

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

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Thursday, April 17, 1947

The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock, A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Wednesday, April 16, 1947.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

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A quorum present.

The following prayer was offered by the Chaplain:

"Holy Father, grant that we may have in us today the mind of Jesus. Forgive, we pray Thee, all in us that is selfish and give us to live and love and think as Jesus would have us live and love and think. We beseech Thee that our love may abound yet more and more in knowledge and in all judgment; that we may approve things that are excellent; that we may be sincere and without offense. Thou who art compassionate, create within our daily life a deep yearning for Thy presence that we may walk in the light of Thy countenance. Remove the demon of selfishness from the world of our day and cause the Christ of love to reign instead. In his name we pray. Amen."

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of Wednesday, April 16, 1947, was corrected as follows:

Page 7, column 2, between lines 13 and 14, counting from the bottom of the column, insert the following:

"Wm. M. Smiley, State Attorney in and for the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, for the term ending the first Monday in January, 1949."

Also—

Page 9, column 1, in line 10, counting from the bottom of the column, strike out the name "Perrington," and insert in lieu thereof the name "Derrington."

Also—

Page 9, column 2, in line 7, counting from the top of the column, strike out the initial "C" and insert in lieu thereof the initial "G".

And as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Your Committee on Population, to whom was referred:

The following bills, have examined the same and certify that said bills apply only to the counties hereinafter indicated:

S. B. No. 7—Seminole.

S. B. No. 43—Citrus.

S. B. No. 66—Alachua.

S. B. No. 81—Pinellas.

S. B. No. 91—Hillsborough, Duval and Dade.

Very Respectfully,
LLOYD F. BOYLE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 7, 43, 66 and 81, contained in the above report, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

And Senate Bill No. 91, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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

S. B. No. 53—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing boards of county commissioners, with respect to property located without the corporate limits of any municipality, to vacate, abandon, discontinue and close streets, roads and highways other than State and Federal highways; to renounce and disclaim any right of the county and public in and to any land or interest therein acquired for street, road and highway purposes, other than lands acquired for State and Federal highways; to renounce and disclaim any right of the county and public in and to any lands delineated on any recorded map or plat as a street, road or highway; to convey title to lands constituting such streets, roads or highways which are no longer required for such purposes; providing for the duties of county officers and prescribing for such procedure to be followed in such matters.

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

Very respectfully,
PHILIP D. BEALL, JR.,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 53, 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. 67—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 821.07 of Florida Statutes 1941 to provide that it shall be unnecessary to give notice by posting on any tract of land whatsoever that is completely surrounded by a good and substantial fence and to provide that any such fence shall be notice to the public in general that no one is authorized to enter thereon.

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

Very respectfully,
PHILIP D. BEALL, JR.,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 67, 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. 65—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the publication of official public notices and legal advertisements and the amounts to be charged therefor: Amending Chapter 49.06 Florida Statutes 1941, being the same as Section 4668 of the Compiled General Laws of Florida 1927.

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

Very respectfully,
PHILIP D. BEALL, JR.,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 65, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 15—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 584.05 and 584.06, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the con-

trol of honeybee diseases and punishment for violations thereof.

And—

S. B. No. 40—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 584.05 and 584.06, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the control of honeybee diseases and punishment for violations thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend that the following Committee Substitute therefor do pass:

Committee Substitute for Senate Bills Nos. 15 and 40—

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 584.05 and 584.06, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the control of honeybee diseases and punishment for violations thereof.

Very respectfully,
LLOYD F. BOYLE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 15 and 40, contained in the above report, together with the Committee Substitute therefor, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Public Health to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 95—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 464.02, 464.04, 464.07, 464.08, and 464.09 Florida Statutes of 1941 of Chapter 464 entitled and relating to nursing.

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

Very respectfully,
W. B. MOON,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 95, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. C. R. No. 1—Inviting the Governor to address Joint Session of the Legislature, April 8, 1947, at three o'clock P. M.

Also—

S. C. R. No. 2—With reference to the death of Henry Ford.

Also—

S. C. R. No. 3—A Resolution inviting the Honorable Claude Pepper and the Honorable Spessard L. Holland, United States Senators from Florida, to address a Joint Session of the Florida Legislature.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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

Very respectfully,
J. W. LINDLER,
Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the part of the Senate.

