

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Friday, May 18, 1945

The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Thursday, May 17, 1945.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Moon
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sanchez
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Shands
Black	Davis	Lewis	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Mathews	Thomas
Branch	Gray	McArthur	Wilson

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A quorum present.

Senator McKenzie was excused from attendance upon the session.

The following prayer was offered by the Chaplain:

"We thank Thee, Father, that Thou has placed us on the earth in these days of swiftly moving events. Equip us with unshaken faith and dauntless courage to serve Thee among men. May we never fail, because of weakness or cowardice, to carry out our part in Thy purpose for our world. May we rise to the high level of unselfishness Thou dost expect of us. May we give our best and our all joyously and trustfully that Thy great plan of love, mysterious but ever sure, may through us move onward a little towards that perfect end, eternally existent in Thy holy mind and heart. Amen."

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of Wednesday, April 25, 1945, was further corrected as follows:

On page 9, column 1, line 12, strike out the figures "32" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "31".

Also,

On page 9, column 1, line 18, strike out the name "Black".

Also,

On page 9, column 1, line 21, strike out the figure "2" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "3".

Also,

On page 9, column 1, line 22, immediately preceding the name "Davis" insert the name "Black".

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of Thursday, May 17, 1945 was corrected and as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to whom was referred:

H. J. R. No. 186—Entitled a joint resolution proposing an amendment of Section 4 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to the qualifications and compensation of Senators and members of the House of Representatives of the State of Florida.

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

And House Joint Resolution No. 186, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to whom was referred:

S. J. R. No. 447—Proposing to amend Article XII of the Constitution of the State of Florida, by adding thereto a new

Section to be numbered Section 16, requiring the Legislature to provide for the employment by the Board of Public Instruction of each county of a County Superintendent of Public Instruction, whose qualifications, powers, duties, and compensation shall be prescribed by law.

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

And Senate Joint Resolution No. 447, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Your Committee on Corporations, to whom was referred:

H. B. No. 497—Entitled An Act to amend Section 19 of Chapter 21894, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, relating to the replacement of lost or destroyed certificates of stock in a corporation.

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

And House Bill No. 497, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Corporations, to whom was referred:

H. B. No. 545—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Section 610.28, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the continuance, extension and renewal of corporate existence.

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

And House Bill No. 545, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 357—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 16991, General Laws of Florida, 1935, by adding Section 2½, authorizing the issuance of promissory notes, debentures, revenue certificates, certificates of indebtedness, revenue bonds, and other obligations by the Escambia River Bridge Authority; providing the terms to be included in such obligations and the sources of revenue for the retirement thereof; providing remedies for the holders of such obligations in event of default.

Have considered the vote by which the Committee reported Senate Bill No. 357 unfavorably on May 11, 1945, and now beg leave to report same favorably.

And Senate Bill No. 357, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 426—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that no judgment or decree shall be declared void or voidable by any court because any affidavit or oath, upon which such judgment or decree, may have been, or may hereafter be predicated, including affidavit or oath for constructive service, was or may be made before an officer who was or may be attorney for the plaintiff or complainant securing the judgment or decree; providing, however, a saving clause for existing causes of action based on such circumstances.

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

And House Bill No. 426, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 358—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund and any State Board, State Commission, State Authority, or other State Agency or Corporation, to convey, transfer, lease and assign any right, title or interest in and to any real estate owned by it to any other State Board, State Authority, State Commission, or other State Agency or Corporation or to the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund, and providing for the manner of the execution of such instruments.

S. B. No. 543—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 474.08, Florida Statutes 1941, prescribing penalties for violations of Chapter 474, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the State Board of Veterinary Examiners, so as to authorize said Board to enjoin persons from practicing veterinary medicine and surgery or veterinary dentistry without a license.

S. B. No. 547—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 517.02, Florida Statutes 1941, and Section 1, Chapter 21709, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, relating to the definitions of the terms used in Chapter 517, Florida Statutes 1941, and said Chapter 21709, by defining the term "security" as used in said Chapters.

S. B. No. 569—A bill to be entitled An Act specially and expressly authorizing Florida Foreign Trade Zone, Inc., a Florida corporation, to make application for the right to establish, operate and maintain foreign trade zones in or adjacent to ports of entry in the State of Florida, and to make application for the privilege of establishing, operating and maintaining foreign trade zones in accordance with an Act of Congress of the United States approved June 18, 1934, entitled: "An Act to provide for the establishment, operation and maintenance of foreign trade zones in ports of entry of the United States, to expedite and encourage foreign commerce and for other purposes", and expressly authorizing said Florida Foreign Trade Zone, Inc., to establish, operate and maintain foreign trade zones in or adjacent to ports of entry in the State of Florida subject to the conditions and restrictions of said Act of Congress.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 358, 543, 547 and 569, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 296—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for an additional ground for a divorce.

With amendment thereto, which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, at the end of Section One, strike out the period and insert a semi-colon, and add the following: "provided, however, the provisions of this Act shall not apply to persons who have been adjudged non compos mentis; and provided further, that this act shall not affect the present laws relative to separate maintenance or alimony.

S. B. No. 460—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring that the Attorney General of Florida shall be attorney for state officers, boards, bureaus, commissions and agencies in all litigation, with certain exceptions and provisos.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 296 and 460, contained in the above report, were laid on the table.

Your Committee on Labor and Industry, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 226—A Bill to be entitled an Act to amend Section 440.13, Florida Statutes 1941, and Section 440.15, Florida Statutes 1941, and Section 440.25, Florida Statutes 1941, and Section 440.44, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Chapter 21875, Acts of 1943, relating to the Workmen's Compensation Law and creating the Florida Industrial Commission by providing that the Industrial Commission may order the employer and/or insurance carrier to furnish medical treatment to injured employees in excess of one thousand dollars if the nature of the injury or the process of recovery may require such action; and by providing that if the employee objects to the medical attention furnished by the employer and/or insurance carrier it shall be the duty of the employer and/or insurance carrier to select another physician to treat the injured employee unless the commission determines that a change of medical attention is not for the best interest of the injured employee; and by providing the method for the payment of compensation for permanent partial disability not otherwise scheduled; and by providing that applications for review from orders of deputy commissioners may be filed with the commission; and by removing the position of the director of the Workmen's Compensation Division from the merit principle of personnel administration; and by providing that the commission may make certain expenditures.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 226 do pass.

An Act to amend Section 440.13, Florida Statutes 1941, and Section 440.15, Florida Statutes 1941, and Section 440.25, Florida Statutes 1941, and Section 440.44, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Chapter 21875, Acts of 1943, relating to the workmen's compensation law and creating the Florida Industrial Commission by providing that the industrial commission may order the employer and/or insurance carrier to furnish medical treatment to injured employees in excess of one thousand dollars if the nature of the injury or the process of recovery may require such action; and by providing that if the employee objects to the medical attention furnished by the employer and/or insurance carrier it shall be the duty of the employer and/or insurance carrier to select another physician to treat the injured employee unless the commission determines that a change of medical attention is not for the best interest of the injured employee; and by providing the method for the payment of compensation for permanent partial disability not otherwise scheduled; and by providing that applications for review from orders of deputy commissioners may be filed with the commission; and by removing the requirement that the director be the attorney for the workmen's compensation division of the commission; and by providing that the commission may make certain expenditures; and by providing when this act shall become effective: and by repealing all laws in conflict with this act.

And Senate Bill No. 226, contained in the above report, together with Committee Substitute therefor, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Labor and Industry, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 236—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 440.12, 440.15 and 440.20 of Chapter 440, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Chapter 21875, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, relating to the Florida Workmen's Compensation Law, by providing for an increase in weekly amount of compensation payments to injured employees; by increasing the number of weeks payable for permanent partial disability caused by the loss of a leg, a hand, a foot or an eye; by eliminating the maximum healing period of twenty weeks; by providing for a determination of the degree of disability of other cases of permanent partial disability; and by providing for the increase of the maximum amount of compensation payable to injured employees.

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

Which amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 2(1), line 9 (typewritten bill) after the word "thereof" insert following: Caused by the same accident and injury while employed by the same employer.

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 2(3) U, Page 5 (typewritten bill) change the period to a comma and add to end of paragraph: "subject to the limitations in Section 440.20 (13) and the preceding paragraph 2 of this section."

Amendment No. 3:

In Section 3-Para. 13-Page 12, line 3 (typewritten bill) strike out the words "seventy five hundred" and insert in lieu thereof the following: five thousand.

And Senate Bill No. 236, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Labor and Industry, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 369—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 443.10, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the unemployment compensation fund; by providing for contents of such fund; by making the monies in such fund continually available for the payment of benefits; by providing for a benefit trust fund; by designating the Florida Industrial Commission as trustee of such fund; by providing that the payment of benefits be made by the Florida Industrial Commission as trustee of such fund; by providing that the treasurer shall be liable on his general bond; by providing for the bonding of the Industrial

Commission; by providing for auditing of the accounts of the Commission in the handling of such monies; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and making this Act effective July 1, 1945.

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

And Senate Bill No. 369, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Labor and Industry, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 451—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the safety of life, limb and property, and to promote the public welfare; defining the commission, and defining this Act; to provide that the Florida Industrial Commission shall formulate rules and regulations for the construction, installation, repair, use and operation of boilers; to provide that the provisions of this Act shall be administered by the Florida Industrial Commission through the Workmen's Compensation Division; to authorize the Florida Industrial Commission to employ and pay inspectors out of the workmen's compensation administrative fund; providing for the bond of such inspectors; providing for the effective date of the rules and regulations formulated by the Commission, and providing for certain exceptions; authorizing the issuance of commissions as special inspectors; to provide for examinations for inspectors or special inspectors; to provide for the issuance of inspection certificates; to provide a penalty for the violations of this Act; to provide for the inspection of boilers and the fees to be charged for same; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict of this Act; providing that any part of this Act held unconstitutional shall not invalidate any other part thereof; to provide for the effective date of this Act.

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

And Senate Bill No. 451, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Your Committee on Labor and Industry, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 452—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the safety of life, limb and property, and to promote the public welfare; to define elevators, dumbwaiters and escalators, and to define the Florida Industrial Commission, and to define this Act; to provide for the registration, inspection, submission of plans and construction of elevators, dumbwaiters and escalators; to provide for the issuance or revocation of operating permits therefor; to provide that the provisions of this Act shall be administered by the Florida Industrial Commission through the Workmen's Compensation Division; to provide that the Florida Industrial Commission shall adopt rules and regulations for the construction, installation, maintenance and operation of elevators, dumbwaiters and escalators; to provide for the testing and inspection of elevators, dumbwaiters and escalators; to provide for the qualification, training and duties of elevator operators to provide that the Industrial Commission may appoint certain technical advisers, and providing that such technical advisers shall receive no compensation other than traveling expenses and per diem; to provide for the submission of plans and specifications and application and issuance of permits and the fees to be charged therefor, and the enforcement, alteration, amendment and repeal of such rules and regulations; to provide for the qualification, training and duties of elevator inspectors and to provide for the licensing fee to be charged for such inspectors; to provide that the Florida Industrial Commission may employ and pay inspectors; to provide for the fees of such inspections; to define the powers and duties of the Florida Industrial Commission; to provide for appeals; to prohibit regulations of elevators, dumbwaiters and escalators by cities, town or other governmental sub-divisions; to provide penalties for violation of provisions of this Act; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act; providing for the effective date of this Act.

