to declare, designate and establish said road, as extended, as a State road.

By Senator Shands—

Senate Bill No. 163:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Road Department of Florida to provide curbs and gutters for that portion of State Road 31, extending through the Town of Hawthorne in Alachua County, and for that portion of State Road 77, extending through the Town of Trenton in Gilchrist County.

By Senator Shepherd—

Senate Bill No. 320:

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

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.

By Senator Shands—

Senate Bill No. 400:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Designate and Establish Certain State Roads in Alachua County, Florida.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 317, 152, 163, 320, 376 and 400, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Senators Lindler and Maines—

Senate Bill No. 417:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road in Columbia and Union Counties, Florida.

By Senator Lindler—

Senate Bill No. 418:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road in Columbia County, Florida.

By Senator Gideons—

Senate Bill No. 429:

A bill to be entitled An Act designating, declaring and establishing as a State Road and requesting the taking over and maintenance by the State Road Department of Florida, a certain State Road in Hernando and Sumter Counties, Florida.

By Senator Beall—

Senate Bill No. 473:

A bill to be entitled An Act to Designate and Establish Certain State Roads in Escambia County, Florida.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 417, 418, 429, and 473, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

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Tallahassee, Florida,  
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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 Cliett—  
Senate Bill No. 352:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix and providing for the compensation of the members of Boards of County Commissioners in counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than Ten Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Five, and not more than Ten Thousand Five Hundred, according to the last preceding Federal census.

By Senator Gideons—  
Senate Bill No. 525:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of all Counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 11,000 and not more than 11,125, according to the Federal census of 1940, to levy and collect an annual tax on all property in said Counties for the payment of outstanding indebtedness incurred in the construction of school buildings or in making necessary repairs to present buildings; providing for the expenditure of the funds derived from such tax; and setting the time during which such tax shall be levied and collected.

By Senator Chett—  
Senate Bill No. 526:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners in Counties having a population of not less than 7,700 and not more than 8,000, according to the 1940 Federal Census, to levy a special tax of not to exceed two mills annually for hospitalization of indigent inhabitants of said Counties.

Very respectfully,  
BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 352, 525 and 526, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Cliett—  
Senate Bill No. 527:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners in Counties having a population of not less than 10,150 and not more than 10,500, according to the 1940 Federal Census, to levy a special tax of not to exceed two mills annually for hospitalization of indigent inhabitants of said Counties.

By Senator Taylor—  
Senate Bill No. 541:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that in all Counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than ninety thousand and not more than one hundred fifty thousand, according to the last State or Federal Census, instruments shall be deemed filed or recorded when they shall have been filed at the Court House with the proper official and the filing or recording fee paid.

By Senator Taylor—  
Senate Bill No. 542:

A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Boards of County Commissioners in all Counties of the State of Florida having a population of more than ninety thousand (90,000) and less than one hundred fifty thousand (150,000), according to the last preceding State or Federal Census, to enter into a contract with some agent, individual or attorney at law, resident in their respective Counties, for the collection of delinquent State and County taxes against personal property, by suit or otherwise; providing that suit may be brought in the name of the State of Florida for the collection of said taxes; and providing certain terms and conditions in connection therewith.

Very respectfully,  
BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 527, 541 and 542, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Taylor—  
Senate Bill No. 543:

A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing the Boards of Bond Trustees in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than ninety thousand and not more than one hundred fifty thousand, according to the last State or Federal census, providing for a department to be known as "department of bond and special road and bridge districts"; providing a clerk and providing for disposition of funds from bonds and special road and bridge districts in said Counties.

By Senator Taylor—  
Senate Bill No. 544:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Counties having a population of not less than ninety thousand and not more than one hundred fifty thousand according to the last State or Federal Census; prescribing for provision for the employment and dismissal of traffic officers; to provide for Highway Patrol and the enforcement of traffic and motor vehicle license laws and granting the power to make arrests; to provide for the compensation and expense of such traffic officers; to provide for the commissioning of such traffic officers and prescribing the duties of the Board of County Commissioners of such counties of the State of Florida in connection therewith.

Very respectfully,  
BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 543 and 544, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Taylor—  
Senate Bill No. 545:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal so far as the same affects Pinellas County, Florida, Chapter 15934, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, the same being An Act to create a County Budget Commission in Counties of Florida having a population of not less than Seventy Thousand (70,000) and not more than One Hundred Fifty Thousand (150,000) by the last preceding State or Federal Census; to prescribe the powers, duties, and functions of such County Budget Commission and the qualifications, terms of office, and methods of appointment of members thereof; and to authorize such County Budget Commission to make and control the budget receipts and expenditures of the Board of County Commissioners, Board of Public Instruction, County Welfare Board, and all other boards, commissions, and officials of such counties or of taxing districts, situate therein authorized to raise and expend moneys for county or district purposes, as amended by Chapter 16,886, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, the same being an Act to amend Sections 5, 9, 10, 12, 15, and 16 of Chapter 15934, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933.

Act to create a County Budget Commission in counties of Florida having a population of not less than Seventy Thousand and (70,000) and not more than One Hundred Fifty Thousand (150,000) by the last preceding State or Federal Census; to prescribe the powers, duties, and functions of such County Budget Commission and the qualifications, terms of office and methods of appointment of members thereof; and to authorize such County Budget Commission to make and control the budget receipts and expenditures of the Board of County Commissioners, Board of Public Instruction, County Welfare Board, and all other boards, commissions, and officials of such counties or of taxing districts, situate therein authorized to raise and expend moneys for county or district purposes," and to repeal all Acts or parts of Acts in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Senator Taylor—

Senate Bill No. 546:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting to the Board of Administration created by Chapter 14486, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, additional authority and powers with reference to the sale and reinvestment of securities or other evidences of indebtedness held to the credit of county or counties having a population of not less than ninety thousand nor more than one hundred fifty thousand, according to the last preceding State or Federal census, or any special road and bridge district therein; and granting to said Board of Administration authority and power to accept refunding obligations, with authority to make concessions and compromises in regard thereto and providing the conditions under which the same may be done; granting to said board of administration authority and power to transfer either by sale or exchange obligations in any fund to another fund so as to result in a particular fund's acquiring its own obligations; granting to said board of administration authority and power to transfer surplus from one fund to another; and providing for the advice, consent, and approval to the exercise of the authority and powers herein granted of the Board of County Commissioners or other governing authority of the unit affected.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 545 and 546, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Taylor—

Senate Bill No. 547:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to County relief and welfare in all Counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than ninety thousand and not more than one hundred fifty thousand, according to the last regular State or Federal census; defining the term county relief and welfare; prescribing the rights, duties and powers of the respective boards of county commissioners in the said counties pertaining to same; and authorizing an ad valorem tax to be levied therefor.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 547, contained in the above message, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Perdue—

Senate Bill No. 435:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empower-

ing the State Road Department of Florida to widen and necessary place curbing on State Highway Number 500 in the town of Bronson, beginning at the intersection of State Road Number 500 with State Road Number 13 and extending easterly along State Road Number 500 through the town of Bronson as far as deemed advisable by said State Road Department.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 435, contained in the above message was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Whitaker—

Senate Bill No. 458:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the cancellation of certain taxes against property in Tampa, Hillsborough County, Florida, used for charitable purposes.

By Senator Whitaker—

Senate Bill No. 459:

A bill to be entitled An Act cancelling taxes of the City of Tampa, the County of Hillsborough and State of Florida, for the years 1932 to 1939, inclusive, on lots 58, 59 and 60, Bungalow Park, and Lot 30 Iroquois Park, subdivisions of Hillsborough County, Florida, which said property is owned and used by the Spencer Memorial Baptist Church, a non-profitable corporation, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 458 and 459, contained in the above message, were referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Messrs. Acosta, Bennett and Luckie of Duval, Rivers of Clay, and Shave of Nassau:

House Bill No. 507:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for an additional Assistant State Attorney for each judicial circuit of the State of Florida containing three or more counties and having three or more circuit judges, which circuit embraces and includes a county having a population of more than 200,000 people according to the last preceding state or federal census, and providing for the appointment, residence, term of office, powers, duties, and compensation of such Assistant State Attorney.

By Messrs. Overstreet, Holt and Wiseheart of Dade—

House Bill No. 42:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the dispensing with the General Election Books and substituting therefor and authorizing and directing the use of the Primary Registration Books in lieu thereof in all Counties of this State which now have, or may hereafter have, a population of over 267,000 inhabitants according to the last official census of the State of Florida or the United States of America; and providing for the time in which the books shall be open for general elections in the office of the Supervisor of Registration only, and providing for the method of registration for the general election; and providing that all persons who have duly registered for a preceding primary election shall be deemed legally registered electors for the next succeeding general election; and providing for the time in which this Act shall take effect.