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

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS AND
CONSIDERATION OF SENATE
RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Collins—

Senate Resolution No. 2:

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, THAT, we here note and approve the sentiments following, which were set forth in an editorial in the issue of the NEW YORK TIMES of April 12, 1947:

"TWO YEARS AFTER"

"Franklin D. Roosevelt has now receded two years into history; far enough to give us some perspective on him, not far enough to be a cold figure on a monument. We remember some of his lighter aspects—the cockily tilted cigarette in its long holder; the genial give and take of some of the press conferences; the boyish interest in the sea; the almost equally boyish zeal for politics considered as a game. We may recall points on which we differed with him, particularly in the field of domestic policy. Few could be in 100 per cent agreement all the time with this volatile, versatile, impulsive man.

"We may remember, too, with sadness, the way in which the Presidential office wore him down; the buoyant person of 1933, so vigorous that his physical handicap was all but forgotten, passed by degrees into the pale warrior of the Yalta Conference, wearied by responsibility, grieved by the deaths of so many of those whom he in constitutional theory and in bold fact commanded, faced with the necessity of decisions and compromises

"But neither gaiety nor courage, neither devotion nor endurance, would have availed to keep his memory green if he had not been right on the main issue of his time. He saw, earlier than most, the dreadful issue that faced this nation. When he said, 'I hate war,' we know he meant it. When he said that he did not plan to send American boys overseas we know he meant that, too. But the time came when the question was whether we should fight overseas or in defense of our own shores.

"Some may still argue that he could have sidestepped that question. He could have betrayed the Chinese and accepted the overlordship of Japan in the Orient. He could have betrayed European civilization and accepted the rule of the beast on the Continent and in Britain. He need not have sold our over-age destroyers, leased the Atlantic bases, urged the Lend-Lease system, undertaken an armed defense of our right to go upon our lawful errands on the high seas. If his leadership had been of that kind he might have confused and delayed American armament and American thinking until it was too late. We might have kept out of the war until our friends were disposed of. We might still be at peace—if it could be called peace—while a victorious Germany, Italy and Japan made ready to destroy us.

"Franklin Roosevelt understood our people and our destiny. He led us where we had to go and where, in spite of the horrors of our journey, we wanted to go. He laid the foundations for our participation in a new organization to keep the peace. It would be foolish to try to rank him among our Presidents, greater than this one, not so great as that one. But he was a man for his time, overcoming a physical handicap as other great Americans overcame poverty, meeting the requirements of an office which demanded that its occupant, whether a great man or not by natural endowment, act greatly."

Which was read the first time in full.

The question was put on the adoption of the Resolution.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Resolution No. 2 was adopted.

Senator Mathews moved that Senate Bill No. 91 be recalled from the Committee on Appropriations.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Mathews withdrew Senate Bill No. 91.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senators Wilson, Davis, Fraser (31st), Fraser (29th), Sanchez, Coleman, Beall, Walker, Beacham, Cray, Leaird, Franklin, Branch, Moon, Perdue, Boyle, Ray, Flake, Gray, Johnson, Pearce, Alford, Lindler, and King—

S. B. No. 100—A bill to be entitled An Act to create and establish the University of Florida School of Medicine and Dentistry to be located in Dade County, Florida; providing for the acquisition of property and for the establishment, maintenance and operation thereof; providing for the creation of a Board of Regents therefor, their appointment, tenure, powers, duties and compensation; setting forth the respective powers and duties of the State Board of Education, State Board

of Control, State Comptroller and State Treasurer, relative to the establishment, operation, and maintenance of the school; empowering the school to acquire, use and dispose of cadavers for educational and scientific purposes; and making appropriations for the acquisition, construction, equipment, maintenance, and operation of such school.

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

By Senators Coleman and Franklin—

S. B. No. 101—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to lands lying within established or proposed national parks, forests or monuments, and interests therein, belonging to Boards of County Commissioners or their respective counties; providing for conveyances thereof to the United States or its departments without cost; and providing for the form and effect of such conveyances.

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

By Senator Mathews—

S. B. No. 102—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for safety to life and person in places of assembly in which provision is made for the seating of one hundred or more persons for religious, recreational, educational, political, social or amusement purposes or for the consumption of food or drink, and to owners, tenants and operators of same; providing for the enforcement hereof by certain State or local officials; providing an appropriation for necessary expense of the State Fire Marshal to discharge his duties under this act; providing penalties for the violation hereof; and modifying or repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, with certain exceptions.