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

And Senate Bill No. 452, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Your Committee on Labor and Industry, to whom was referred:

H. B. No. 577—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that

under the Florida Unemployment Compensation Law the affiliation provisions thereof combining employing units shall not affiliate for the purposes of said law any employing unit directly or indirectly owned by any person with any contract agency or commission agency under which such person acts as an agent for another person, firm or corporation as principal.

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

And House Bill No. 577, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

Your Committee on Motor Vehicles, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 509—A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the price of license plates for house trailers.

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

And Senate Bill No. 509, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 521—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the control of rabies through the establishment of quarantine, restraint, registration, inoculation, and tagging of restrained dogs; the capture and impounding or disposal of all unregistered or rabid dogs the reporting of rabid or suspiciously rabid animals and persons bitten and providing penalties for the violation of the act.

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

And Senate Bill No. 521, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Publicity and Advertising, to whom was referred:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 14:

A Resolution urging the counties and municipalities of the State to take action to commemorate the Centennial of Florida's statehood through appropriate displays and other means to the end that the history and advantages of the State will be fully publicized.

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

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 14, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on State Institutions and Judiciary "C", to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 575—A bill to be entitled An Act re-enacting and confirming Chapter 18131, Acts of 1937, Laws of Florida and amending Section 1 thereof so as to permit the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions of the State of Florida, to take over and accept delivery and conveyance of the property and assets of the said estate if, whenever and as soon as the debts, claims and obligations of the said estate have been reduced to an amount which in the discretion and determination of the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions would render it safe and economical so to do.

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

And Senate Bill No. 575, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

REPORT OF ENROLLING COMMITTEE

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9:

A Resolution to invite the Honorable Bob Sikes, Member of Congress from the Third Congressional District of Florida, to address a joint session of the Florida Legislature.

Also—

S. B. No. 147—An Act to amend Section 465.06, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the withholding and revocation by the

Board of Pharmacy of the State of Florida of licenses to practice Pharmacy.

Also—

S. B. No. 151—An Act to amend Chapter 13579, laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, being "An Act to provide for the assistance of poor mothers or other poor women having children dependent upon them for support and care under the age of sixteen years and to provide the necessary means of carrying this law into effect; and to repeal Chapter 7920, Acts of 1919, as amended by Chapter 12000, Acts of 1927, relating to the provision for the assistance of poor mothers or other poor women having children dependent upon them for support and care under the age of sixteen years; and providing the necessary means for carrying the said law into effect; and also repealing all other laws inconsistent with this Act. "By adding Section 12, to provide that in counties having county Welfare Boards the County Commissioners may designate such Boards to make investigations of cases, pass upon applications and pay benefits from funds supplied by County Commissioners.

Also—

S. B. No. 175—An Act to amend Section 45.02, Florida Statutes 1941, providing for commencement of suits and actions as party plaintiffs by infants, idiots and lunatics; providing for approval of settlement on behalf of infants; authorizing collection of settlements and judgments by parents and guardians; providing for court authorization of releases and satisfactions.

Also—

S. B. No. 234—An Act to declare, establish and designate a certain State Road.

Also—

S. B. No. 319—An Act amending Section 7 of Chapter 15269, laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, entitled "An Act amending Sections 7 and 8 of Chapter 7657, Acts of 1917, entitled 'An Act relating to the Police Pension and Relief Fund of the City of Jacksonville'", so as to provide that all members of the Police Department affected by said Act shall receive 2% additional of their salaries for each year of service over 20 years with the department, until the same reaches a maximum of 60% of the average salary received by them for the last three years.

Also—

S. B. No. 345—An Act amending Chapter 9274, laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, being entitled "An Act creating a County Welfare Board for each county having a population of over 100,000; prescribing its powers and duties; providing for its financial support and providing for the qualifications of its members, and repealing Chapters 7336 and 8535, laws of Florida" by providing for the rights of eminent domain for purposes for which said Board is created and authorizing same procedure with respect to eminent domain as now provided by law.

Also—

S. B. No. 398—An Act authorizing the County Commissioners in all counties of the State having a population of not less than 31,400 and not more than 31,500 according to the last Federal Census to expend Agriculture and Livestock Funds and other county funds for purposes herein set out.

Also—

S. B. No. 408—An Act amending Section 6 (3), Section 6 (5) and Section 8 of Chapter 22195, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, entitled: "An Act relating to primaries and election in and creating county election boards in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than one hundred and five thousand (105,000) and not more than two hundred and five thousand (205,000) according to the last preceding Federal Census to conduct all primaries and elections except municipal primaries and elections; prescribing the qualifications, terms of office and methods of appointment and election of the members of said boards and fixing their compensation, and providing for the payment of all expenses incurred by said boards; prescribing the powers, duties, and functions of such county election boards; making the County Supervisors of Registration ex officio clerks, and the State Attorneys, attorneys for said boards, and prescribing their respective powers, duties, and functions; making said county election board,

the supervisor of registration, and the county judge the canvassing board of each of said counties; providing penalties for wilfully interfering with said county election boards in the performance of their duties and for the wilful violation of this Act and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith"; relating to the appointment of inspectors and clerks of election, and division of registration books; the checking of voting machines and to authorize the election board to perform all administrative Acts relating to elections which are now by General Law vested in the Board of County Commissioners of said counties; and to amend the title of said Act so as to eliminate from said title the following words: "and the State Attorneys, Attorneys".

Also—

S. B. No. 416—An Act to repeal Chapter 21717, Acts of 1941, being entitled: "An Act providing that Section 98.27, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to publication of a certified list of qualified electors before any General Election shall be inapplicable to all counties of the State having a population of not less than 6500 and not more than 6750, according to the United States Census of 1940."

Also—

S. B. No. 433—An Act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners of all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 150,000 inhabitants by the last preceding State or Federal Census, upon approval of the County Budget Commission of such county, to transfer funds or surplus funds from one item of a fund to another item, or to a new item of the same fund, or to another item or to a new item of a different fund, or to a new fund, and repealing all conflicting laws including those requiring approval by State Comptroller.

Also—

S. B. No. 434—An Act authorizing and empowering the City of West Palm Beach, in Palm Beach County, Florida, to give lease, or convey a portion, or portions of its public parks or other property, heretofore or hereafter acquired, unto the American Legion War Memorial Association of Palm Beach County, incorporated upon such terms, conditions, and provisions as may be determined by the governing authority of said city, in its discretion, subject to certain limitations herein contained; and for other purposes.

Also—

S. B. No. 437—An Act providing for the reregistration of all qualified electors in Liberty County every two years beginning in the year 1946; and providing for the payment of expenses of same by the Board of County Commissioners of Liberty County, Florida, and for the compensation of the Supervisor of Registration by the Board of County Commissioners of Liberty County, Florida.

Also—

S. B. No. 438—An Act legalizing, validating and confirming the assessments and levies of taxes, by the Town of Whit Springs, Florida, for all years prior to 1945 and providing the payment of such taxes may be enforced in any manner the said town may be now and hereafter authorized and providing that tax sales may be held and tax certificates issued thereon on all property upon which taxes have not been paid and that as many years taxes may be included in and covered by an one such tax sale certificate as may be desired.

Also—

S. B. No. 481—An Act to amend Section 118 of Chapter 9683, Laws of Florida, as passed at the 1923 regular session of the Legislature of the State of Florida, entitled: "An Act to validate and legalize an election held in and for the City of Bartow on the 13th Day of December, A.D. 1921; to validate and legalize the Charter of the City of Bartow which was adopted by the electors of said city at said election held on the 13th day of December, A.D. 1921; and validate and legalize all contracts, municipal assessments, ordinances and resolutions, appointments and election of office and all other Acts which have been done under and by virtue of said Charter and providing a form and method of government for said City of Bartow."

Also—

S. B. No. 494—An Act declaring certain bodies of water

within the City of St. Petersburg to be salt water; prohibiting the use of nets or seines, excepting hand cast nets, for the purpose of taking fish within said bodies of water; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith and providing that said Act shall not become effective until approved by referendum election.

Also—

S. B. No. 497—An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville; fixing the salary of the City Recorder, and providing for terms of payment thereof.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 168—An Act to designate and establish a State Road to become a part of the system of State Roads for the State of Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 235—An Act to declare, establish and designate a certain State Road.

Also—

H. B. No. 298—An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, and to provide for exemption of said annexed territory from taxation for payment of existing municipal indebtedness of the City of Delray Beach, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 382—An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County to pay a monthly pension of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars to Warren McRae Torlay, of Gainesville, Florida, in recognition of his faithful service for many years as jailer at the County Jail of Alachua County, and providing that such pension be paid out of the General Revenue Fund of Alachua County.

Also—

H. B. No. 501—An Act to amend Chapter 17941, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, relating to Florahome Drainage District.

Also—

H. B. No. 622—An Act to provide for the incorporation of all of Clearwater Beach Island in Clearwater, Pinellas County, Florida, as a special Seawall District; providing for the powers and duties of said district in constructing seawalls around Clearwater Beach Island or any part thereof, assessing the cost thereof against abutting property, and issuing Improvement Certificates that will constitute a first lien, except for taxes, against the property so improved; providing for the exercise of said powers and duties by a Board of Commissioners to be appointed by the City Commission of the City of Clearwater; and other matters in connection therewith or relating thereto.

Also—

H. B. No. 182—An Act to declare, establish and designate a certain State Road.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 385—An Act creating and establishing the Juvenile Court of Broward County, Florida; providing for the appointment of the judge, probation officer and assistant probation officer and clerk of said court, fixing their salaries, qualifications, duties and term of office of each and providing how their successors shall be elected or appointed; providing that said court shall have jurisdiction over all "dependent or delinquent" children under the age of seventeen years as defined by Statute, as well as over all persons having custody, care or control, or exerting a detrimental influence over such dependent or delinquent child or children; specifically stating the jurisdiction and powers of such court and how same shall be exercised; providing a civil procedure for citing persons to appear before said court respecting such dependent or delinquent child or children, and giving the court power to punish or enter orders respecting such children and compelling obedience to such orders by contempt proceedings against persons having the care, custody or control or exerting a detrimental influence over such child or children; granting unto said court jurisdiction to compel support of dependent or delinquent children by those under a legal duty to do so; providing for physical and mental compulsory examinations of such child or children, whenever deemed necessary by the court; providing for trial and appellate procedure in said court and taxation and collection of costs and fees; providing for the transfer of cases from other courts to said Juvenile Court; providing that the County Commissioners of Broward County, Florida, shall levy a tax not exceeding three-tenths of one mill (3/10 of 1 mill) against all taxable property in the county for the purposes of paying all salaries and expenses of said court; repealing Chapter 13678, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929 providing for the establishment of a Juvenile Court in Broward County, Florida, and for other purposes; repealing Chapter 21863, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, designating the County Judges of Broward County, Florida, as Judge of the Juvenile Court of Broward County, Florida, and for other purposes; providing for the transfer of all books, records, files, furniture and facilities of the Juvenile Court of Broward County, Florida, heretofore created to "The Juvenile Court of Broward County, Florida", hereby created; providing that the present terms of the probation officer of Broward County, Florida, and the Clerk and Assistant Probation Officer of Broward County, Florida, shall not be affected by this act; providing that such act shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and approval; and for other purposes.