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By Mr. Scales of Taylor—  
House Bill No. 501:

A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 16916 Laws of Florida. Acts of 1935, entitled "An Act providing that in all counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than thirteen thousand one hundred thirty-six (13,136) and not more than thirteen thousand two hundred eighty (13,280), according to the Federal census of 1930, eighty candidates for election for the Board of County Commissioners and candidates for election as members of the County Board of Public Instruction, shall be nominated from the county at large instead of by district" subject to a referendum.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 507, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 507 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 507 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 507 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. 507 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 507 the roll was called and the vote was:

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

Neys—Senator Maines—1.

So House Bill No. 507 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 42, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Graham moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 42 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 42 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Graham moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 42 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. 42 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 42 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 42 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 501, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Hinely moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 501 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 501 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Hinely moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 501 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. 501 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 501 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 501 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Overstreet of Dade—

House Bill No. 1129:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 20246 of the General Laws of Florida, 1941, the same being An Act entitled: "An Act to permit the retirement of a deputy or employee, or any county official or other county employee in any county, having a population of 267,000 inhabitants or more, according to the last preceding State or Federal census, under certain conditions with pay" by providing that said Act shall not apply to any employee of county school boards in such counties.

By Mr. Rivers of Clay—

House Bill No. 1138:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the salaries of the members of the Boards of Public Instruction in Counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 6460 and not more than 6475, according to the Federal Census of 1940, and to authorize the payment of such salaries from the County School Fund.

By Messrs. Wisheart, Overstreet and Holt of Dade—

House Bill No. 1192:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the offices and courts of the county solicitors of all criminal courts of record in all counties of the State having a population of two hundred fifty thousand (250,000) or more according to the last preceding State or Federal Census, whichever may be the later; to fix the compensation of county solicitors of criminal courts of record of such counties; to authorize said county solicitors to employ assistant county solicitors and provide for their number and compensation; to provide that the said county solicitors and their assistants may administer oaths to persons who, with or without subpoenas, appear before the county solicitors or their assistants, for the purpose of making an affidavit stating facts, which if true would constitute a criminal offense within the jurisdiction of such county solicitors and that the county solicitors of the several criminal courts of record, herein described, be authorized to swear to and file their informations, based upon such statements contained in such affidavits; to repeal all other laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith. To determine, find and declare that the classification of counties as specified in this Act is reasonable and justifiable; that the Act is applicable to all county solicitors and their assistants similarly situated; that the subject matter of the Act is such that it justifies such classification; that there is a reasonable basis for the distinction and creation of the classification; that the classification of the counties in this Act are not based solely on population but other facts, considerations, and circumstances more fully hereinafter set out in the following preamble:

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1129, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

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

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1129 the roll was called and the vote was:

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1129 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1138, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Smith moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1138 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1138 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Smith moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1138 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. 1138 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1138 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1138 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1192, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

By unanimous consent Senator Kelly withdrew Senate Bill No. 277.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Chavous, of Dixie—

House Bill No. 1203:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the Salaries and Fees of the Justices of the Peace and Constables in all counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 7,000 and not more than 7,050 according to the 1940 Federal Census.

By Mr. Riddles of Walton—

House Bill No. 1125:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of counties having a population of not less than 14,100 nor more than 15,000 according to the last Federal census.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,  
BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1203, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on County Organizations.

And House Bill No. 1125, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Drummond moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1125 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1125 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Drummond moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1125 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. 1125 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1125 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1125 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 21, 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. McCarty of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 988:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Clerk of the Circuit Court of St. Lucie County, Florida, to cancel certain tax certificates owned by the State of Florida on certain lands located in St. Lucie County, Florida, through which lands St. Lucie County for and on behalf of the State Road Department of Florida has, without any consideration to the owners except an agreement by the County to pay to the respective owners thereof the amount of outstanding taxes against said property or the cancellation of said taxes, through An Act of the Legislature, acquired a two hundred foot right-of-way to be used as right-of-way for Florida State Road No. 4.

By Mr. McCarty of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 989:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Clerk of the Circuit Court of St. Lucie County, Florida, to cancel certain tax certificates owned by the State of Florida on certain lands located in St. Lucie County, Florida, and owned by State Agricultural Marketing Board, a Florida Corporation, and being operated as a State Farmers Market.

By Mr. Morrow of Palm Beach—

House Bill No. 1145:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the first Baptist Church of West Palm Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, providing for the cancellation of certain City of West Palm Beach taxes and tax certificates upon the property of said Church and for other purposes.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,  
BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 988, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

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

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 988 the roll was called and the vote was

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 988 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 989, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

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

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 989 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 989 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1145, 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 21, 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 Messrs. Sheldon, McDonald and Toland of Hillsborough—  
House Bill No. 1170:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel, discharge and annul all State and County taxes heretofore assessed and unpaid against Lots One (1), and Two (2), Three (3), Five (5), and Six (6), of Block Five (5), all in Everett Subdivision as per map or plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 89 of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida, and all Tax Sales Certificates held and owned by the State of Florida, against said property in Hillsborough County, Florida, said property being owned by the Trustees of the Wells Memorial Baptist Church of Palm River, Hillsborough County, Florida.

By Messrs. Sheldon, McDonald and Toland of Hillsborough—  
House Bill No. 1171:

A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel, discharge and annul all State and County Taxes heretofore assessed and unpaid against Lot Two (2), Block Two (2), Henderson's Tampa Heights Subdivision, as per map or plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 39 of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida, and all Tax Sales Certificates held and owned by the State of Florida, against said property in Hillsborough County, Florida, said property being owned by the Trustees of the Tampa District Parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, of Tampa, Florida.

By Messrs. Morrow and Beck of Palm Beach—  
House Bill No. 1205:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to State and County Tax Certificates on lands in the boundaries of The Lake Worth Drainage District in Palm Beach County, Florida, and cancelling all State and County Tax Certificates outstanding, together with subsequent and omitted taxes on certain lands within the boundaries of the Lake Worth Drainage District.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1170, 1171 and 1205, contained in the above message, were read the first time by titles 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Dowda of Putnam—

House Bill No. 1324:

A bill to be entitled An Act validating and confirming the creation and establishment of Special Tax School District No. 3 of Putnam County, Florida, and An Act validating and legalizing refunding bonds of said district.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Messrs. Leedy and Horrell of Orange—

House Bill No. 1325:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Orlando, Florida, through its duly authorized officers or employees, to make inspection of plumbing and drainage installed in the territory embraced in a radius of one mile beyond the city limits of said city; such inspection to be made in accordance with the rules, regulations and ordinances governing said city of Orlando, and relating to plumbers, plumbing, gas fitters, drainage and sanitation; requiring that all plumbing and drainage done in said one mile radius shall be done in accordance with the rules and regulations governing plumbing, drainage and sanitation in the said City of Orlando, and authorizing the collection of such inspection fees in said one mile radius as are charged for the same work in said City of Orlando.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Carroll of Osceola—

House Bill No. 1327:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for a complete re-registration of all voters in Osceola County, Florida, the expenses thereof and the duties of the officials who are required to perform such duties.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1324 and 1325, contained in the above message, were read the first time by titles only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

And House Bill No. 1327, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1327 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1327 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1327 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. 1327 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1327 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1327 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Gillespie of Volusia—  
House Bill No. 1331:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 174 of Chapter 10941 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, entitled "An Act to abolish the present Municipal Government of the City of New Smyrna, in Volusia County, State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of New Smyrna, and to define its territorial boundaries and provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges."

Proof of Publication attached.  
By Messrs. Priest and Andrews of Madison—  
House Bill No. 1332:

A bill to be entitled An Act to organize and establish a County Court in and for Madison County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof; to provide for the appointment of a prosecuting attorney for said court, and prescribing the fees and the salaries of the Judge and the Prosecuting Attorney of the said court, and to provide for the transfer of causes from other courts.