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

By Senator Mathews—

S. B. No. 103—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the abatement of actions and suits not prosecuted for one year; providing for their reinstatement; prescribing the result of failure to reinstate; and repealing Section 45.19, Florida Statutes, 1941.

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

By Senator Franklin—

S. B. No. 104—A bill to be entitled 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.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 104 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 104 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 104 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. 104 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 104 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Beacham	Brackin	Coleman
Alford	Beall	Branch	Collins
Baynard	Boyle	Carroll	Crary

Davis	Gray	McArthur	Sanchez
Flake	Johnson	Moon	Sheldon
Franklin	King	Pearce	Sturgis
Fraser (29th)	Leaird	Perdue	Walker
Fraser (31st)	Lindler	Ray	Wilson
Getzen	Mathews	Riddle	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 104 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 Ray—

S. B. No. 105—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 561.05, 561.20, 561.29, 561.32, 561.34, 561.42, 561.43, 561.44, 561.45, 561.47, 561.54, 562.02, 562.09, 562.10, 562.11, 562.14, Florida Statutes, 1941, and Section 9 of Chapter 22669, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, also designated as Section 562.45-1, 1945, cumulative supplement, Florida Statutes, 1941, all relating to the administration, regulation, taxing, transportation, manufacturing, distribution and sales under the Beverage Laws of the State of Florida and the enforcement thereof; and providing for the issuance renewal, revocation, suspension and transfer of beverage licenses and the method and time in which appeals from orders of revocation and suspension shall be made; and providing to limit according to population the number of licenses to be hereafter issued; and providing for the manner, method and terms of sale by distributors, and prohibiting financial aid and assistance to vendors; and providing for zoning by municipalities and counties; and prohibiting possession of beverages on licensed premises not permitted to be sold under licenses; governing sales of beverages and merchandise in package stores; regulating sales where consumption of beverages is permitted on premises; prohibiting the selling, giving or serving of alcoholic beverages to minors; regulating the hours of sale of alcoholic beverages; prohibiting possession of moonshine liquor; and providing for penalties for the violation of the Beverage Law, Chapters 561 and 562, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended, including amendments made by this law; and repealing Sections 561.21, 561.30 and 561.31, Florida Statutes, 1941.

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

By Senator Ray—

S. B. No. 106—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 567.01, 567.06, 567.07 and 567.12, Florida Statutes, 1941, all relating to local option elections; providing for determination in such elections of whether sales of intoxicating liquors, wines or beer shall be restricted to quantities of not less than one-half of a pint, contained in sealed containers, for consumption off premises where sold; providing that where it is determined to so restrict such sales, it is unlawful to sell, cause to be sold, permit to be consumed, or to consume, such intoxicants in violation of such restrictions and prescribing penalties therefor.

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

By Senator Ray—

S. B. No. 107—A bill to be entitled An Act imposing an additional tax upon beverages containing fourteen per cent or more of alcohol by weight, except all wines, natural sparkling wines and malt beverages, and providing for affixing of stamps as evidence of payment of said tax.

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

By Senators Sheldon, Shands, Sturgis and Carroll—

S. B. No. 108—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certificates of titles on motor vehicles; providing for issuance by Motor Vehicle Commissioner; requiring the delivery and assignment of certificates of title on sale of motor vehicles, and acquisition of certificates by purchases of motor vehicles; providing for recognition of titles to motor vehicles only in cases where evidenced by duly issued certificate of title; designating method and manner of issuance of certificates of title; providing that all enforceable liens and encumbrances appear on face of certificate and that certificate be held by first lien

holder until satisfaction of lien; providing method of noting and satisfying liens on certificates; authorizing and empowering Motor Vehicle Commissioner to adopt rules and regulations and prescribe and furnish forms for administration of this act, authorizing cancellation of certificates under certain circumstances; authorizing Motor Vehicle Commissioner to prepare and furnish information concerning titles for certain fees; providing that all law enforcing officers furnish information to Motor Vehicle Commissioner relative to stolen motor vehicles and requiring Commissioner to keep index of stolen and recovered vehicles and publication and circulation of such information; providing that Sections 28.22 and 319.15 of Florida Statutes 1941 shall not apply after effective date of this act, except in cases of liens existing on effective date of this act providing priority of liens and methods of transfer of ownership in certain cases, and proof required for issuance of new certificate in such cases; providing for memorandum designating fees to be charged by Motor Vehicle Commissioner for services under this act; repealing Sections 319.01, 319.02, 319.03, 319.04, 319.05, 319.06, 319.07, 319.09, 319.10, 319.11, 319.12, 319.13, Florida Statutes 1941, and all other laws in conflict and designating effective date of this act.