Have examined the same and find same correctly enrolled.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 521—An Act to amend Chapter 13972 of the Laws of Florida 1929, same being entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Coral Gables, Dade County, Florida, and create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Coral Gables, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for taxes, government, jurisdiction, powers and privileges," by adding thereto Section 57½, providing for the issuance and sale of revenue certificates for the acquisition, construction, expansion, extension or improvement of any revenue producing property, utility or facility; providing that the City Commission by ordinance may provide for the operation of self-supporting or self-liquidating projects; providing that the City Commission by ordinance may provide for the support of the operation, maintenance and debt service of any self-liquidating project and that the fees, charges or the like may be collected by the City or by agencies employed by it; such fees, charges or the like may be collected by legal process against the user of any such services and that a judgment obtained against said user shall be a lien against all of the property of such user as in the case of other judgments under the Laws

of Florida; providing that the powers hereby conferred shall be in addition and supplemental to, and the limitations imposed hereby shall not affect the powers conferred by any other law and not in substitution of the powers conferred by any other law.

Also—

H. B. No. 569—An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Okeechobee County, Florida, to execute and deliver deeds of conveyances to former owners of real property, now owned by the County of Okeechobee under the provisions of Chapter 20722, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, as amended by Chapter 22079, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, where such owner makes application, showing that such property was the homestead of said applicant, at the time title reverted to the county, or that said property was assessed and taxes extended and paid for all years subsequent to any year, for which a tax certificate was issued, and said former owner has acted in good faith and has no knowledge of any certificate outstanding, until after said property had reverted to the County; providing for reasonable charges to be assessed by the Board of County Commissioners for the issuance of such deed and when applications are to be considered.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 670—An Act authorizing resumption of dog racing at race tracks where dog racing was heretofore discontinued and providing for issuance annually of licenses to conduct dog racing at such tracks.

Also—

H. B. No. 493—An Act apportioning the last fifteen thousand dollars of funds payable for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, from revenue provided by Chapters 550 and 551, Florida Statutes 1941, and Chapter 22136, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, in Counties of the State having a population of not less than 4,300 and not more than 4,500, according to the last Federal Census.

Also—

H. B. No. 413—An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Palm Beach County as State Roads.

Also—

H. B. No. 383—An Act to declare, establish and designate a certain State Road in Manatee County, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 299—An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, and to provide for exemption of said annexed territory from taxation for payment of existing municipal indebtedness of the City of Delray Beach, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 380—An Act authorizing the State Treasurer to make photographs, microphotographs, or reproductions on film of warrants drawn against State Teachers' Salary Fund, and of vouchers or checks drawn against funds deposited with the State Treasurer by the court officials of the several counties of Florida in pursuance of Section 54.04, Florida Statutes 1941; providing for the filing and preservation of such photographs, microphotographs or reproductions on film, and the return of such warrants, checks or vouchers to the offices of the respective county officials who drew the same; providing that such photographs, microphotographs or reproductions on film shall be deemed original records, and providing a rule of evidence with respect to certified or exemplified copies thereof; repealing all laws and parts of

laws in conflict herewith; and providing the effective date of this Act.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 524—An Act to amend paragraphs (d), (e), (f) of section 10 of chapter 13972 of the laws of Florida, 1929, said act being entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the city of Coral Gables, Dade County, Florida, and create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as The City of Coral Gables, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for taxes, government, jurisdiction, powers and privileges", as amended by chapter 21161 of the laws of Florida of 1941, by: as to section (d) requiring any person having the qualifications of an elector and offering himself or herself as a candidate for City Commissioner, to pay the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) as a filing fee and, as to sections (e), by requiring one hundred dollars (\$100) filing fee to be paid not later than twenty-eight (28) days prior to date of election and as to (f), providing that any qualified candidate for the office of commissioner, and any incumbent commissioner whose term does not expire with such election, may request in writing to the city clerk that his or her name may be entered as a candidate for the office of mayor.

Also—

H. B. No. 604—An Act to be known as the "Quadrennial Re-Registration Act for Monroe County, State of Florida", authorizing the board of county commissioners and/or the supervisor of registration of Monroe County to have a re-registration of all voters in that county in 1946 and every four years thereafter; to authorize the use of registration books now provided for primary elections in both the primary and general elections; authorizing all registration certificates to be of the same form now used in primary elections; and providing that the same books used for the 1946 registration be used until the next re-registration; abolishing the district registration officer and providing that all registrations for the island of Key West be handled in the office of the supervisor of registration in the county court house, in Key West, Monroe County, Florida, and that rural registration be handled by a deputy supervisor of registration appointed by the supervisor of registration; providing the time that the registration books shall be opened for registration; providing for the discontinuance of the publication of the qualified lists in the primary or general elections; and authorizing the appropriation of money to defray the expenses of re-registration; and providing that the maximum sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) shall not be exceeded for any quadrennial re-registration.

Also—

H. B. No. 504—An Act repealing Chapter 20701, Laws of Florida 1941, "providing for and relating to the County Executive Committee in counties having a population of 250,000 or more inhabitants, their term of office and amending Section 305 Revised General Statutes as amended thereto."

Also—

H. B. No. 633—An Act apportioning funds payable subsequent to July 1, 1945, from revenue provided by chapters 550 and 551, Florida Statutes 1941, and chapter 22136 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, in Lafayette County, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 615—An Act relating to the City of Chipley, Florida; annexing certain territory to said City; providing certain privileges and immunities to be enjoyed by the owners of the lands annexed and of personal property in good faith located thereon; and providing for a referendum election to determine whether this Act shall become a law.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 121—An Act providing for the assessment and collection in Hillsborough County, Florida, of all taxes levied by the State, County, County School Board, School Districts, Special Tax School Districts and Municipalities in said County, pursuant to Sections 11 and 12 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Florida; to provide for the assessment of all such taxes by the County Tax Assessor; to provide for the collection, care, custody, reporting and disbursement of all such taxes collected, by the County Tax Collector; to provide for additional bond to be posted by the County Tax Collector; to prescribe the powers, functions, duties and additional commissions of said County Tax Assessor and said County Tax Collector in connection therewith; to provide that the tax assessment roll of said county shall be prepared, reviewed, equalized and completed, and all taxes collected thereon shall be in accordance with the General Laws of Florida governing county taxation; to provide that the County Budget Commission of Hillsborough County, Florida, shall have no jurisdiction or power over the annual budgets of or the millages determined and fixed by any municipality in said county; and to provide for the furnishing of audits made of the tax collector's office to each municipality in Hillsborough County, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 559—An Act to create in Manatee County and under the jurisdiction of the Board of County Commissioners thereof, during the emergency of the present war, a special fund, to be used, when building materials are more readily and economically available, for the reconstruction and rebuilding, repair and extension of the public roads and bridges of this county; for the acquisition, construction, improvement and extension of county buildings and properties, including machinery for road building and drainage purposes, and generally for public works of such character as will furnish employment and provide improved public facilities prior to, during and after the demobilization of our armed forces as at present mobilized; also to permit said Board of County Commissioners to budget and levy annually after date, for the purpose of building up such fund and to transfer any surpluses now or hereafter existing in other funds under the jurisdiction of the said Board of County Commissioners to the fund hereby created, anything in existing laws to the contrary notwithstanding; provided that not exceeding one mill may be levied in any fiscal year for that purpose, and provided further that said millage may be in addition to surplus funds transferred because of surpluses.

Also—

H. B. No. 573—An Act providing for the ratification, confirmation, validation and sale of an issue of \$20,000,000 interest bearing time warrants by the City Council of the City of Okeechobee, Florida, for the purpose of realizing funds for making emergency repairs to the water system of said city.

Also—

H. B. No. 582—An Act relating to the City of Eustis, Florida; authorizing said city to impose, levy and collect license and excise taxes, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

H. B. No. 585—An Act approving, confirming, validating and legalizing all adjustments, compromises, discounts, reductions, abatements, waivers, releases, discharges or refunds of taxes and delinquent tax certificates on real and personal property, and assessments and improvement liens, including interest, costs and penalties thereon, levied and assessed upon property in the City of Eustis, Florida, heretofore effected, made and allowed by the officers and governing authorities of said City,

in the collection of said taxes, tax certificates, assessments and improvement liens, providing for the effective date of such law and for the repeal of all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Also—

H. B. No. 603—An Act authorizing Monroe County, Florida, by and through its Boards of County Commissioners, to acquire recreational facilities by gift, purchase, lease or condemnation and to own and operate said facilities, including land necessary therefor, a bathing beach or beaches, swimming pool or pools, and all properties and equipment useful and necessary therefor; authorizing said Monroe County to accept a grant of Federal aid for accomplishing said purposes, to enter into agreements or contracts for the construction, regulation and use of such facilities; authorizing Monroe County and its Board of County Commissioners to issue negotiable bonds of said County payable from ad valorem taxes or revenue to be derived from the operation of the facilities, or from both sources, for accomplishing the purpose of this Act; authorizing said County or the Board of County Commissioners thereof in their discretion to create a separate department to operate the facilities; authorizing said County and the Board of County Commissioners thereof to charge and collect fees and to pledge any or all of such fees for the security and payment of any bonds issued therefor.

Also—

H. B. No. 609—An Act relating to the salary and compensation of game wardens and conservation officers assigned to work in Washington County, Florida, or working in said county, either full time or part time, and limiting such salary and compensation to fifty dollars per month; repealing all laws in conflict therewith; and providing an effective date therefor.

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

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

H. B. No. 421—An Act granting to disabled veterans of World War Number Two the same benefits, rights, exemptions and privileges as now enjoyed by disabled veterans of World War Number One, relating to the exemption from the payment of occupational license tax.

Also—

H. B. No. 467—An Act to provide for the registration and reregistration of all qualified electors in each county in the State of Florida having a population of not more than six thousand nine hundred seventy-five (6,975) and not less than six thousand nine hundred twenty-five (6,925) according to the last federal census, in order to qualify such electors to participate in elections in the year 1946 and subsequent years; providing for the making of a new set of registration books in such counties, the form of such books, and the furnishing of such books by the board of county commissioners in such counties; providing for the compensation to be allowed the supervisor of registration for such reregistration; providing for transfer of names of registered persons in military service to such new registration books; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and fixing the effective date of this act.

Also—

H. B. No. 489—An Act to authorize the board of county commissioners in any county of the State having a population of two hundred ten thousand (210,000) inhabitants or more, according to the last Federal Census, to offer and pay rewards for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person violating the provisions of any laws of this State prohibiting the dumping of garbage refuse or rubbish of any kind whatsoever on any public park, road, highway, or private property without the consent of the owner.

Also—

H. B. No. 490—An Act to create and establish the office of probation and parole officer for the criminal court of record of all counties having a population of more than two hundred thousand (200,000) according to the last federal census, prescribing his duties; providing for the method of his appoint-

ment; providing for his compensation and expenses incident to said office; providing for appointment and compensation of clerk or stenographer of said office; providing that persons who have pleaded guilty or been convicted in said court may, in the discretion of the judge of said court, be put on probation and sentences suspended, and for all other purposes in connection therewith.