Proof of Publication attached.  
By Messrs. Priest and Andrews of Madison—  
House Bill No. 1333:

A bill to be entitled An Act to fix and prescribe the trial jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace in Madison County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,  
BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1331, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Price moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1331 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1331 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Price moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1331 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. 1331 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1331 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1331 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1332, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Horne moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1332 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1332 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Horne moved that the ruled be further waived and House Bill No. 1332 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. 1332 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1332 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1332 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1333, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Horne moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1333 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1333 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Horne moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1333 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. 1333 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1333 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1333 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 21, 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. Rivers of Clay—  
House Bill No. 1337:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Clay County, Florida, to levy a special tax of not to exceed two mills annually for hospitalization of indigent inhabitants of said county.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Butt of Brevard—  
House Bill No. 1340:

A bill to be entitled An Act to legalize, confirm, ratify and validate the proceedings, acts and transactions of the City of Rockledge, Florida, and its officers and the City Council thereof.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Butt of Brevard—  
House Bill No. 1341:

A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a wild bird reservation and sanctuary in Brevard County, Florida; to fix the boundaries of said reservation; to provide for the maintenance

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of the same; to prohibit the hunting, chasing molesting and killing of all birds within such sanctuary; to protect bird eggs and bird nests therein; and to prescribe a penalty for violation of this Act.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1337, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Smith moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1337 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1337 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Smith moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1337 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. 1337 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1337 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1337 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1340, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Housholder moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1340 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1340 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Housholder moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1340 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. 1340 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1340 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1340 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1341, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Housholder moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1341 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1341 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Housholder moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1341 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. 1341 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1341 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1341 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Papy of Monroe—

House Bill No. 1342:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 1, 4 and 23 of Chapter 16598, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1933, entitled: "An Act creating and establishing a special district in Monroe County, Florida, to be known as "Overseas Road and Toll Bridge District", defining the territory included therein; providing for its government and administration and for the appointment of a Board of Commissioners therefor, defining the purposes and powers of said district; defining the powers, duties, privileges and liabilities of the Board of Commissioners thereof; authorizing the establishment of rules and regulations and providing penalties for the violation thereof; authorizing the establishment, construction, maintenance and operation of toll bridges and toll highways therein to complete a highway extending from Miami to Key West via Key Largo; authorizing said district to borrow money and issue evidences of indebtedness; providing for the repayment of such borrowed moneys and the interest thereon out of tolls and charges for the use of said toll bridges and toll highways; providing for the validating of said evidences of indebtedness; conferring the right of eminent domain on said district; granting to said district a right of way over any lands, waters or submerged lands belonging to the State of Florida in said district; authorizing the doing of all other Acts and things necessary, incident and proper in furtherance of the purposes and objects aforesaid, including the levy of an annual ad valorem tax for the maintenance, repair, and operation of said toll bridges and toll highways, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith;" to provide for enlarging the boundaries of the Overseas Road and Toll Bridge District to include the following additional territory in Monroe County, Florida: Township 64 south, range 37, east; township 63, south, range 37, east; township 63, south, range 38, east; township 62, south, range 38, east; township 62, south, range 39, east; township 61, south, range 39, east; township 61, south, range 40, east; section 31 of township 60, south, range 40, east; sections 36, 25, 26, 27, 22, 15 and 16 of township 60, south, range 39 east; and authorizing the Board of Commissioners of the Overseas Road and Toll Bridge District to establish, construct, maintain and operate within said district as enlarged, additional toll bridges and toll highways to those already constructed within said district; such additional bridges and sections of said highway to form a part of the overseas highway (State Road 4-A); and authorizing the district to borrow the money for such new construction and to issue evidences of indebtedness therefor, such monies and the interest thereon to be repaid out of the tolls and charges for the use of said additional toll bridges and sections of highway, or other revenues of said district, and providing for the validation of said evidences of indebtedness, and authorizing the refunding of the existing indebtedness of the district as a part of the financing of such new construction; granting to said district a right of way over any lands, waters, or submerged lands belonging to the State of Florida, including those belonging to the State Road Department lying within said district; authorizing the doing of all other acts and things necessary, incident or proper in the furtherance of the purposes or objects aforesaid; and providing that the district shall have the same powers in the establishment, construction, maintenance and operation of such additional bridges and sections of highway as were conferred upon it by said Chapter 16598 and exercised by said district in the construction of the existing toll bridges and toll highways; and authorizing said district to lease or sell the existing toll bridges or toll

highways and any additional toll bridges and sections of toll highways constructed by virtue of such special legislation to the State Road Department.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1342, 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. 1343:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the Town of Hallandale, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Hallandale, Broward County, Florida, to define its territorial boundaries, which boundaries will be identical with the boundaries of the existing municipality; to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises, immunities, privileges and means for exercising the same; confirming its title to all city property and validating all taxes, assessments and levies heretofore made; and prescribing the general powers to be exercised by said city.

By Mr. Lewis of Gulf—

House Bill No. 1344:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the County Commissioners of Gulf County to pay the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars to the City of Port St. Joe for the use of the Municipal Hospital Building Fund.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1343 and 1344, contained in the above message, were read the first time by titles 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Carroll of Osceola—

House Bill No. 1354:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the validation and confirmation of all assessment and assessment rolls of the City of St. Cloud, Osceola County, Florida, for the years 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Acosta of Duval—

House Bill No. 1355:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 5 and 6 of Chapter 18610, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, as amended by Sections 4 and 5, of Chapter 19902, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, entitled "An Act providing for pensions for employees of the City of Jacksonville."

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. McCarty, of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 1356:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Fort Pierce Port

District in St. Lucie County, Florida; to levy, impose and collect an Occupational Tax upon all persons, firms and corporations licensed by the Board of Commissioners of the said Fort Pierce Port District to act as stevedores who are engaged in stevedoring; providing for the distribution of the funds derived from said license tax; defining stevedores within the meaning of this Act; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1354, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1354 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1354 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1354 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. 1354 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1354 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1354 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1355, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

And House Bill No. 1356, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1356 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1356 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1356 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. 1356 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1356 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1356 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. McCarty, of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 1357:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering

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the City of Fort Pierce, a municipal corporation, in St. Lucie County, Florida, to issue and sell its revenue certificates payable solely from the net revenues of the light and water plant of said city for the purpose of retiring bonds of said city, the principal and/or interest of which have been paid in whole or in part from the net revenues of said light and water plant, and authorizing the sale of said revenue certificates at public or private sale.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. McCarty, of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 1358:

A bill to be entitled An Act rectifying, ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing the assessments, valuations of properties levies of taxes, tax certificates and tax sales made by the City of Fort Pierce, St. Lucie County, Florida, for the year 1940 and all prior years and authorizing the collection of said taxes in the manner provided by law.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. McCarty, of St. Lucie—

House Bill No. 1359:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for services performed in suits or proceedings in law and in chancery before the Circuit Court of St. Lucie County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1357, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1357 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1357 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1357 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. 1357 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1357 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1357 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1358, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1358 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1358 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1358 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. 1358 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1358 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1358 passed, title as stated, and the action

of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1359, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1359 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1359 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1359 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. 1359 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1359 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1359 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 21, 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. McCarty, of St. Lucie—  
House Bill No. 1360:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and legalize in the purchaser, or purchasers, and their successors and assigns in title, the title of all property acquired at any Master's Sale through foreclosure or delinquent city taxes, or special assessments or improvement liens, by the City of Fort Pierce, Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 15,038, Acts of 1931, Laws of Florida, or any acts amendatory thereto.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. McCarty, of St. Lucie—  
House Bill No. 1361:

A bill to be entitled An Act rectifying, curing and legalizing any irregularities or omissions pertaining to the making and filing or recording of lists of tax certificates and/or lists of all lands sold by the City of Fort Pierce with the authorized city agency and with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of St. Lucie County, Florida, for the year 1939 and all years prior thereto.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. McCarty of St. Lucie—  
House Bill No. 1364:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend House Bill No. 1251, the same being the Charter of the City of Fort Pierce, as adopted by the Legislature of the State of Florida in its 1941 session: The same being An Act entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Fort Pierce in the County of St. Lucie, Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known as City of Fort Pierce and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdictional powers and privileges" by amending Section 8 thereof relating to creation of City Commission and by amending Section 125 thereof relating to the date upon which municipal elections shall be held and the terms of office of commissioners, and mayor-commissioner; providing for the repeal of all laws in conflict herewith and providing that this Act shall not become effective until submitted to the qualified electors of the City of Fort Pierce in a referendum election held for that purpose.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,  
BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1360, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1360 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1360 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1360 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. 1360 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1360 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1360 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1361, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1361 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1361 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1361 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. 1361 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1361 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1361 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1364, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1364 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1364 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1364 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. 1364 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1364 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1364 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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 Messrs Morrow and Beck of Palm Beach—  
House Bill No. 1365:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 18 of Chapter 20,042, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, entitled "An Act creating and establishing the Palm Beaches water district in Palm Beach County, and providing for the government and management thereof; prescribing and fixing the territorial limits, jurisdictions, powers and duties of said district and of its officers; authorizing such district to acquire by purchase or by condemnation, to construct or partly construct, to acquire or partly acquire, to improve, extend, enlarge, reconstruct, own, equip, operate and maintain water works systems, either inside or outside or partly inside or partly outside of the territorial limits of such district; authorizing the issuance of water revenue bonds, certificates or other obligations of such district, payable solely from water revenues to pay the cost of such systems, expenses and charges incidental thereto, and the establishing and creating of a limited fund sufficient to assure the continued maintenance and operation of such systems; providing that no debt of the district or of any municipality therein or of Palm Beach County shall be incurred in the exercise of any of the powers granted by this Act; and denying the power of taxation in any respect for the payment of such bonds, certificates or other obligations or interest thereon or for the payment of the cost of maintaining, repairing and operating such systems and the establishment and creation of a limited fund sufficient to assure the continued maintenance and operation of such systems; providing for the collection of rates and charges for water furnished by said systems for the payment of principal and interest of such bonds, certificates or other obligations and for the cost of maintaining, repairing and operating such systems, and for the establishment and creation of a limited fund sufficient to assure the continued maintenance and operation of such systems; providing for the execution of a trust indenture to secure the payment of such bonds, certificates or other obligations without mortgaging or encumbering such systems; granting rights and powers, including the right of eminent domain and the right to borrow funds for temporary use, to the district; authorizing the issuance of water revenue refunding bonds, certificates or other obligations; providing for payments to the City of West Palm Beach and Town of Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida in lieu of taxes; and to provide for a referendum." So as to extend the time in which to hold a referendum election for an additional period of two years.