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

By Senators Shands, Sheldon, Sturgis and Carroll—

S. B. No. 109—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and providing for the issuance of certificates of titles on motor vehicles upon transfer of ownership by operation of law and in other cases; empowering Motor Vehicle Commissioner to determine proof of ownership and right of possession; and providing that this act shall not repeal any other law or part of law but shall be supplemental thereto.

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

By Senator Sheldon—

S. B. No. 110—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the licensing of persons, firms and corporations dealing in trailer coaches and vehicles not self-propelled, used for housing accommodations and providing qualifications, license fee, bond, and other provisions of the protection of general public, providing certain liabilities for violations of this Act requiring that records be kept and that same be made available to the Motor Vehicle Commissioners, providing penalties and for the enforcement of this Act.

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

By Senator Sheldon—

S. B. No. 111—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 74.01 and 74.05, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the exercise of the power of Eminent Domain.

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

By Senators Coleman and Mathews—

S. B. No. 112—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of State Attorneys and Assistant State Attorneys in each Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida which embraces and includes a county having a population of more than 260,000 according to the last preceding State Census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

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

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 112 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By the Committee on Cities and Towns—

S. B. No. 113—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the incorporation of municipalities; amending Sections 165.01, 165.03 and 165.04 of the Florida Statutes, 1941, to provide that the incorporators shall be male and female inhabitants and free holders and registered voters of the hamlet, village, town or community to be incorporated, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

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

By Senator Franklin—

S. B. No. 114—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the examination, licensing and regulation of insurance adjusters under the supervision of the Insurance Commissioner; fixing the annual license tax payable by adjusters; providing for the issuance, renewal, suspension or revocation of such licenses by the Insurance Commissioner under conditions and circumstances stated, and for court review of the orders of such official related thereto; providing that certain insurance agents, certain officers of insurers, the designated attorney or representative of subscribers in inter-insurance or reciprocal agreements; and attorneys at law licensed to practice in this State are not required to be licensed hereunder to adjust insurance losses; declaring unlawful certain practices in connection with adjusting claims, loss or damage under insurance contracts; prescribing penalties for violation of this act; defining certain terms used herein; 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 Pearce—

S. B. No. 115—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 371.01, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to definitions of words, phrases and terms used in the Statutes relating to salt and fresh water fish, shell fish, crustacea, sponges, and wild birds and animals; and revising certain of the definitions in said section and adding others.

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

By Senator Wilson—

S. B. No. 116—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and providing for the consolidation of School Districts numbered 3 and 6 of Gadsden County, Florida, into one school district, to be known and numbered School District number 3, and to provide for its boundaries; to provide for election of trustees and providing for existing indebtedness against such original districts.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 116 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 Wilson moved that the rules be waived and Senate

Bill No. 116 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 116 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 116 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. 116 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 116 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 116 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Wilson—

S. B. No. 117—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and providing for the consolidation of School Districts numbered 1, 2, 13, 14 and 15 of Gadsden County, Florida, into one School District, to be known and numbered School District Number 1, and to provide for its boundaries; to provide for election of trustees and providing for existing indebtedness against such original districts.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of Publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 117 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 Wilson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 117 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 117 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Wilson moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 117 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. 117 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 117 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 117 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senators Rose, Gray, Moon, Sanchez, Beacham, Boyle, Carroll and Alford—

S. B. No. 118—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Acquiring Sites for and Constructing and Equipping, Enlarging, Remodeling, and Improving Tuberculosis Sanatoria by the State Tuberculosis Board and making an appropriation therefor.