Also—

H. B. No. 499—An Act relating to the compensation of the tax collector, tax assessor and the supervisor of registration in all counties having a population of not less than 2200 and not more than 8250 according to the last Federal Census; authorizing the county commissioners of said county to pay salaries to said officials and make certain deductions thereof from their fees and commissions.

Also—

H. B. No. 602—An Act to empower the Board of County Commissioners in Monroe County to regulate and restrict within territory in said County, not included in any municipality, the height, number of stories and size of buildings and other structures on land and water, the percentage of lot that may be occupied, the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, the use of land for junk yards and automobile trailer camps and the location and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, industry, residence or other specific use of the premises; providing for the division of such County into districts, and within such districts to regulate and restrict the erection and construction, alteration, repair or use of buildings; providing for method of procedure; providing for the appointment of a Zoning Commission and a Board of Adjustment; providing for remedies and penalties for violation of this Act or of any order or resolution made under authority conferred hereby and conferring upon the County Commissioners of Monroe County, so far as may be lawfully conferred, the power to prescribe and enforce regulations to effectuate the purposes of this Act, and to repeal Chapter 19195, Laws of Florida, 1939.

Also—

H. B. No. 337—An Act to repeal Sections 561.03, 561.10, and 561.61, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to officers, employees, auditors, and supervisors of the State Beverage Department, salaries and other expenditures; to amend Section 561.06, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 21839, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, providing for the appointment and discharge of supervisors, their salaries and bonds; to amend Section 561.07, Florida Statutes 1941, granting to supervisors powers and duties under the Beverage Act and under the Cigarette Tax Act; to amend Section 561.11, Florida Statutes 1941, providing for the employment of employees and assistants of the State Beverage Department and making appropriation for salaries and expenses with limitation; to amend Section 561.17, Florida Statutes 1941, providing for applications for license, form and contents of application and qualifications required; to amend Section 561.25, Florida Statutes 1941, prohibiting officers or employees of Beverage Department and officers with State police power from being employed by or engaging in beverage business, with penalties; to amend Section 561.29, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Section 4 of Chapter 21839, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, granting to beverage director or any assistant designated by director, power of subpoena and right to enforce the attendance of witnesses, to administer oaths and to hold hearings upon revocation of licenses and granting to beverage director right to revoke licenses; to amend Section 561.43, Florida Statutes 1941, prohibiting manufacturer's or distributor's license in dry counties with exceptions; to amend Section 561.47, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 22026, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, relating to the sale of stamps and providing for a discount and granting to beverage director authority to promulgate rules and regulations; to amend Section 561.52, Florida Statutes 1941, granting to all white male employees of the State Beverage Department the authority and power that is conferred on supervisors; to amend Section 561.54, Florida Statutes 1941, prohibiting common, permit or privately owned carriers from delivering alcoholic beverages in Florida except to certain persons, firms or corporations; and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

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

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

H. B. No. 528—An Act to amend Chapter 13972 of the Laws of Florida 1929, said Act being entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Coral Gables, Dade County, Florida, and create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as The City of Coral Gables, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for taxes, government jurisdiction, powers and privileges", by adding thereto a section to be known as Section 17½, giving the Commission of the City of Coral Gables power and right, by ordinance, to provide for a pension plan for the officers and employes of the City, and providing that no ordinance, or amendment thereto, shall become effective and operative until ratified and approved by a majority of the qualified electors of said City actually voting in a general or special election called for such purposes.

Also—

H. B. No. 564—An Act to abolish Justice Districts in DeSoto County, Florida, and providing for a referendum.

Also—

H. B. No. 586—An Act ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing all assessments, assessment rolls, valuations of properties, levies of taxes and delinquent tax certificates heretofore made by and as entered upon the rolls and records of the City of Eustis, Florida, for the years 1937 to 1944, inclusive, together with all acts and proceedings had, done and performed by the duly constituted governing authorities and officials of said City in connection therewith, making same valid, legal and binding liens upon the lands and properties upon which same are made, assessed and levied, and authorizing the collection of said taxes, assessments and delinquent tax certificates, providing for the effective date of such law and for the repeal of all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Also—

H. B. No. 590—An Act amending Section 166 of Chapter 11678, Special Acts of Extraordinary Session of the Legislature of Florida 1925, being the Charter of the City of Panama City, Florida, deleting from said Section 166 the provision requiring the publication of the list of qualified electors prior to any City Election, and re-enacting the remainder of said Section 166 relative to the registration of voters in said City.

Also—

H. B. No. 549—An Act authorizing and empowering the City of St. Augustine, Florida, by and through its City Commission, by ordinance to impose a tax not exceeding ten per cent upon any and all sales, or such part or parts thereof as it may deem advisable and expedient, of electricity, metered and bottled gas (natural or manufactured) and telephone service, within said City, and to provide the amount of such sales tax, not exceeding ten per cent, and for the assessment, levy and collection thereof, and for penalties for the violation thereof, providing that no such ordinance or ordinances nor amendments thereof shall take effect until ratified by a vote of a majority of the qualified electors of said City voting at any special or general election; and authorizing and empowering the City Commission of said City by resolution to call, hold and conduct such election or elections; repealing all laws in conflict therewith; and prescribing time said Act shall take effect.

Also—

H. B. No. 607—An Act to amend Sections 12, 161 as amended by Section 4 of Chapter 19929, Laws of Florida 1939, of Chapter 10754, Laws of Florida, as passed in the 1925 regular Session of Florida Legislature as approved June 8, 1925, same being "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Lakeland, Polk County, Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and to authorize the said City of Lakeland,

Polk County, Florida, to enforce ordinances of said City," said amendments providing that the City Commission of such City of Lakeland shall consist of five electors of the City elected at large, providing for the election of three members to such City Commission of the City of Lakeland at an election for City Commissioners to be held in 1945 and providing for their terms of office and further amending said City Charter of said City of Lakeland providing for the holding of a general election on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of each year and providing a referendum.

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

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

H. B. No. 538—An Act fixing the compensation of members of the Board of Public Instruction of Alachua County, Florida, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

H. B. No. 541—An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville, authorizing the Mayor and the City Council to fix the boundaries of the several wards in the City and to divide the several wards of the City into voting precincts and requiring the County Commission to adopt the same boundaries for County voting precincts within the City.

Also—

H. B. No. 555—An Act validating and legalizing all taxes and assessments heretofore levied or assessed by the lawfully constituted municipal authorities against the property now embraced within the bounds of the City of Bradenton, and legalizing and validating any compromises, adjustments or settlements thereof heretofore made.

Also—

H. B. No. 558—An Act to create a County Drainage District for certain lands in Manatee County under control and jurisdiction of the Board of County Commissioners, prescribing its area, recognizing existing drainage facilities; providing for assumption and payment of maintenance debts and for future operation of said District as now permitted and authorized by Chapter 157 of the Florida Statutes, 1941.

Also—

H. B. No. 570—An Act to fix the compensation of the members of the Board of Public Instruction of Okeechobee County, Florida, and to authorize the payment of the same in monthly installments.

Also—

H. B. No. 571—An Act providing for all real estate in Okeechobee County, Florida, owned by the Masonic Fraternal Organization shall be exempt from all taxes and assessments now outstanding against said property.

Also—

H. B. No. 572—An Act to fix compensation of the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Okeechobee County, Florida, and to authorize the payment of the same in monthly installments.

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

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

House Concurrent Resolution No. 15:

A Concurrent Resolution requesting the Commissioner of Internal Revenue of the United States of America to observe that Section 208.04, Florida Statutes 1941, providing for and imposing taxes on gasoline, provides that said tax is a tax upon the consumer, and requesting conformity thereto in the administration of his office.

Also—

H. B. No. 296—An Act amending Section 1 of Chapter 18216, Laws of Florida, 1937, declaring, designating and establishing a certain State Road in Palm Beach County as amended by Chapter 19448, Laws of Florida, 1939.

Also—

H. B. No. 338—An Act to amend Section 562.11, Florida Statutes 1941, prohibiting selling or serving alcoholic beverages to minors; to amend Section 562.13, Florida Statutes 1941, prohibiting employment of minors or certain other persons by certain vendors; to amend Section 562.15, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to possession of unstamped beverages; to amend Section 562.16, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to possession of beverages upon which tax is unpaid; to amend Section 562.27, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to seizures and forfeitures; to amend Section 562.31, Florida Statutes 1941, making possession of raw materials prima facie evidence with exception; to amend Section 562.37, Florida Statutes 1941, making absence of stamp on container prima facie evidence that tax is not paid; to amend Section 562.39, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to forfeiture proceedings; to amend Section 562.44, Florida Statutes 1941, providing for donation and sale of forfeited beverages; prohibiting possession of mash, wort, wash or any alcoholic beverages unless made or manufactured in accordance with regulatory provisions of the State of Florida and making possession thereof prima facie evidence that same was not made or manufactured in accordance with said regulatory provisions, prescribing penalty; and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

Also—

H. B. No. 423—An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Pomona, in the County of Putnam, State of Florida, and to establish, organize and constitute a municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Pomona Park; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of same.

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

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

H. B. No. 525—An Act to amend Section 22 of Chapter 13972 of the Laws of Florida, 1929, said Act being entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Coral Gables, Dade County, Florida, and create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Coral Gables, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for taxes, government, jurisdiction, powers and privileges," by providing that officers and employees appointed by the City Manager or under his authority may be removed, suspended, laid off, or reduced in grade by the City Manager, or by the officer by whom appointed, for any cause which will promote the efficiency of the service, such action to be subject to approval of the City Manager; that such officers or employees, with certain exceptions, may request in writing written statement of reasons for action which shall be furnished, and by providing for a sworn reply to such statement of reasons by such officer or employee with a demand for hearing; providing that failure of such officer or employee to request written statement of reasons or to reply thereto within a period designated, constitutes full waiver of rights; by providing that the matter in controversy be referred to a special trial board which shall investigate and determine propriety of action and which shall render a decision or verdict, which decision or verdict may be appealed to the City Commission by affected officer or employee, but not by the City Manager; and providing that City Commission, after investigation, may confirm or reverse decision of trial board, such decision by City Commission to be final; providing that trial board and City Commission may conduct hearings, summon witnesses and hear evidence; providing that trial board may determine what compensation, allowance or adjustment of pay affected officer or employee is entitled to, which findings shall likewise be subject to right of appeal to the City Commission by affected officer or employee; but not by City Manager; providing that by ordinance the City Commission shall provide for the establishment of a special trial board, to be composed of five (5) citizens of the City of Coral Gables, not its officers or employees, two (2) to be appointed or elected by the employees of the City, in the manner prescribed by such ordinance, two (2) to be appointed by the City Commission, the fifth (5th) to be selected by the four (4) members chosen and, in case of failure so to appoint, the fifth (5th) to be appointed by the County Judge of Dade County, Florida.