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—  
House Bill No. 1371:

A bill to be entitled An Act to validate all tax assessment rolls of the City of Key West, Florida, and the levies of taxes of said city and the sale by said City of Key West, Florida, of lands for nonpayment of taxes to said city.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,  
BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1365, contained in the above message was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

And House Bill No. 1371, contained in the above message was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ward moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1371 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1371 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ward moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1371 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. 1371 was read the third time in full. Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1371 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler,

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Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1371 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Papy of Monroe—

House Bill No. 1372:

A bill to be entitled An Act approving, confirming and validating all compromises, adjustments, abatements and rebates heretofore effected, made and allowed by the City Council of the City of Key West and/or by the tax adjustment committee of said city and/or by the officers of said city in the collection of taxes on real and personal property and/or special improvement assessments for street paving and/or sidewalk; provided that this Act shall take effect immediately upon passage and approval of the Governor or upon its becoming a law without such approval.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Rivers of Clay—

House Bill No. 1377:

A bill to be entitled An Act defining the time when registration books for primary and general elections in Clay County shall be kept open in the office of the Supervisor of Registration, and in the various precincts of said County, and prescribing the duties and compensation of the Supervisor in connection therewith.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Messrs. Potter of Marion, Rogers of Marion, Versaggi and Turner of St. Johns, Cook of Flagler, Littlefield and Gillespie of Volusia, Dowda and Middleton of Putnam, Smith of Citrus, Johnson and Thomas of Lake, and Williams of Hernando—

House Bill No. 934:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for nominations for appointments to the offices of assistant state attorneys by a political party in a primary election, in all circuits of the State of Florida now or hereafter having not less than four, nor more than five counties composing such circuit, and now or hereafter having one assistant state attorney, and having a population of at least 80,000, according to the last State or Federal census; and providing for the qualifying of candidates therefor.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1372, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ward moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1372 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1372 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ward moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1372 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. 1372 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1372 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1372 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1377, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Smith moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1377 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1377 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Smith moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1377 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. 1377 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1377 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1377 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 934, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator McKenzie moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 934 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 934 was read the second time by title only.

Senator McKenzie moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 934 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. 934 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 934 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 934 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 unanimous consent Senator McKenzie withdrew Senate Bill No. 455.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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. 1180:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Salaries of Judges of the Circuit Court residing in a county having a population of more than thirty-nine thousand according to the latest State or Federal Census and in a Circuit composed of two counties, and providing for a portion of such salaries to be paid from the General Revenue of such counties.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1180, 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Shivers of Washington—  
House Bill No. 1056:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the State Road Department shall take over the construction, maintenance, supervision and control of all county graded and drained roads in Washington County, Florida, now under the jurisdiction of the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County and the bond trustees of Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 of said county; providing that all second gas tax funds now or hereafter accruing to the State Road Department and to said county or the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County for the use on State or other public roads therein shall be used solely by the State Road Department for the construction and maintenance of State roads within Washington County, and also for the construction and maintenance of county graded and drained roads in Washington County now under the jurisdiction of the County Commissioners of Washington County and the bond trustees of Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 of said county; providing that the State Road Department shall take over all able-bodied male convicts of Washington County and all road machinery and equipment and road supplies of Washington County and Special Road and Bridge District No. 1 of said county; and providing that all officials handling said road funds shall make the same available immediately upon their accrual to the State Road Department.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Dunham of DeSoto (By request and petition)—  
House Bill No. 1210:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting and making it unlawful for horses, asses, mules, swine, sheep and goats to run or roam at large within DeSoto County, Florida; providing for impounding of live stock found running or roaming at large in violation of this Act; providing impounding fees and for the collection thereof; providing for the sale or other disposition of impounded live stock, making it a misdemeanor to allow such live stock to run or roam at large in violation of this Act; and providing a referendum on said Act.

By Mr. Acosta of Duval—  
House Bill No. 1353:

A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting anyone now or hereafter receiving a pension, except veterans pension, from City of Jacksonville, Florida, Duval County, School Board or any other Board, also from any branch of National or State Government, from being appointed, elected or holding any position in any other branches of these different parts of government in Duval County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 1056, 1210 and 1353, contained in the above message, were read the first time by titles 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, Florida,  
May 21, 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. Chavous of Dixie:  
House Bill No. 1216:

A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Dixie County, Florida, and providing that the same shall be paid from the General Fund and Road Fund of Dixie County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Mr. Allen of Levy—  
House Bill No. 1232:

A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the election by the qualified voters of the City of Williston of its City Clerk, and City Marshal and making this Act effective upon approval by the qualified electors of said city.

By Mr. McCarty, of St. Lucie—  
House Bill No. 1249:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, empowering and directing the State Treasurer to cancel certain bonds which were taken for taxes pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 15054, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931.

Proof of Publication attached.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,  
Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1216, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on County Organizations.

And House Bill No. 1232, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

And House Bill No. 1249, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No 1249 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1249 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1249 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. 1249 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1249 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1249 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 Kanner moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider House Bill No. 1169, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 1169:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 9540, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, being "An Act to make it unlawful for livestock to run or roam at large in the following part of Okeechobee County, Florida: Township 37 and fractional Township 38 of Range 35 and fractional Township 37 of Ranges 33 and 34 and fractional Township 38 of Range 34; to provide for the sale of such livestock so running at large; to provide a penalty for the violation of this Act, and providing that persons damaged by such stock running at large may recover damages therefor together with reasonable attorney's fee from the owner of such livestock."

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Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1169 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1169 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kanner moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1169 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. 1169 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1169 the roll was called and the vote was:

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

Nays—Senators Maines, Perdue—2.

So House Bill No. 1169 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 Housholder moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider House Bill No. 812, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 812:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the licensing and regulation of the business of making loans in all counties in the State of Florida now having or hereafter having a population of not less than 16,110 and not more than 16,185, according to the last Federal Census in sums of three hundred (\$300.00) dollars or less, secured or unsecured, at a greater rate of interest than ten per centum (10%) per annum, as provided and authorized by Chapter 10117, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925

Was taken up.

Senator Housholder moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 812 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 812 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Housholder moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 812 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. 812 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 812 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 812 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 Shands moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider House Bill No. 1113, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 1113:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Gilchrist County, Florida, and the Board of Public Instruction of Gilchrist County, Florida, to publish monthly statements of their proceedings including itemized statements of receipts and disbursements of all moneys received and distributed, in a newspaper published in Gilchrist County, Florida, and provide for the cost of said publication and provide penalty for the violation hereof.

Was taken up.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1113 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1113 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1113 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. 1113 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1113 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1113 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 Cliett moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider House Bill No. 820, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 820:

A bill to be entitled "An Act ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing the tax assessments and levies of taxes made by the governing authority of the City of Arcadia, DeSoto County, Florida, for the years 1939 and 1940, and authorizing the collection of said taxes in the manner provided by law."

Was taken up.

Senator Cliett moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 820 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 820 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Cliett moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 820 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. 820 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 820 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 820 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 Cliett moved that House Bill No. 757 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 757 was indefinitely postponed, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Shands moved that House Bills Nos. 1116 and 1118 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to and House Bills Nos. 1116 and 1118 were indefinitely postponed, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,  
May 21, 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 (with amendment):

By Senator Kelly—  
Senate Bill No. 499:

A bill to be entitled An Act to protect and regulate the hunting of deer in Nassau County, Florida.

Proof of Publication attached.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 4, of the bill strike out the words, and figures "1st" and insert the following in lieu thereof: "15."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BEN H. FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 499, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Kelly moved that the Senate do concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 499.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 499.

And Senate Bill No. 499, as amended, was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Collins moved that House Bill No. 167 be recalled from the Committee on Game and Fisheries and placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

VETO MESSAGES

Senate Bill No. 1093 (1939 Session):

"A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing certain roads in Bradford County, Florida, as State roads."

Was taken up in its order and read by title, together with the following objections thereto of the Honorable Fred P. Cone, former Governor of Florida:

June 9, 1939.

Honorable R. A. Gray, Secretary of State, Tallahassee, Florida.

Dear Mr. Gray:

Pursuant to authority vested in me as Governor of Florida under the provisions of Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of this State, I transmit to you with my objections thereto, Senate Bill No. 1093, entitled:

"A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing certain roads in Bradford County, Florida, as State roads."

This bill seeks to designate thirty-three roads in one county as State roads without regard to expense to the State Road Department, or the feasibility of the need of the roads, whether the roads are desired or whether they are useful to the people of the County, to commerce or to the traveling public.

The roads designated are so indefinite that no person knows whether they are needed or will ever be needed for years to come, in fact, it would be impossible for the State Road Department to build or construct these roads and after they are constructed there would never be enough gas tax money in Florida to keep them in repair, much less build bridges over the streams and waterways in order to haul commerce and accommodate traffic.

If we are ever to have roads in Florida, we must have an orderly system of building, according to specifications by qualified engineers and not only the roads but the bridges must be constructed so as to withstand traffic.

A road system of this kind should not be started until a general plan of building, according to the needs of each county in Florida, has been made, then it should be placed in one bill, so that each county could get its fair share of roads designated and an equal amount of the gas taxes for building of such roads necessary for the convenience of the public, commerce and the people in the section through which these roads pass.

The number of roads mentioned in this bill will hardly be useful to the county, its people or to the traveling public, therefore, I veto House Bill No. 1093, as passed by the Legislature of 1939.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) FRED P. CONE,

Governor.

The presiding officer put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding?"

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

Yeas—None.

Nays—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Housholder, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—32

So Senate Bill No. 1093 (1939 Session) failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

House Bill No. 531 (1939 Session):

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Otis M. Cobb, former County Judge of Indian River County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order and read by title, together with the following objections thereto of the Honorable Fred P. Cone, former Governor of Florida:

State of Florida EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT Tallahassee

June 9th, 1939.

Honorable R. A. Gray, Secretary of State, Tallahassee, Florida.

Dear Mr. Gray:

Pursuant to authority vested in me as Governor of Florida under the provisions of Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of this State, I transmit to you with my objections thereto, House Bill No. 531, entitled:

"An Act for the relief of Otis M. Cobb, former County Judge of Indian River County, Florida."

The bill shows upon its face that Otis M. Cobb was removed from office by Governor Sholtz and the removal sustained by the Senate.

The bill seeks the payment to Otis M. Cobb the sum of \$3146.28 because the Grand Jury of Indian River County failed to indict him. The State is not liable for this claim under the laws and Constitution under what is known as the removal clause. Mr. Cobb may have other remedies to get the money but not through the State of Florida, therefore, I veto House Bill No. 531.

Respectfully,

FRED P. CONE, Governor.

The presiding officer put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding?"

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

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—32.

Nays—Senators Clarke, Folks, Maines, Price—4.

So House Bill No. 531 (1939 Session) passed by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members present, the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 876—(1939 Session):

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. E. Madigan.

Was taken up in its order and read by title, together with the following objections thereto of the Honorable Fred P. Cone, former Governor of Florida:

State of Florida EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT Tallahassee

June 9th, 1939.

Honorable R. A. Gray, Secretary of State, Tallahassee, Florida.

Dear Mr. Gray:

Pursuant to authority vested in me as Governor of Florida under the provisions of Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of this State, I transmit to you with my objections thereto, House Bill No. 876, entitled:

"An Act for the relief of J. E. Madigan. To reimburse him expense of doctor and hospital on account of an auto accident suffered on June 30th, 1933, while in the performance of duty as traveling auditor for the State Comptroller."

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injured. The said J. E. Madigan was on the State payroll at the time of the alleged injury and the eight weeks he was in the hospital he received his monthly salary of \$175.00 and did no service for the State.

This claimant is still on the State payroll and it seems he has been well paid in spite of the alleged injury, therefore, I veto House Bill No. 876, as passed by the 1939 session of the Legislature.

Respectfully,

FRED P. CONE,  
Governor

The presiding officer put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding?"

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

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—32.

Nays—Senator Maines—1.

So House Bill No. 876 (1939 Session) passed by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members present, the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Smith moved that House Bill No. 254 (1939 Session), together with the Governor's objections thereto, be recommended to the Committee on Executive Communications.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

House Bill No. 1088 (1939 Session):

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. Min Ayers, for his necessary and actual financial losses sustained by him without any fault on his part and by virtue of being held up and robbed of his personal property by two escaped convicts.

Was taken up in its order and read by title, together with the following objections thereto of the Honorable Fred P. Cone, former Governor of Florida:

State of Florida  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
Tallahassee

June 9th, 1939.

Honorable R. A. Gray,  
Secretary of State,  
Tallahassee, Florida.

Dear Mr. Gray:

Pursuant to authority vested in me as Governor of Florida under the provisions of Section 28, Article III of the Constitution of this State, I transmit to you with my objections thereto, House Bill No. 1088, entitled:

"An Act for the relief of J. Min Ayers for his necessary and actual financial losses sustained by him without any fault on his part and by virtue of being held up and robbed of his personal property by two escaped State convicts."

The State is not liable for acts of escaped convicts not under the supervision and charge of the State and no negligence can be charged to it.

If the State was responsible for this claim it would be all right for the State to pay claims for all convicts who have escaped and committed crimes when not under the protection of the State. There is no liability on the part of the State and I, therefore, veto said House Bill No. 1088, passed by the 1939 Legislature.

Respectfully submitted,  
FRED P. CONE,  
Governor.

The presiding officer put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding?"

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

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilson—31.

Nays—Senators Folks, Maines, Rose, Shepherd, Ward—5.

So House Bill No. 1088 (1939 Session) passed by the re-

quired Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members present, the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The hour of adjournment having arrived a point of order was called and the Senate took a recess at 1:01 o'clock P. M. until 2:30 o'clock P. M., this day.

### AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 2:30 o'clock P. M. pursuant to recess order.

Senator Dye, President Pro Tempore, presiding.

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

Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

A quorum present.

The following Report of Committees were received:

Senator Maddox, Chairman of the Committee on Executive Communications, submitted the following report:

Senate Chamber,  
Tallahassee, Fla., May 22, 1941.

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

Your Committee on Executive Communications, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 254—(1939 Session):

A bill to be entitled "An Act for the relief of Mary V. Cherry, widow, Clay County, Florida, and making an appropriation therefor, as compensation for the loss of her husband, T. S. Cherry, who, as sheriff of Clay County, Florida, was killed while performing services in the line of duty."

Have had the same under consideration, and recommend that the Senate do not sustain the Governor's veto on said bill.

THOS. S. MADDOX,  
Chairman.

And House Bill No. 254, (1939 Session), contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading.

### SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING

Senate Bills Nos. 247, 216, 267, 646 and 97, were taken up in their order, pending roll call, and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 535:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 43 of Chapter 19554, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, being An Act entitled, "An Act relating to criminal procedure; to the issuing of warrants and capiases and the execution thereof; to preliminary examinations and bail; to methods of prosecution; to the selection and duties of the grand jury; to indictments and informations and process thereon; to arraignment, motions and pleas; to jurisdiction and venue; to change of judges and removal of causes; to trial by jury and waiver of trial; to presence of the defendant; to dismissal of prosecution and continuance; to proceedings to determine mental condition of defendant; to conduct of trial and jury; to motions for a new trial and in arrest of judgment; to judgment, sentence and execution; to provide for the use of evidence at a former trial; to appeal; to revise, re-enact and consolidate the law relating to criminal procedure, to powers and duties of administrative, judicial and prosecuting officers, to capital punishment, to repeal certain laws and all other laws and part of laws in conflict herewith and prescribing a penalty for any officer or other person violating the provisions of this Act."

Was taken up in its order, pending roll call, having been read the third time in full on May 20, 1941.

By unanimous consent Senator Beall offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 535:

Add a Section. Section A. If any Section or provision of this Chapter be void or unconstitutional, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect or invalidate the remaining Sections or provisions of this Chapter; and it is hereby declared and enacted that each Section and provision of this Chapter is independent.

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

By unanimous consent Senator Whitaker offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 535:

In Section 1, at the end of Section 1, add the following: "Provided, however, the provisions of this Act shall not apply to any county having a population of not less than one hundred thousand nor more than two hundred thousand according to the last Federal Census, nor shall it apply to any county having a population according to said last Federal Census of 267,000 or over.