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

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

H. B. No. 526—An Act to amend Section 57 of Chapter 13972, Laws of Florida 1929, being entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, and create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as The City of Coral Gables, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for taxes, government, jurisdiction, powers and privileges," by changing the term "Revenue Bonds" and "Revenue Refunding Bonds" to read respectively "Anticipation Certificates" and "Refunding Anticipation Certificates" wherever such terms therein appear.

Also—

H. B. No. 554—An Act providing for and creating jury commissioners in Manatee County, Florida; prescribing their qualifications, method of appointment, powers, duties, functions and official terms, and providing for the selection, listing and procurement of jurors in said county; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

H. B. No. 556—An Act to make it unlawful for hogs, cattle, horses, mules, asses, sheep, goats and all other domesticated farm animals (not including dogs) to run at large in Manatee County, Florida; to provide for the impounding and sale of such animals when found at large in violation of this Act; to provide for the prosecution and punishment of the owners of such animals who permit the same to run at large in violation of this Act, and to provide a referendum of this Act to the qualified electors of Manatee County for their approval or rejection before the same can become effective.

Also—

H. B. No. 611—An Act to amend Chapter 22368, Laws of Florida, entitled "An Act providing a pension system for certain officers and employees of the City of Lakeland, Florida; creating a pension board of said city; providing pensions for retired and disabled officers and employees of said city; creating a retirement fund and making provision for contributions into same by officers and employees of said city and for payments to pensioners from same; providing for the investment of funds held in such retirement fund; and repealing all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act."

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

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

H. B. No. 527—An Act to amend Section 7j of Chapter 13972 of the Laws of Florida, 1929, said Act being Entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal Government of the City of Coral Gables, Dade County, Florida, and create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as The City of Coral Gables, and to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for Taxes, Government, Jurisdiction, Powers and Privileges", so as to permit said City to purchase, hire, construct, own, maintain, operate or lease local public Utilities, but providing that no such utilities may be acquired until Ordinances or Resolutions for the purchase of such public utilities shall be ratified and approved by a majority of the Freeholder Electors participating in a General or Special Election and provided that no Election shall be required if acquisition of such Public Utility shall be by Revenue Certificates, supported entirely from earnings of such Utility and does not embody a General Liability or Obligation of the City.

Also—

H. B. No. 553—An Act to abolish Pearce Drainage District in Manatee and Sarasota Counties; to create a Board of Trustees; to repeal Chapter 8900 of the Special Acts of the Florida Legislature of 1921; to provide for winding up the affairs of said District, paying its debts and turning over its assets to the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, for a New Drainage District under the Jurisdiction of that Board whose area will be limited to that part of Pearce Drainage District now in Manatee County; and providing for continuing Authority in the Board

of Supervisors of Pearce Drainage District to certify all lists of land, assessment rolls, bills payable and other matters of Record to the Board of County Commissioners, the County Tax Assessor and all other County Officials who shall have duties pertaining to the said new District as the same shall be organized and created by Law and thereafter be administered under Chapter 157 of the Florida Statutes of 1941; and repealing all Laws in conflict herewith.

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

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

S. B. No. 372—An Act to authorize and empower the City of Lake Worth, Florida, by and through the city commission, to levy a tax for the purpose of augmentation of the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of such City of Lake Worth, Florida.

Also—

S. B. No. 400—An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Commissioners of the Halifax Hospital District, a special tax district in Volusia County, Florida, to establish and maintain a post-war building and repair fund and to transfer to such fund all surplus and unexpended balances and revenues received from sales and rentals, and to formulate, develop and revise capital budgets and schedules for a long range, post-war program of building and repair projects and to make preliminary plans and surveys therefor.

Also—

S. B. No. 401—An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 11272, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, entitled "An Act creating and incorporating a special tax district in Volusia County, Florida, to be known as the 'Halifax Hospital District'; fixing and prescribing the boundaries of said district; providing for the governing and administration of the same; providing and defining the powers and purposes of said district and of the board of commissioners thereof; authorizing and empowering such board to establish, contract, operate and maintain such hospital or hospitals as may be established and constructed by said board in said district; authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of said district; authorizing and empowering such board to borrow money on the note or notes of said district; authorizing and providing for the levy and collection of taxes for the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon, and for the payment of said notes or the interest thereon, and authorizing and providing for the levy and collection of additional taxes for the repair and maintenance of said hospital or hospitals; authorizing and providing generally the powers and duties of said board on its behalf" so as to provide for the appointment of the Commissioners of the Halifax Hospital District to represent sub-districts numbered 1 and 3 thereof for a term of two years and to represent sub-districts numbered 2 and 4 thereof for a term of four years; so as to provide that all of the commissioners shall be appointed for a term of four years thereafter.

Also—

S. B. No. 402—An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to establish and maintain post-war public works reserve fund; to formulate, develop and revise capital budgets and schedules for a long range, post-war program of public works projects and to make preliminary plans and surveys therefor.

Also—

S. B. No. 403—An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to provide for the lighting of the public roads and bridges of said county whenever the public safety requires the same.

Also—

S. B. No. 404—An Act to ratify, confirm and validate all Acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Volusia, State of Florida, and the Clerk of said Board, heretofore done and taken in connection with the affairs of said county and to provide for the repealing of all laws in conflict therewith.

Also—

S. B. No. 409—An Act to amend Section 2, Chapter 22324

Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, entitled: "An Act providing that the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, may create a post-war construction fund; prescribing the public purposes for which such fund shall be used; providing the methods for raising revenue to be credited to such fund; prescribing the time and manner when such fund shall be used." So as to provide for a tax levy upon taxable real and personal property in Hillsborough County, Florida, not to exceed 1 mill for each year commencing with the year 1945, and each year thereafter, for the duration of the war and six months thereafter, and to provide for the transfer of any surplus funds of Hillsborough County, at the end of any fiscal year, to the post-war construction fund; and to provide that the provisions of this law shall be cumulative with other laws of Florida authorizing tax levies for post war construction purposes.

Also—

S. B. No. 418—An Act to authorize and empower each County official of Volusia County, Florida, whose compensation for his official duties is paid wholly or partly by fees or commissions, or fees and commissions, to purchase out of the fees and commissions of his office received and collected by him, necessary supplies and equipment of the value of less than \$300.00, as often as may be necessary for the purpose of equipping and maintaining his office, and providing for the purchase by the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, of all supplies and equipment of the value of \$300.00 or more for such county official, after advertising for bids for the same, and providing that all such supplies and equipment bought by or for each such county official out of the fees and commissions of his office as aforesaid shall be deemed county property, and providing for the filing of annual reports of all such purchases by each such county official with the said Board of County Commissioners, and providing for the sale of all such supplies and equipment when no longer needed or suitable for the purposes for which the same were acquired by said Board of County Commissioners, after advertising for bids for the same, and providing for penalties for the violation thereof.

Also—

S. B. No. 419—An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to establish a fund to be known as "Publicity Fund of Volusia County, Florida," and to place unexpended, surplus, and unencumbered balances of appropriations therein.

Also—

S. B. No. 420—An Act to ratify, confirm and validate all acts and proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, and the clerk of said board, heretofore done and taken in connection with the payment of bills for the furnishing of electric lighting of the public roads of Volusia County located in the former Town of Osteen, Florida.

Also—

S. B. No. 421—An Act providing that the Budget of the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, when adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, shall become final without the approval of the Comptroller of the State of Florida or the State Budget Commission or any other budget authority or commission.

Also—

S. B. No. 422—An Act to fix the compensation of the County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, and to ratify, confirm, validate, and legalize the compensation heretofore paid to the County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, and to provide for the repealing of all laws in conflict therewith.

Also—

S. B. No. 453—An Act to designate that part of State Road No. 2, that lies between the City of Lakeland, in Polk County, and the City of Leesburg, in Lake County, as the Thomas W. Bryant Highway.

Also—

S. B. No. 454—An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville by abolishing the offices of councilmen-at-large and fixing the salary of city ward councilmen and other matters in connection therewith.

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

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3:

A Resolution authorizing and requesting the Florida Citizens' Committee on Education to make a survey and study designed to provide a program for the future development of the system of higher education for the State of Florida and to report to the Legislature the findings and results of such survey and study, together with their recommendations in regard to said program.

Also—

S. B. No. 17—An Act referring to corporations and the restoration of the corporate privileges and corporate entity of corporations dissolved by operation of law for failure to pay the capital stock tax, and prescribing conditions for such restoration.

Also—

S. B. No. 31—An Act prescribing a method by which judgments and decrees for the payment of money which have become final may be satisfied; prescribing the duties of clerks and judges in connection therewith.

Also—

S. B. No. 45—An Act to prevent the occurrence of congenital syphilis; requiring a serological test for discovery of syphilis in pregnant women; designating standard serological tests and approved laboratories; provided for statement regarding tests to be made on birth or stillbirth certificates; providing manner in which laboratory reports are to be made; providing tests shall be made free of charge; authorizing use of reports for protection of the public health.

Also—

S. B. No. 167—An Act fixing the compensation of the county assessor of taxes and the county tax collector in counties having a total population of not less than 6510 and not more than 6600 according to the Federal Census of 1940.

Also—

S. B. No. 208—An Act providing that whenever it is necessary to call a primary to fill a vacancy in nomination for any office to be voted for in more than one county but in less than all the counties of this State, such primary may be called by the members of the political party state executive committee from the counties affected by such vacancy and in which counties the primary is necessary to be held to fill such vacancy in any nomination.

Also—

S. B. No. 253—An Act fixing a rule for computing the amount of the pension of members of the Fire Department of the City of Jacksonville, Florida, upon their retirement, and matters relating to the pension fund of the Fire Department of said city.

Also—

S. B. No. 331—An Act for the relief of the estate of C. T. Porter, former Tax Collector of Bay County, State of Florida; providing authority to pay to the personal representative of the estate of said C. T. Porter the sum of \$1,059.73 by the Board of County Commissioners of Bay County, Florida, for commissions earned by the said C. T. Porter as Tax Collector in the years 1929, 1930, 1931 and 1932. The provisions of this Act shall apply only in counties of the State of Florida having a population of more than 20,586, and not less than 20,786 according to the Federal Census of 1940.

Also—

S. B. No. 341—An Act providing for travel and other expense allowance for members of the Boards of Public Instruction in counties having a population of more than 180,000 according to the last State or Federal Census; providing the manner and method of authorizing and auditing such expense allowances

and making appropriation therefor out of the County Current School Fund.

Also—

S. B. No. 423—An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to lease, sell and convey real or personal property belonging to said county no longer needed for county purposes and providing for the advertisement of notice of sale of real property, and ratifying and confirming all conveyances of real and personal property heretofore made by such board.

Also—

S. B. No. 424—An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to adopt zoning regulations and a building code governing the use of property outside of city limits bordering upon, adjacent to and adjoining state and county roads in Volusia County, Florida, and the construction of buildings upon such property and providing for penalties for the violation thereof.

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

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

S. B. No. 40—An Act relative to the recordation of an instrument which affects title or interest in civil aircraft (based on Civil Aeronautics Act, Sec. 503, 49 U. S. C. Sec. 523).