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

Pending consideration of Senate Bill No. 535, as amended, Senator Ward moved that the further consideration thereof be informally passed.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senate Bill No. 482 was taken up in its order, pending roll call, and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 406 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

Senate Bills Nos. 62 and 181 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 416:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the practice of Osteopathic Medicine in the State of Florida; providing for the annual renewal of licenses with the State Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners; providing for the conditions upon which renewal of licenses shall be issued and requirements prerequisite to the granting of such renewal licenses; providing for notice to be given licensees under said Board of the provisions and requirements of this Act; providing for the suspension of licenses to practice Osteopathic medicine for the failure of any person to comply with the provisions of this Act and to prescribe requirements for the restoration of licenses; providing for compensation and expenses of members of said Board and the officers thereof; providing for the disposition of the surplus of such renewal and restoration fees and limiting expenditures; specifically repealing Chapter 19066, Laws of Florida 1939, which is an Act to require all persons licensed to practice Osteopathic Medicine in the State of Florida to renew annually their licenses with the State Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners; providing requirements for issuance, notice, forfeiture for failure to comply therewith and restoration of licenses, and repeal all other laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Price moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 416 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 416 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Price moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 416 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. 416 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 416 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Horne, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—30.

Nays—Senator Shepherd—1.

So Senate Bill No. 416 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. 300:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 62 of Chapter 13644, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, being "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 Act of Congress of February 18, 1929: and repealing certain existing laws and statutes: and defining certain terms used therein." in the following particulars specifying that the license fee required by persons operating hunting and fishing boats for hire shall be an annual fee changing the amount of such fee for certain boats: requiring only one license tag for each such boat; providing for the State Game Commission to furnish such license tags: and providing that any subterfuge to evade the requirements of the Section shall be deemed a violation thereof and shall be punishable as a violation thereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Cooley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 300 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 300 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Cooley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 300 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. 300 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 300 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker—27

Nays—Senator Ward—1.

So Senate Bill No. 300 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 368:

A bill to be entitled An Act requiring all persons having on hand prior to the commencement of the applicable closed season any fish, crabs, shrimp, crayfish or other shell fish to make and file a sworn statement of the quantity and places of storage of such frozen stock with the State Board of Conservation, and regulating the commercial handling and sale of such frozen stock during their applicable respective closed seasons and providing a punishment for failure to comply with said regulations.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator McKenzie moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 368 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 368 was read the second time by title only.

Senator McKenzie moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No 368 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. 368 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 368 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Hinely, Housholder, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—31.

Nays—Senator Johnson—1.

So Senate Bill No. 368 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. 412, 470 and 346 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

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Senate Bill No. 353:

A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 19437 of the Acts of 1939 Florida Legislature, being An Act forbidding the sale of Intoxicating Liquors, other than malt beverages of alcoholic content, by the drink, except within the building which is the address of the person or corporation holding a license to sell such intoxicating liquors, and forbidding the practice known as curb or drive-in service with respect to such intoxicating liquors; forbidding the consumption thereof at curb or drive-in stands except within the building which is the address of the person, firm or corporation holding a license for the sale of such intoxicating liquor and providing penalties for the violation hereof

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 353 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 353 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 353 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. 353 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 353 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Gideons, Hinely, Horne, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, Lewis, Lindler, Price, Whitaker—16.

Nays—Senators Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Graham, Housholder, King, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward—19.

So Senate Bill No. 353 failed to pass.

Senate Bill No. 523:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to access to safety deposit boxes rented or leased in two or more names.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 523 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 523 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 523 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. 523 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 523 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Beall, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker—30.

Nays—Senator Adams (25th)—1.

So Senate Bill No. 523 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. 328:

A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 144 of the Revised General Statutes of Florida, 1920, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 8529, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1921, being Section 174 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida, relating to the security to be given by banks for the deposit of State moneys; to provide that the State Treasurer shall be authorized to accept safekeeping receipts of certain banks in lieu of the securities being actually deposited with the State Treasurer; to provide the requirements and form of the safekeeping receipts; and to repeal all laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 328 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 328 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Banking and Building and Loans offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 328:

In Section 1, line 16, (typed bill), after the word "America" strike out the period and insert a semi-colon therefor, and add the following: Provided the member bank or bank incorporated under the laws of the United States of America shall have been previously approved and accepted for such purposes by the Governor, Comptroller, and Treasurer.

Senator Shands moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 328, 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. 328, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 328, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, Lewis, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilson—32.

Nays—Senator Adams (25th)—1.

So Senate Bill No. 328, passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 331:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Mrs. Clara Nightengale, of Apalachicola, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shuler moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 331 be read the second time by its title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 331 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 331:

In Section 1, lines 1 and 2 strike out the words "Sixteen Hundred (\$1600.00) Dollars" and insert the following: "One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars."

Senator Shuler 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 331:

In Section 2, line 3 strike out the words "Sixteen Hundred (\$1600.00) Dollars" and insert the following: "One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars".

Senator Shuler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Shuler moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 331, 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. 331, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 331, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Graham, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, Lewis, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilson—28.

Nays—Senators Folks, Maines—2.

So Senate Bill No. 331 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.

Senator Price moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 416 passed the Senate this day.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 416 passed the Senate this day.

By unanimous consent Senator Price withdrew Senate Bill No. 416.

Senator Price moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider House Bill No. 923, out of its order, at this time

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

House Bill No. 923:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the practice of Osteopathic Medicine in the State of Florida; providing for the annual renewal of licenses with the State Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners; providing for the conditions upon which renewal of licenses shall be issued and requirements prerequisite to the granting of such renewal licenses; providing for notice to be given licensees under said Board of the provisions and requirements of this Act; providing for the suspension of licenses to practice Osteopathic Medicine for the failure of any person to comply with the provisions of this Act and to prescribe requirements for the restoration of licenses; providing for compensation and expenses of members of said Board and the officers thereof; providing for the disposition of the surplus of such renewal and restoration fees and limiting expenditures: specifically repealing Chapter 19066, Laws of Florida 1939, which is an Act to require all persons licensed to practice Osteopathic Medicine in the State of Florida to renew annually their licenses with the State Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners; providing requirements for issuance, notice, forfeiture for failure to comply therewith and restoration of licenses, and repeal all other laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up.

Senator Price moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 923 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 923 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Price moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 923 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. 923 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 923 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke Cliett, Collins, Drummond, Dye, Graham, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, Lewis, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilson—27.

Nays—Senator Shepherd—1.

So House Bill No. 923 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. 170:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Gus Cheshire of Jacksonville, Duval County Florida, and providing an appropriation for injuries and damages sustained by him by reason of an accident with a truck belonging to and being operated by the State Road Department, and providing for the payment of same.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 170 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 170 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 170:

In Section 1, lines 1 and 2, strike out the words: "Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars," and insert the following: "Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars"

Senator Butler 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. 170:

In Section 2, line 4, strike out the words "Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars", and insert the following: "Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars"

Senator Butler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Butler moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 170, 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. 170, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 170, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Maddox, McKenzie, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilson—27.

Nays—Senators Clarke, Folks, Maines, Perdue, Shepherd—5.

So Senate Bill No. 170, 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 Bills Nos. 76 and 11 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senate Bill No. 358:

A bill to be entitled An Act to grant a pension to Mrs Etta Eubanks Revell, of Bristol, Liberty County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shuler moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 358 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 358 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shuler moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 358 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. 358 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 358 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker—28.

Nays—Senators Folks, Shepherd—2.

So Senate Bill No. 358 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. 142:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to E. R. Simmons of Alachua County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 142 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 142 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 142 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. 142 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 142 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Maddox, McKenzie, Price, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilson—25.

Nays—Senators Dye, Maines, Perdue, Rose—4.

So Senate Bill No. 142 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. 393:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Lizzie Johnson, widow of J. W. Johnson, deceased, of Escambia County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 393 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 393 was read the second time by title only.

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Senator Beall offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 393:

In Section 1, line 4, after the word "manner" insert "and in the same amount."

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

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 393, 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. 393, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 393, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Maddox, Maines, McKenzie, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Taylor, Whitaker—25.

Nays—None  
So Senate Bill No. 393 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Senate Bill No. 436:  
A bill to be entitled An Act to increase the teachers' pension now being paid Miss Julia E. Harn, under Chapter 17,151, Laws of Florida, Act of 1935, from Forty (\$40.00) Dollars per month to Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per month.

Was taken up in its order. Senator Folks moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 436 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote. And Senate Bill No. 436 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Folks moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 436 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. 436 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 436 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Dye, Folks, Graham, Hinely, Kanner, Kelly, King, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—24.

Nays—Senators Clarke, Drummond, Johnson, Lewis, Maddox, Maines—6.

So Senate Bill No. 436 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. 471:  
A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the heirs of Eugene Hickey, deceased, of Clay County, Florida and making an appropriation therefor as compensation for the loss of their father the said Eugene Hickey who was killed while employed by the State Road Department.

Was taken up in its order. Senator Smith moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 471 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote. And Senate Bill No. 471 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 471:

In Section 1, lines 3 and 4, strike out the words "Two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00)", and insert the following: "Two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00)."

Senator Smith 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. 471:

In Section 2, lines 1 and 2, strike out the words "Two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00)", and insert the following: "Two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00)."