Also—

S. B. No. 48—An Act to regulate the making, filing and use of rates for certain casualty insurance and for fidelity, guaranty and surety bonds; to regulate rating organizations; to provide fees and to provide penalties for the violation of this Act; and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

Also—

S. B. No. 62—An Act to amend Section 323.22, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to distinguishing number plates for motor vehicles transporting persons or property for compensation over the public highways and certificated by or registered with the Florida Railroad Commission, so as to require such number plates, or stickers, to be displayed at all times on such motor vehicles.

Also—

S. B. No. 164—An Act to amend Section 635.17, Florida Statutes 1941, being Section 1 of Chapter 20856, Acts of 1941, relating to life insurance companies, mutual aid associations or fraternal benefit societies, companies or associations.

Also—

S. B. No. 174—An Act relating to attorney's fees, suit money and costs in divorce, alimony and support proceedings, and providing that the Court allowing such fees, suit money and costs may direct that they be paid to the attorneys or other persons for whose ultimate benefit such allowances are made.

Also—

S. B. No. 201—An Act to authorize the State of Florida and other State and County political entities and officers and municipalities of the State of Florida to enter into contract or contracts with the United States, or any agency thereof, for the lease, purchase, or other acquisition, of surplus property under the provisions of the Act of Congress known as the Surplus Property Act of 1944, and amendments or similar act for the disposal of such property.

Also—

S. B. No. 205—An Act to amend Section 102.71, Florida Statutes of 1941, the same being Chapter 22039, Acts of 1943, referring to the nominations by minority political parties.

Also—

S. B. No. 206—An Act requiring candidates for the nomination of any recognized political party under the primary Laws of Florida for the nomination for the office of Presidential Elector to pay a filing fee of twenty-five dollars when qualifying as such candidate.

Also—

S. B. No. 231—An Act providing for the distribution of all monies accruing and allocated to Okaloosa County, Florida, under Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, or any act amendatory or supplemental thereto, or any other race track Acts; authorizing and directing the payment of three thousand dollars of such fund to a health unit in said county; forty per cent of the balance of said funds after deducting the three thousand dollars for said health unit to be paid to the Board of County Commissioners of Okaloosa County, Florida, to be held by them for the sole purpose of constructing and repairing a jail and a courthouse in Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida; sixty per cent of the balance of said fund after deducting the three thousand dollars for said health unit to be paid to the Board of County Commissioners of Okaloosa County, Florida; providing for the distribution of the unused or unexpended portion of the three thousand dollars if the said health unit is not operated; repealing Chapter 20601, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, being an Act authorizing and requiring the Board of County Commissioners of Okaloosa County, Florida, to apportion and distribute one-half of all monies and funds received by such Board of County Commissioners under the provisions of and resulting from Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, and any amendments thereto, for the current construction and maintenance, and repairing of the public free schools of such county; repealing Chapter 21035, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, being an Act providing for the distribution and use of race track funds allocated to Okaloosa County, Florida, under Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, or any Act amendatory or supplementary thereto, of any other race track Acts; and providing that the State Treasurer, the State Comptroller or other official having the authority to disburse said funds shall pay such funds to the County Board of Public Instruction for Okaloosa County, Florida; repealing Chapter 21719, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, being an Act to appropriate \$3,000 of racing revenue to the support of the local health unit in all counties of the State having a population of not less than 12,890 and not more than 12,910, according to the Federal Census of 1940; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

S. B. No. 238—An Act providing for the placement of needy blind persons in vending stands on public property; authorizing any board, council, commission or officials in charge of such property to permit such operation when the same does not unduly interfere with the use of the property for public purposes and when such operators are licensed by Florida Council for the Blind and said stands are operated by or under the supervision and direction of said Council, and authorizing Florida Council for the Blind to cooperate with any agency of the Federal Government in the furtherance of any Act of Congress providing for the rehabilitation of the blind.

Also—

S. B. No. 284—An Act to amend Section 790.13, Florida Statutes 1941, to except Lake County from the provisions of Sections 790.11 to 790.14, inclusive, relating to carrying firearms within national forest areas in the State of Florida.

Also—

S. B. No. 295—An Act relating to the salaries of the Judges of the Circuit Court residing in a county having a population of between thirty-nine thousand and eighty-five thousand inhabitants, according to the latest Federal Census, and in a Circuit composed of not more than three counties, and providing that a portion of such salaries may be paid from the General Revenue of such counties and making same a county purpose.

Also—

S. B. No. 310—An Act providing for the employment and compensation of secretaries to each of the Circuit Judges on active duty residing in the county of the largest population according to the last preceding Federal Census in each of the Judicial Circuits of the State of Florida having a population of more than one hundred thousand and not more than two hundred thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census and which such Judicial Circuits are comprised of three counties, and providing that the compensation of such secretaries shall be paid by the county of such residence out of the General Fund of such county.

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

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that Senate Bill No. 507 be recalled from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Carroll—

S. B. No. 578—A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting insurers organized in Florida, whether on the stock, mutual, reciprocal, assessment, fraternal or any other plan, or its representatives, from transacting or soliciting business in any state in which such insurer is not licensed and providing for revocation of such insurers license in this State if found guilty after hearing before Insurance Commissioner; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and fixing the effective date of this Act.

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

By Senator Carroll—

S. B. No. 579—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 635.05, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Chapter 21801, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, which Chapter is entitled as follows, "An Act to amend Section 635.05, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the payment of bonuses and dividends and the writing of group insurance by life insurers", by adding thereto an additional paragraph relating to life insurers issuing policies covering employees of employer members of a trade association, and prescribing the conditions and circumstances under which such insurance may be issued, and relating to payment of premium therefor.

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

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 580—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 375.20, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to a severance tax on oysters and clams by providing that the proceeds realized from the severance tax on oysters and clams shall be paid into the State Conservation Fund; providing that said taxes shall constitute a trust fund to be expended for conservation, and replanting and rehabilitating certain oyster and clam reefs and beds in the county where such tax is collected, and providing that said taxes shall be used in said county in the exact amounts paid by said county.

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

By Senator Boyle—

S. B. No. 581—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of Rockledge, Florida, to lease for a term of years the municipally owned golf course of the City of Rockledge and providing for a referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 581 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 581 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 581 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. 581 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 581 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Boyle	Coleman 13th	Griner
Ausley	Brackin	Coleman 28th	Johns
Barringer	Branch	Davis	Johnson
Baynard	Bryant	Fraser 29th	King 7th
Beacham	Carroll	Fraser 31st	King 27th
Black	Clarke	Gray	Lewis

Lindler	Moon
Mathews	Perdue
McArthur	Riddle

Sanchez	Sturgis
Shands	Thomas
Sheldon	Wilson

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 581 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sheldon—

S. B. No. 582—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 569.01 and 569.02 Florida Statutes 1941, relating to curb service of intoxicating liquor, and making unlawful the sale or serving of any intoxicating liquor or other beverages containing one percent of alcohol at curb or drive-in stands; and providing punishment for violation of this act.

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

By the Committee on Judiciary "C" —

S. B. No. 583—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 192.29 and 192.30 Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the vacating of plats of subdivisions by the boards of county commissioners of the several counties of the State of Florida returning the property covered by such plats or parts thereof into acreage for the purpose of taxation.

Which was read the first time by title only.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

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

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 583 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33.

Mr. President	Carroll	Johnson	Sanchez
Ausley	Clarke	King 7th	Shands
Barringer	Coleman 13th	King 27th	Sheldon
Baynard	Davis	Lewis	Sturgis
Beacham	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Thomas
Black	Fraser 31st	McArthur	Wilson
Boyle	Gray	Moon	
Brackin	Griner	Perdue	
Bryant	Johns	Riddle	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 583 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Thomas—

S. B. No. 584—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the relief of Mary C. Greene, widow of Clinton A. Greene: requiring the City of Pensacola, Florida, to pay unto said Mary C. Greene a monthly pension of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per month; directing and requiring the proper officers of said city to make said payment in accordance with the terms of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 584 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Thomas moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 584 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 584 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Thomas moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 584 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. 584 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 584 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Moore
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sanchez
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Shands
Black	Davis	Lewis	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Mathews	Thomas
Branch	Gray	McArthur	Wilson

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 584 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By the Committee on Appropriations—

S. B. No. 585—A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for the salaries of the officers and employees of the State and for the current operating expenses of the departments and branches of the State Government for the annual periods beginning July 1, 1945, and July 1, 1946.

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

By Senators Beacham and King (27th Dist.)—

S. B. No. 586—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Everglades Drainage District; amending Section 1 of Chapter 14717, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, declaring the existence of such district, its objects and purposes, validating its creation and declaring its boundaries; conferring power and authority upon the district to utilize and control easements reserved by the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund for drainage purposes; amending Section 9 of said Chapter 14717 relating to maintenance areas and the maintenance tax therefor; providing that all taxes and assessments, except administration tax, be certified, assessed and collected in the same manner as debt service tax; excluding and exempting taxes, assessments and tax title lands from operation and effect of Chapter 20722, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, and Chapter 22079, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, and reviving and restoring same unimpaired by said Chapters; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 586 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 586 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 586 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 586 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. 586 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 586 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Black	Carroll	Fraser 29th
Ausley	Boyle	Clarke	Fraser 31st
Barringer	Brackin	Coleman 13th	Gray
Baynard	Branch	Coleman 28th	Griner
Beacham	Bryant	Davis	Johns

Johnson	Lindler	Perdue	Sheldon
King 7th	Mathews	Riddle	Sturgis
King 27th	McArthur	Sanchez	Thomas
Lewis	Moon	Shands	Wilson

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 586 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Coleman (13th Dist.)—

S. B. No. 587—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing compensation of members of Boards of County Commissioners in each County having a population of more than 260,000 according to the last preceding Federal Census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 587 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 587 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 587 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. 587 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 587 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Moore
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sanchez
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Shands
Black	Davis	Lewis	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Mathews	Thomas
Branch	Gray	McArthur	Wilson

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 587 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Barringer—

S. B. No. 588—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the State Board of Accountancy to license as "Certified Public Accountants" all Public Accountants who have been licensed each year since January 1, 1928, and other related matter, 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 Judiciary "C".

Senator Mathews moved that Senate Bill No. 428 be referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B".

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Beacham moved that Senate Bill No. 237 be recalled from the Committee on Labor and Industry.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Beacham withdrew Senate Bill No. 237.

By unanimous consent Senator Johns withdrew Senate Bill No. 323.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

Tallahassee, Florida, May 17, 1945.

Hon. Walter W. Rose,
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 Shands—

S. B. No. 43—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1, of Chapter 17862, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, being entitled: "An Act to fix the compensation and the basis thereof of county superintendents of public instruction of the counties of the State of Florida".

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

At the end of Section 3, change period to colon and add: "provided, however, that the maximum amount which any superintendent may be paid shall not exceed the sum of nine hundred dollars in excess of amount which he was lawfully entitled to receive on the effective date of this act for his annual salary".

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 43, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 43.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 43.

And Senate Bill No. 43, 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 17, 1945.

Hon. Walter W. Rose,
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 the Committee on Finance and Taxation—

S. B. No. 261—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 21757, Acts of 1943, relating to exemption of dealers in gasoline or other like products of petroleum from payment of excise taxes on gas or other like products of petroleum sold to the United States of America, by providing that said Act shall remain in effect until July 1st, 1947.

Which amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

Rewrite the title to read: An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 21757, Acts of 1943, being: "An Act to provide for exemption of dealers in gasoline or other like products of petroleum from payment of excise taxes on gas or other like products or petroleum sold to the United States of America, its departments, agencies and instrumentalities, in bulk lots for exclusive use by the United States of America, its departments, agencies and instrumentalities; providing for promulgation of rules and regulations by the Comptroller for enforcement of the Act; and providing for the construction and effect of the Act in the event of its invalidity by providing that said Act shall remain in effect until July 1st, 1947."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 261, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 261.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 261.

And Senate Bill No. 261, 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 18, 1945.

Hon. Walter W. Rose,
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 the Committee on Public Health—

S. B. No. 178—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the seizure and forfeiture of all vehicles, boats and aircraft, used for or in the violation of the uniform Narcotic Drug Laws of Florida, prescribing duties of officers and courts and providing for the storage, use, sale and disposition of funds and the issue of title certificate by the State of Florida, providing certain exceptions and repealing all laws in conflict with same.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

At the end of Section 1, change the period to a comma and add the following: "and provided further that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to innocent parties nor destroy any valid lien or retain title contract on motor vehicles as defined by existing registration law."

Amendment No. 2:

Strike out Section 3, and insert the following in lieu thereof: "Section 3. Upon the sale of any motor vehicle the State shall issue title certificate to the purchaser subject to any existing valid liens or retain title contract."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 178, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Brackin moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 178.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 178.

Senator Brackin moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 178.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 178.

And Senate Bill No. 178, 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 18, 1945.

Hon. Walter W. Rose,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has granted the request of the Senate and returns herewith, for the purpose of further consideration—

By Senator Coleman (13th Dist.)—

S. B. No. 477—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 17861, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, entitled, "An Act providing for the employment of assistants to County

Solicitors of Criminal Courts of Record in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of one hundred and eighty thousand (180,000) or more, according to the last State Census; providing that said Act shall apply only to all counties having a population of two hundred and sixty thousand (260,000) or more according to the last Federal Census.

By Senator Coleman (13th Dist.)—

S. B. No. 480—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 17885, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, entitled, "An Act providing for the employment, duties and compensation of special investigators for the Criminal Courts of Record, in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of one hundred and eighty thousand (180,000) or more, according to the last State Census, to assist the County Solicitors in said Counties in the investigation, detection and punishment of crimes committed within said counties"; providing that said Act shall apply only to all Counties having a population of two hundred and sixty thousand (260,000) or more, according to the last Federal Census.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 477 passed the Senate on May 11, 1945.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 477 passed the Senate on May 11, 1945.

The question recurred on the passage of Senate Bill No. 477.

Pending roll call on the passage of Senate Bill No. 477, Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that Senate Bill No. 477 be referred to the Committee on Prisons and Convicts.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 480 passed the Senate on May 11, 1945.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 480 passed the Senate on May 11, 1945.

The question recurred on the passage of Senate Bill No. 480.

Pending roll call on the passage of Senate Bill No. 480, Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that Senate Bill No. 480 be referred to the Committee on Prisons and Convicts.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

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

Tallahassee, Florida, May 18, 1945.

Hon. Walter W. Rose,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 282:

S. B. No. 282—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 127.01, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the exercise of the power of eminent domain by counties, and restricting the exercise of such power to lands within the boundaries of such county and restricting the exercise of such power, so far as actions, now pending or hereafter instituted, to condemn lands for parks, playgrounds, recreational centers and other recreational purposes are concerned, to land for the taking of which there is a public necessity as determined by the court in accordance with the provisions of this act, and providing for right of appeal with supersedeas.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 282, 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 17, 1945.

Hon. Walter W. Rose,
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 Statutory Revisions—

H. B. No. 583—A bill to be entitled An Act revising and amending Section 394.09, Florida Statutes 1941, and relating to the custody and transportation of lunatics and insane persons to the Florida State Hospital.

By the Committee on Statutory Revisions—

H. B. No. 579—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Supreme Court of this State to provide, by rule of court, for the receiving and answering of certificates, as to state law, from the appellate courts of the United States.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 583 and 579, contained in the above Message, were read the first time by titles only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

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

Tallahassee, Florida, May 17, 1945.

Hon. Walter W. Rose,
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. Crews of Duval—

H. B. No. 507—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to general drainage: to amend Sections 298.39, 298.42, 298.45, 298.54, and 298.55, Florida Statutes 1941; all of said Sections relating to general drainage; excepting certain drainage districts.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 507, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Drainage and Water Conservation.

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

Tallahassee, Florida, May 17, 1945.

Hon. Walter W. Rose,
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. Okell of Dade—

H. B. No. 216—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 322.26, 1943 Cumulative Supplement to Florida Statutes 1941, being Section 1 of Chapter 21,764, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, relating to mandatory revocation of driver's licenses, so as to provide the period during which such drivers' licenses shall be revoked for first offenses and for subsequent offenses; and to amend Section 322.28, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the period of suspension or revocation of drivers' licenses; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith; and providing an effective date therefor.

By Mr. Floyd of Franklin—

H. B. No. 405—A bill to be entitled An Act amending, revising and modernizing Sections 394.20, 394.21, 394.22 and 394.23, Florida Statutes 1941, and pertaining to the adjudication of persons mentally or physically incompetent, providing the procedure to be followed in obtaining such adjudication, providing for the detention of such incompetents, the appointment of examining committees, the commitment of such incompetents, and further providing for the restoration to competency of such physically and mentally incompetent persons.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bills Nos. 216 and 405, contained in the above Message, were read the first time by titles only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A".

RECONSIDERATIONS

The motion made by Senator Sturgis on May 17, 1945, to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 499 passed the Senate on May 10, 1945, was taken up in its order, and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate adjourns today it adjourn to reconvene at 4:00 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 21, 1945.

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

Senator McArthur moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 215 passed the Senate on May 17, 1945.

And the motion went over under the rule.

By permission the following bills were introduced:

By Senator Davis—

S. B. No. 589—A bill to be entitled An Act making an emergency appropriation for the Florida Crippled Children's Commission for use in the current biennium.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Davis moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 589 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 589 was read the second time by title only.

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

And Senate Bill No. 589 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 589 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Bryant	Johns	Moon
Ausley	Carroll	Johnson	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	King 7th	Riddle
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 27th	Sanchez
Beacham	Coleman 28th	Lewis	Sturgis
Black	Davis	Lindler	Wilson
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Mathews	
Brackin	Fraser 31st	McArthur	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 589 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senators King (27th Dist.), Gray, Fraser (29th Dist.), King (7th Dist.), Beacham, Johnson, Branch, Brackin, Riddle, Boyle, Barringer, Griner, Moon, Fraser (31st Dist.), Bryant, Sheldon, Lindler, Thomas, Perdue and Coleman (28th Dist.)—

S. B. No. 590—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide pension benefits for members of the Florida Highway Patrol: to provide funds and establish methods of operation and disbursement.

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

By Senator Fraser (31st Dist.)—

S. B. No. 591—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 374.14 and 374.15, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the taking of shrimp or prawn by non-residents and to closed seasons on the taking of shrimp or prawn; defining "non-resident persons" and "non-resident boats" and making the taking of shrimp or prawn by them or with their assistance unlawful except when permitted by reciprocal agreements; prescribing powers of State Board of Conservation and effect of certificate of its supervisor; prescribing minimum size and weight of prawn or shrimp that may be taken; providing closed season for taking prawn or shrimp in certain areas; making it unlawful to possess, transport, buy, sell or offer for sale prawn or shrimp unlawfully taken; prescribing penalties for violations.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Fraser (31st Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 591 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 591 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Fraser (31st Dist.) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 591 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. 591 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 591 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Branch	Fraser 31st	Perdue
Ausley	Bryant	Johnson	Riddle
Barringer	Carroll	King 7th	Sanchez
Baynard	Clarke	King 27th	Shands
Beacham	Coleman 13th	Lewis	Sheldon
Black	Coleman 28th	Lindler	Sturgis
Boyle	Davis	McArthur	
Brackin	Fraser 29th	Moon	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 591 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 Sheldon—

S. B. No. 592—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 18594 providing for the incorporation of all of Virginia Park Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in plat book 9, page 2, and plat book 11, page 43, of the public records of Hillsborough County, Florida, as a special sanitary district known as Virginia Park Special Sanitary District, by conferring upon the Board of Commissioners of said District the power to borrow money for the purpose of extension of its sewer system or making additions and permanent improvements in the existing sewer lines, tanks and plant of said district as distinguished from the ordinary upkeep, maintenance and operation of said sewer; limiting power to borrow such money and providing for the authority in the Board of Commissioners to pledge the anticipated revenues of the District as security for said loan or loans and to issue and to sell certificates of the District therefor; providing that the invalidity of any clause or section of said Act shall in no way affect the validity of the remainder of the Act; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of Publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 592 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 592 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 592 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 592 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. 592 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 592 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Moon
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sanchez
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Shands
Black	Davis	Lewis	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Mathews	Thomas
Branch	Gray	McArthur	Wilson

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 592 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 240, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 240—A bill to be entitled An Act to guarantee payment of all expenses of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, plus a guaranteed remuneration or net compensation for the Clerk of the Circuit Court of not less than six thousand dollars (\$6000.00) per annum, in counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than fourteen thousand and (14,000) and not more than fourteen thousand two hundred (14,200) according to the last or any future official Federal Census.

Was taken up.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 240 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 240 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 240 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. 240 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 240 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Moon
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sanchez
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Shands
Black	Davis	Lewis	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Mathews	Thomas
Branch	Gray	McArthur	Wilson

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 240 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 353, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 353—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that in Counties of the State of Florida having a population of not

less than fourteen thousand (14,000) and not more than fourteen thousand two hundred (14,200) according to the last or any future official Federal Census, the Board of County Commissioners in each of said counties is authorized and required to include in the annual ad valorem tax levies a special levy to raise the sum of fifteen thousand dollars per year to be used for maintenance and operation of any municipally owned or operated hospital therein.

Was taken up.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 353 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 353 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be further waived and House 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 House Bill No. 353 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 353 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Moon
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sanchez
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Shands
Black	Davis	Lewis	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Mathews	Thomas
Branch	Gray	McArthur	Wilson

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 353 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 386, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 386—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for distribution and use of part of the funds received from racing by counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than fourteen thousand (14,000) and not more than fourteen thousand two hundred (14,200) according to the last or any future official Federal Census.

Was taken up.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 386 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 386 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Coleman (13th Dist.) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 386 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. 386 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 386 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Moon
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sanchez
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Shands
Black	Davis	Lewis	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Mathews	Thomas
Branch	Gray	McArthur	Wilson

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 386 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Davis moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 585 be made a Special and Continuing Order of Business for consideration by the Senate at 4:30 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 21, 1945.