Senator Smith 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. 471:

In Section 3, lines 2 and 3, strike out the words "Two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00)", and insert the following: "Two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00)".

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

Senator Smith moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 471, 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. 471, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 471, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shepherd, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—31.

Nays—Senator Clarke—1.  
So Senate Bill No. 471 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. 422:  
A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Elego Vasiliou Johns

Was taken up in its order. Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 422 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote. And Senate Bill No. 422 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 422:

In Section 1, lines 1 and 2, strike out the words "Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars" and insert the following: "Three Thousand Five Hundred (\$3,500.00) Dollars."

Senator Taylor 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. 422:

In Section 2, line 3, strike out the words "Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars" and insert the following: "Three Thousands Five Hundred (\$3,500.00) Dollars".

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

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 422, 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. 422, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 422, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Cooley, Dye, Folks, Graham, Hinely, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker—26.

Nays—Senators Drummond, Maines, Shepherd—3.  
So Senate Bill No. 422 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. 423:  
A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Olga Andrea Christodoulou.

Was taken up in its order. Senator Taylor moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 423 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote. And Senate Bill No. 423 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 423:

In Section 1, lines 2 and 3, strike out the words: "Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars," and insert the following: "Three Thousand Five Hundred (\$3,500.00) Dollars."

Senator Taylor 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. 423:

In Section 11, lines 3 and 4, strike out the words: "Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars," and insert the following: "Three Thousand Five Hundred (\$3,500.00) Dollars."

Senator Taylor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Taylor moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 423, 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. 423, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 423, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Cooley, Dye, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Lindler, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilson—28.

Nays—Senators Drummond, Maines, Shepherd, Ward—4.

So Senate Bill No. 423 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.

Senator Hinely moved that the rules be waived and the Senate taken up and consider Senate Bill No. 382, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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.

Was taken up.

Senator Hinely moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 382 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 382 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Hinely moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 382 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. 382 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 382 the roll was called and the vote was:

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

Nays—Senator Maines—1.

So Senate Bill No. 382 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. 516:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of John C. Emerson in compensation for services rendered and in reimbursement of expenses incurred as State Director of Florida State Employment Service and to appropriate money to pay the same.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 516 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 516 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived

and Senate Bill No. 516 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. 516 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 516 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Beall, Butler, Clarke, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—31.

Nays—Senator Maines—1.

So Senate Bill No. 516 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. 306:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of M. H. Witmer, of Winter Haven, Florida, for damages to himself, his automobile, for injuries to Mrs. M. H. Witmer, growing out of an automobile accident on State Road No. 17 on or about June 25, 1940, and making an appropriation therefor.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 306 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 306 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 306:

In Section 1, line 1, strike out the figures "\$10,000.00", and insert the following: "\$2,500.00."

Senator King 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. 306:

Strike out Sections 2 and 3, and insert the following:

Section 2. That the Comptroller of the State of Florida is hereby authorized and required to draw his warrant on the Treasury of the State of Florida for the sum of \$2,500.00 in favor of M. H. Witmer, and the State Treasury is hereby authorized and required to pay the same out of funds of the State Road Department.

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 306, 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. 306, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 306, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Graham, Hinely, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Maddox, McKenzie, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—27.

Nays—Senators Lewis, Maines, Perdue—3.

So Senate Bill No. 306 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. 307:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Francis Cecil Buchanan and his wife, Marion Hunt Buchanan, and his childrer, Betty F. Buchanan, Francis Cecil Buchanan, Jr., and Jay Walton Buchanan.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 307 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 307 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 307:

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In Section 1, line 1, strike out the figures "\$10,000.00" and insert the following: "\$1,500.00."

Senator King 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. 307:

In Section 1, line 7, after the word "incurred," add the following, "which it is understood and agreed, if accepted, to be in full and complete satisfaction in."

Senator King 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. 307:

In Section 2, line 3, strike out the figures, "\$10 000.00" and insert the following: "\$1,500.00."

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

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 307, 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. 307, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 307, as amended the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Maddox, Perdue, Price, Rose, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—29.

Nays—Senators Lewis, Maines, Shepherd—3.

So Senate Bill No. 307 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.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up and consider Senate Bill No. 582, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

Senate Bill No. 582:

A bill to be entitled An Act for relief by making effective the intent and purpose of Chapter 14,851, Laws of Florida of 1931, by confirming and adopting the findings entered in the litigation in Circuit Court instituted by authority thereof and as certified by Circuit Judge hearings said matter, by directing and authorizing the State Road Department of Florida to pay and disburse the sum of \$4,130.50 as fixed and found thereby and by this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 582 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 582 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 582 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. 582 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 582 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, Butler, Cliett, Collins, Cooley, Drummond, Dye, Folks, Gideons, Graham, Hinely, Horne, Housholder, Johnson, Kanner, Kelly, King, Lewis, Maddox, McKenzie, Perdue, Price, Shands, Shuler, Smith, Taylor, Ward, Whitaker, Wilson—31.

Nays—Senators Maines, Shepherd—2.

So Senate Bill No. 582 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.

Senator Whitaker moved that the rules be waived and the hour of adjournment be extended fifteen (15) minutes.

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

By permission the following message from the Governor was received and read:

State of Florida  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT  
Tallahassee, May 21st, 1941

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

Sir:

Upon request of your Honorable Body, I am returning herewith Senate Bill No. 479.

Respectfully yours,  
SPESSARD L. HOLLAND,  
Governor.

Senator Lewis moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 479 passed the Senate on May 8, 1941.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Senate reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 479 passed the Senate on May 8, 1941.

The question recurred on the passage of Senate Bill No. 479. Pending roll call, Senator Lewis moved that Senate Bill No. 479 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to and Senate Bill No. 479 was indefinitely postponed.

By permission the following bills were introduced:

By Senator Beall—

Senate Bill No. 685:

A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the placing in the jury box the names contained on a jury list delivered to the Clerk of the Circuit Court and the duties of the said Clerk and the Sheriff relative thereto, and amending Section 2776 of the Revised General Statutes as amended by Chapter 12068 Acts of the Legislature of 1927.

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

By Senator Beall—

Senate Bill No. 686:

A bill to be entitled An Act regulating motions for new trial by amending Section 2810 Revised General Statutes (1920) same being Section 4497 C. G. L. (1927) and repealing Section 2811 Revised General Statutes (1920) same being Section 4498 C. G. L. (1927).

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

By Senator Collins—

Senate Bill No. 687:

A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that whenever any person would be held a resident of the State, except for the fact that he lives upon a military or naval reservation of the United States in this State, such person shall be deemed a resident in suits and actions in the State Courts; and to repeal all 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 Lindler—

Senate Bill No. 688:

A bill to be entitled An Act granting a pension to Mrs. S. F. Purdy, widow of John Henry Pennington, of Columbia County, Florida.

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

By Senators Beacham, Cliett, Beall and Folks—

Senate Bill No. 689:

A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of W. E. Eaton, and authorizing the State Road Department to pay the said W. E. Eaton for damages sustained by him on account of a State Road Department truck backing into his car.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 689 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA )  
COUNTY OF PALM BEACH )

On this day personally appeared before me the undersigned Notary Public in and for the State of Florida at large, one W. E. Eaton who after being duly sworn by me, deposes and says:

That on the 14th day of May A. D. 1939 he was proceeding west on State Highway No. 8, driving a brand new DeSoto Coupe with less than a thousand miles on it, when a State Road Department truck which had been in front of him, turned to the right, off the highway. I proceeded to pass the truck when without any warning, signal or other notice, the truck backed into my car damaging it to the extent of Three Hundred Ninety Six Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$396.30) as disclosed by the attached statement.

The accident occurred between 10:30 and 11:00 o'clock a. m. There was no sign on the highway near the scene of the accident to indicate that work was in progress.

W. E. EATON,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1941.

FRANCES R. CLEMENT,  
Notary Public State of Florida at large.  
My Commission expires June 10, 1944.  
(Notary Seal).

And Senate Bill No. 689 was referred to the Committee on Pensions and Claims.

By Senator Lewis—  
Senate Bill No. 690:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 19901 of the Laws of Florida of 1939, which is An Act creating a Jackson County Hospital District and a Jackson County Hospital Corporation and provides for the establishment and operation of a public hospital at Marianna in Jackson County, by providing who may practice medicine and surgery and other healing arts in said hospital.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 690 when it was introduced in the Senate:

THE JACKSON COUNTY FLORIDAN  
Published Weekly  
MARIANNA, FLORIDA

STATE OF FLORIDA )  
COUNTY OF JACKSON )

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared John C. Winslett, who on oath says that he is Editor and Manager of the Jackson County Floridan, a weekly newspaper published at Marianna in Jackson County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Notice to Apply for Local Law in the matter of Jackson County Hospital Corp., was published in said newspaper in the issues of April 11, 1941.