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

Senator Carroll asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 440, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 440—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida, the Board of Commissioners of the State Institutions of Florida, the State Board of Conservation of the State of Florida, the State Board of Education of the State of Florida, and any and every other State Board, State Department, or State Agency of the State of Florida, to negotiate, sell, and convey leasehold estates and to make and execute lease contracts commonly known as oil and gas leases lying in, or under any lands, submerged or unsubmerged, in the State of Florida, the legal title to which lands is vested by law or otherwise in any of said boards, or in the State of Florida, control and management of which is in such boards, departments, or agencies; prohibiting the leasing of lands in municipalities, in certain tidal waters and on improved beaches without the consent of municipal authorities or county commissioners, and defining improved beaches; repealing Chapter 20680, Laws of Florida, 1941, being Section 270.28, Florida Statutes 1941, and all other laws, save as herein to the contrary noted, in conflict therewith.

Was taken up.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 440 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 440 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 440 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. 440 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 440 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Bryant	Johns	Sanchez
Ausley	Carroll	Johnson	Shands
Barringer	Clarke	King 7th	Sheldon
Baynard	Coleman 13th	Lewis	Sturgis
Beacham	Davis	Lindler	Thomas
Black	Fraser 29th	Moon	Wilson
Boyle	Fraser 31st	Perdue	
Brackin	Griner	Riddle	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 440 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and the Senate take up for consideration Senate Bills of a General Nature on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, in reverse order in which they appear on the Calendar.

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

Senator Sturgis moved that a committee be appointed to escort Honorable Lonnie Folks, former member of the Senate from the 20th Senatorial District, to a seat on the rostrum of the Senate.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senator Sturgis as the committee.

Pursuant to the motion made by Senator Sturgis, this day, the Senate took up for consideration Senate Bills of a General Nature on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, in reverse order.

S. B. No. 487—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Boards of County Commissioners of each county to close, vacate and abandon any private or public street, road, alley, way or other place used for travel, or any portion thereof, within said county, and to prescribe the method therefor, and validating and confirming the closing, vacation and abandonment of such roads and streets heretofore ordered by such boards.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Ausley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 487 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 487 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ausley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 487 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. 487 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 487 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33.

Mr. President	Bryant	Johns	Riddle
Ausley	Carroll	Johnson	Sanchez
Barringer	Clarke	King 7th	Shands
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 27th	Sheldon
Beacham	Davis	Lewis	Sturgis
Black	Fraser 29th	Lindler	Wilson
Boyle	Fraser 31st	McArthur	
Brackin	Gray	Moon	
Branch	Griner	Perdue	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 487 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 Sheldon moved that Senate Bill No. 246 be recalled from the Committee on Labor and Industry.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Sheldon withdrew Senate Bill No. 246.

S. B. No. 379—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Board of Administration of the State of Florida, created by and existing under Section 16 of Article IX of the Constitution, to approve the issuance of either general or limited obligations or revenue bonds by any city, town, county, district or government unit or agency of the State upon the application to it of such governmental unit or agency, and granting to said State Board of Administration certain rights, powers and authority with reference to payment and provision for payment of bonds approved by it, including the power to impose conditions as a prerequisite to its approval, to make rules and regulations for the exercise of the power granted, and providing for the compensation and expenses incurred by State Board of Administration in the exercise of such powers.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Ausley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 379 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 379 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 379:

Eliminate entire Section 10, and renumber sections in consecutive order.

Senator Shands moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Fraser (31st Dist.) offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 379:

After Section 9 add Section 10, and renumber the subsequent sections. Section 10 to read as follows:

Section 10. In the event any governmental unit or agency does not avail itself of the opportunity to apply to the board for approval of bonds to be issued by it, any taxpayer in any governmental unit or agency which is proposing to issue bonds may apply to said board in like manner for such approval, and the board shall have authority to require the issuing obligor unit and its officials to furnish the information required for its action if the taxpayer is unable to furnish the same. Upon an application by twenty-five (25) or more taxpayers, the board shall consider the proposed issue in like manner as if the application had been made by the obligor unit, and may express its approval or disapproval of said issue in like manner as is hereinabove provided. Any taxpayer making application for approval shall pay the fee and expenses which otherwise would be charged against the obligor unit or agency if application had been made by the unit or agency. If issue of the bonds be approved, the board may endorse its approval on said bonds in like manner as if application had been made by the obligor unit or agency itself, but before doing so the board shall require the unit or agency to reimburse the taxpayer for expenses incurred by him, it or them, in securing such approval.

Senator Fraser (31st Dist.) moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending consideration of the motion made by Senator Fraser to adopt the foregoing amendment, Senator Boyle moved that the further consideration of Senate Bill No. 379, together with pending amendment thereto, be informally passed.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Fraser to Senate Bill No. 379.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ausley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 379, 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. 379, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 379, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—18.

Mr. President	Bryant	Fraser 31st	Moon
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Riddle
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Shands
Black	Davis	Lewis	
Brackin	Fraser 29th	McArthur	

Nays—13.

Baynard	Gray	Sanchez	Wilson
Boyle	Griner	Sheldon	
Coleman 13th	King 27th	Sturgis	
Coleman 28th	Perdue	Thomas	

So Senate Bill No. 379 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills.

S. B. No. 471—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 477.06, 477.20 and 477.21, Florida Statutes 1941, all as amended by Chapter 21984, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, relating to the practice and teaching of beauty culture and the control and regulation thereof: defining persons qualified to receive certificates to practice beauty culture as beautician, manicurist or pedicurist, providing for the organization, compensation, powers and duties of the State Board of Beauty Culture and providing for the disposition of money received by said board and to authorize said board to provide for special courses in beauty culture and to promote and aid said educational programs in beauty culture.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Beacham 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.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived

and Senate Bill No. 471 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 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 471 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—24.

Mr. President	Bryant	Johnson	Sheldon
Ausley	Carroll	King 7th	Sturgis
Baynard	Clarke	King 27th	Thomas
Beacham	Coleman 13th	Lewis	
Black	Fraser 29th	Lindler	
Boyle	Fraser 31st	Moon	
Brackin	Gray	Sanchez	

Nays—7.

Barringer	Johns	Riddle	Wilson
Davis	McArthur	Shands	

So Senate Bill No. 471 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 510—A bill to be entitled An Act to permit a War Veteran to again engage in the business, occupation and profession interrupted by military service, without taking any examination or test otherwise required by law.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 510 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 510 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 510 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. 510 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 510 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Branch	Griner	Perdue
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Riddle
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Sanchez
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Shands
Beacham	Davis	King 27th	Sheldon
Black	Fraser 29th	Lewis	Sturgis
Boyle	Fraser 31st	McArthur	Thomas
Brackin	Gray	Moon	Wilson

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 510 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 356 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

S. B. No. 355—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the levy and sale under execution of certain facilities owned by certain State, County and Municipal Boards, Commissions or Districts, under certain circumstances: providing for the method of determination as to whether property is subject to execution and vesting the Circuit Courts with jurisdiction in such cases.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 355 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 355 was read the second time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Third Reading.

Senate Bills Nos. 305, 250, 449 and 450 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

S. B. No. 511—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 694.04 of the 1941 Florida Statutes, relating to the validation of instruments of conveyance and encumbrance of real and personal property defective in the matter of form or substance of the acknowledgment thereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 511 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 511 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 511 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. 511 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 511 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Bryant	Johns	Riddle
Ausley	Carroll	Johnson	Sanchez
Barringer	Clarke	King 7th	Shands
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 27th	Sheldon
Beacham	Coleman 28th	Lewis	Sturgis
Black	Davis	Lindler	Thomas
Boyle	Fraser 29th	McArthur	Wilson
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Moon	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 511 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bills Nos. 415 and 76 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

S. B. No. 518—A bill to be entitled An Act ratifying and approving the interstate compact to conserve oil and gas as herein set out, authorizing the Governor of the State of Florida to execute any agreement to enable the State of Florida to become a member thereof, authorizing the Governor of said State to execute agreements for further extension of the expiration date thereof, prescribing the form of the agreement, designating the Governor of said State as the authorized representative upon the interstate oil compact commission, authorizing and enabling him to appoint an assistant representative, prescribing procedure for withdrawal from the compact, and declaring an emergency.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 518 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 518 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carroll moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 518 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. 518 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 518 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Riddle
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Sanchez
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Shands
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sheldon
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Sturgis
Black	Davis	Lewis	Thomas
Boyle	Fraser 29th	McArthur	Wilson
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Moon	
Branch	Gray	Perdue	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 518 passed, title as stated, and the action

of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 548 passed the Senate on May 17, 1945.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Senate reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 548 passed the Senate on May 17, 1945.

The question recurred on the passage of Senate Bill No. 548.

Pending roll call on the passage of Senate Bill No. 548 by unanimous consent, Senator Sheldon withdrew Senate Bill No. 548.

S. B. No. 495—A bill to be entitled An Act defining "Title Insurance"; forbidding others than corporations qualified hereunder from engaging in such business; providing for the qualification, licensing, regulation, control, taxation and liquidation of title insurance corporations doing business in the State of Florida; prescribing rights, privileges, duties and qualifications of such corporations; imposing inhibitions and restraints upon such corporations; providing for the appointment and licensing of title insurance agents and the regulation and control thereof; imposing inhibitions and restraints upon such agents; imposing powers and duties upon the State Treasurer as ex officio insurance commissioner in connection therewith; providing for filing policy forms and rates; prohibiting rebates, commissions and discounts; and providing penalties and liabilities for the violation of this act; providing for the exclusive applicability of this act and pronouncing a rule of construction with respect thereto; repealing all laws and parts of laws not consistent or in conflict with the provisions hereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 495 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 495 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 495 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. 495 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 495 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33.

Mr. President	Bryant	Griner	Sanchez
Ausley	Carroll	Johns	Shands
Barringer	Clarke	Johnson	Sheldon
Baynard	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sturgis
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Thomas
Black	Davis	Lewis	Wilson
Boyle	Fraser 29th	McArthur	
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Moon	
Branch	Gray	Perdue	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 495 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 463—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to education: to amend Sections 233.13; 233.14; 233.16; 233.17; 233.34; 233.39, Florida Statutes, 1941.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 463 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 463 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 463 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. 463 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 463 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Branch	Gray	Moon
Ausley	Carroll	Griner	Perdue
Barringer	Clarke	Johns	Sanchez
Baynard	Coleman 13th	Johnson	Shands
Beacham	Coleman 28th	King 7th	Sheldon
Black	Davis	King 27th	Sturgis
Boyle	Fraser 29th	Lewis	Thomas
Brackin	Fraser 31st	McArthur	Wilson

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 463 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 458—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 320.40, 320.41, and 323.11, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the regulation of motor vehicles and trailers and prescribing maximum weights, height and length of certain vehicles.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King (7th Dist.) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 458 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 458 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King (7th Dist.) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 458 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. 458 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 458 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33.

Mr. President	Carroll	Johns	Sanchez
Ausley	Clarke	Johnson	Shands
Barringer	Coleman 13th	King 7th	Sheldon
Baynard	Coleman 28th	King 27th	Sturgis
Black	Davis	Lewis	Thomas
Boyle	Fraser 29th	McArthur	Wilson
Brackin	Fraser 31st	Moon	
Branch	Gray	Perdue	
Bryant	Griner	Riddle	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 458 passed, title as stated, 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 stood adjourned at 1:04 o'clock P. M., until 4:00 o'clock P. M., Monday, May 21, 1945.