Affiant further says that the said Jackson County Floridan is a newspaper published at Marianna, in said Jackson County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Jackson County, Florida, each week and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Marianna, in said 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.

JOHN C. WINSLETT,

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 16th day of May, A. D. 1941.

J. CHARLES CORCORAN,

Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

My commission expires May 15, 1943.  
(Seal)

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given of the intention of the undersigned to apply to the 1941 Session of the Florida Legislature for the enactment into law of a bill to amend Chapter 19901 of the Laws of Florida of 1939, which is An Act creating a Jackson County Hospital District and Jackson County Hospital Corporation and providing for the establishment and operation of a public hospital at Marianna in Jackson County, Florida, such amendment to provide that no person shall be permitted to practice medicine or surgery or any of the healing arts in said hospital except physicians and surgeons duly licensed to practice by the State Board of Examiners.

This April 11, 1941.

JACKSON COUNTY HOSPITAL CORPORATION.  
By its Board of Trustees.

Senator Lewis moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 690 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 690 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Lewis moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 690 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. 690 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 690 the roll was called and the vote was:

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 690 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 Kelly—  
Senate Bill No. 691:

A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Fernandina, Florida, to acquire, through purchase, construction or condemnation, and to improve, extend, repair and reconstruct any facilities to be used in supplying water, electricity, water service, electric service and sewerage service, one or more, or any combination thereof, to said City and its inhabitants and the inhabitants of the territory contiguous thereto; authorizing the issuance of the revenue certificates of said city payable from the revenues to be derived from such facilities or combination thereof and from any similar facilities now owned by said city; authorizing said City to enter into covenants and agreements for the security of said certificates; providing for the payment and enforcement of said certificates; making various provisions pertinent to the above; providing that said facilities may be acquired and said certificates issued without regard to existing procedural limitations and without the approval or consent of the State or any State agency; providing for the operation of such facilities by a board of trustees; providing for the refunding of such revenue certificates; providing for the validation thereof; validating existing contracts and agreements; repealing all conflicting Acts; and providing that this Act shall take immediate effect.

Which was read the first time by title only.

The following proof of publication was attached to Senate Bill No. 691 when it was introduced in the Senate:

STATE OF FLORIDA, )  
COUNTY OF NASSAU. )

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Vesta Prewitt, who on oath does solemnly swear that she has knowledge of the matters stated here; that a notice stating the substance of a contemplated law or proposed bill relating to the City of Fernandina, Nassau County, Florida, authorizing the City of Fernandina to acquire through purchase, construction or condemnation, and to improve, extend, repair and reconstruct any facilities to be used in supplying water, electricity, water service, electric service, and sewerage service, one or more, or any combination thereof, to said city and its inhabitants and the territory contiguous thereto, authorizing the issuance of the revenue obligations of said city payable solely from the revenues to be derived from such facilities, including facilities now owned by said city, authorizing said city to enter into covenants and agreements for the security of said obligations, and containing various provisions pertinent to such general subject has been published at least thirty days prior to this date by being printed in the issue of April 18th, A. D. 1941, of the Nassau County Leader, a newspaper published in Nassau County, where the matter or thing to be affected by the contemplated law is situated; that a copy of this affidavit of proof of publication are attached to the proposed bill or contemplated law, and such copy of the notice so attached is by reference made a part of this affidavit.

VESTA PREWITT,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of May, A. D. 1941.

HERBERT WM. FISHLER,  
Notary Public, State of Florida at Large.

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My commission expires April 26, 1943.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR LEGISLATION TO THE TAXPAYERS AND CITIZENS OF NASSAU COUNTY FLORIDA, AND OF THE CITY OF FERNANDINA, AND TO ALL OTHERS WHOM IT MY CONCERN:

This is to give public notice that the undersigned will apply to the Legislature of the State of Florida at its regular session to be held in the City of Tallahassee during the year 1941. to have enacted a law authorizing the City of Fernandina to acquire through purchase, construction or condemnation, and to improve, extend, repair and reconstruct any facilities to be used in supplying water, electricity, water service, electric service, and sewerage service, one or more, or any combination thereof, to said city and its inhabitants and the territory contiguous thereto, authorizing the issuance of the revenue obligations of said city payable solely from the revenues to be derived from such facilities, including facilities now owned by said city, authorizing said city to enter into covenants and agreements for the security of said obligations and containing various provisions pertinent to such general subject.

DAN KELLY, State Senator, 16th District.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 691 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 691 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 691 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill 691 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 691 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—Senators Adams (25th), Adams (30th), Beall, 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, Wilson—36.

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 691 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 Shuler—

Senate Bill No. 692:

A bill to be entitled An Act to designate State Road No. 127, between Sopchoppy, Florida and State Road No. 500, as a part of the first preferential system of State Roads.

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

By permission the following messages from the House of Representatives were received and read:

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

Tallahassee, Florida, May 21, 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 Messrs. Brackin of Okaloosa, Andrews of Madison, Strayhorn of Lee, Bailey and Gray of Bay, Dugger of Baker, Vathis of Franklin, Simpson of Jefferson, Shivers of Washington, Bonifay of Santa Rosa, Carswell of Wakulla, Commander of Holmes, Clements of Columbia, Clement of Pinellas, Clark of Calhoun, Shafer of Polk, Versaggi of St. Johns, Yaeger of Leon, Spruell of Orange, Riddles of Walton, Wotitzky of Charlotte, Peoples of Glades, Stewart of Hendry, Chavous of Dixie, Croft of Lafayette, Best of Suwannee, Lambe of Jackson, Driggers of Union, Dowda and Middleton of Putnam, McLane of Escambia, Ayers of Gilchrist, Littlefield of Volusia, Crary of Martin, Helie of Escambia, Leaird of Broward, Graves of Indian River, and Lanier of Highland—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1265:

A bill to be entitled An Act levying and imposing a tax on cigarettes to raise revenue for the old age assistance fund; for the aid to dependent children fund; and for the needy blind fund; and for the general revenue fund of the State of Florida; to provide for the administration and enforcement of this Act and for the promulgating and enforcement of rules and regulations to facilitate such enforcement; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act and of rules and regulations lawfully made under the authority hereof; and to provide for the appropriation of the funds derived under this Act.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully, BEN H. FUQUA, Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1265, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

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

Tallahassee, Fla., May 21, 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 Messrs. Thomas and Johnson of Lake, Dunham of DeSoto, Lanier of Highlands, Potter of Marion, Shafer of Polk, and Yaeger of Leon— House Bill No. 581:

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 62 of Chapter 13644, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, being "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 Act of Congress of February 18, 1929; and repealing certain existing laws and statutes; and defining certain terms used therein," in the following particulars: specifying that the license fee required by persons operating hunting and fishing boats for hire shall be an annual fee; changing the amount of such fee for certain boats; requiring only one license tag for each such boat; providing for the State Game Commission to furnish such license tags; and providing that any subterfuge to evade the requirements of the section shall be deemed a violation thereof and shall be punishable as a violation thereof.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully, BEN H. FUQUA, Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 581, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

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

Tallahassee, Florida, May 21, 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 Messrs. Morrow and Beck of Palm Beach—  
House Bill No. 680:

A bill to be entitled An Act cancelling all outstanding taxes against certain properties in Palm Beach County, Florida, owned and used by the Town of Palm Beach for incinerator and garbage and trash disposal purposes; providing that certain lands in Palm Beach County, Florida, used by the Town of Palm Beach for incinerator and garbage and trash disposal purposes shall be exempt from future taxation; ratifying, validating and confirming certain certificates of indebtedness heretofore issued by the Town of Palm Beach, Florida and providing when this law shall take effect.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Messrs. Morrow and Beck of Palm Beach—  
House Bill No. 1367:

A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipality of the "City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida;" to create and establish a new municipality to be known as "City of West Palm Beach;" to fix the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe its powers, duties and functions, and to provide for the government thereof; to provide for the election and appointment of its officers, and to fix and prescribe their powers, duties and jurisdiction, and conditions and provisions concerning their removal; to provide for the payment of the debts of the municipality hereby abolished; to transfer the property of the municipality hereby abolished to the one hereby created; to retain the ordinances of the municipality hereby abolished; to repeal all special laws and parts of special laws in conflict herewith; to provide for a referendum; and for other purposes.

By Mr. Leedy of Orange—  
House Bill No. 1096:

A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish as State Roads certain roads located in Orange County, Florida.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Very respectfully,

BET H FUQUA,

Chief Clerk House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 680, and 1367, contained in the above message, were read the first time by titles only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on second reading.

And House Bill No. 1096, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rose moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1096 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on second reading without reference.

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

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 298 be made a Special and Continuing Order of Business for consideration by the Senate, beginning at 12:00 o'clock noon, Thursday, May 22, 1941.

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

The hour of adjournment having arrived a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 5:16 o'clock P. M. until 11:00 o'clock A. M., Thursday, May 22, 1941.

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