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

Senator Sheldon asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 42, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 42—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, to convey gratuitously without advertisement sale or consideration to Jose Gonzalez Chapter 705, American Veterans Committee, Inc., Lot Four of Block Twenty-Eight, map of Ybor City, per plat recorded in plat book 1, page 4, Public Records of said County, for the purpose of a clubhouse and meeting place for said Veterans, and likewise empowering and directing the proper officials of the City of Tampa, Florida, a municipal corporation, to take all necessary actions to accomplish the cancellation and discharge of record of any and all taxes and liens claimed or held by said municipality upon said real estate.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 42 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 42 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

Nays—None.

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

Senator Collins moved that the Senate do now proceed to the consideration of Executive Communications.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate went into Executive Session at 11:32 o'clock, A. M.

The Senate emerged from Executive Session at 1:28 o'clock P. M.

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

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

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AFTERNOON SESSION

A quorum present.

Senator Rose moved that when the Senate adjourns it adjourn to reconvene at 2:45 o'clock P. M., this day.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

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

Tallahassee, Florida, April 17, 1947.

Hon. S. D. Clarke,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

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

By Messrs. Branch, Martin and McMullen of Hillsborough—

H. B. No. 191—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the incorporation of municipalities; providing that Sections 165.01, 165.02, 165.03, 165.04, 165.05, 165.06, 165.07 and 165.08, Florida Statutes, 1941, shall not apply to or be effective in any county having a population of not less than one hundred fifty thousand nor more than two hundred fifty thousand according to the last preceding state census; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 191, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 191 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 191 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 191 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. 191 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 191 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 191 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 Crary moved that a committee be appointed to escort Honorable K. Griner, Cross City, Florida, former Senator from the 12th Senatorial District, to a seat on the rostrum of the Senate.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Crary, Perdue, and Mathews as the committee.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate recessed at 1:32 o'clock, P. M., until 2:45 o'clock, P. M., this day.

The Senate reconvened at 2:45 o'clock, P. M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

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A quorum present.

Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3, the Senate formed in processional order and marched in a body to the hall of the House of Representative in the order of their services as Senators preceded by the President and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, who were preceded by the Secretary of the Senate, the way being opened to the hall of the House of Representatives for the Senators by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate.

Honorable Thos. D. Beasley, Speaker of the House of Representatives, received the President of the Senate on the rostrum and requested him to preside over the joint assembly.

The President in the Chair.

By direction of the President, the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives called the roll of the House of Representatives and the following members answered to their names:

Mr. Speaker:

Messrs:	Davis	Martin	Schuh
Akerman	Dayton	McAlpin	Sellar
Alexander	Dekle	McClure	Sheppard
Andrews	Dekle	McKendree	Simpson
Barnhill	Dowda	McKenzie	Smith, J. S.
Botts	Dunn	McMullen	Smith, L. W.
Branch	Elliott	Melvin	Smith, M. B.
Bronson	Floyd	Merritt	Smith, R. C.
Brown	Fuqua	Midyette	Stewart
Bryant	Gautier	Morgan	Stirling
Burnsed	Gilmore	Moore	Stokes
Burton	Hardin	Morrow	Strayhorn
Camp	Hawkins	Murray	Tapper
Carraway	Hethcox	Odham	Taylor
Carter	Horne	Oelkers	Usina
Clark, C. L.	Hough	Papy	Wainwright
Clark, M. C.	Howell	Peacock, J. T.	Walton
Clement	Ingraham	Peacock, J. R.	Williams, G. K.
Cobb, Tyn	Jenkins	Peoples	Williams, J. J.
Cobb, T. T.	Johnson	Potter	Wilson
Collins	Kelly	Roberts	Wotitzky
Cook	Lantaff	Rowell	Yeomans
Courtney	Luckie	Saunders	
Crews	MacWilliam		

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A quorum of the House of Representatives was declared present.

By direction of the President, the Secretary of the Senate called the roll of the Senate and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

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A quorum of the Senate was declared present.

The President announced a quorum of the joint assembly present.

Mr. Simpson of Jefferson moved that a committee of five be appointed to escort the Honorable Spessard L. Holland, United States Senator from Florida, to the rostrum.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Carroll and Wilson, on the part of the Senate; and Messrs. Simpson of Jefferson, Murray of Polk, and Martin of Hillsborough, on the part of the House of Representatives, as the committee.

Senator Holland was duly escorted to the rostrum where he was graciously received.

Mr. Collins of Sarasota moved that a committee of five be appointed to escort the Honorable Millard F. Caldwell, Governor of the State of Florida, to the rostrum.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Mathews and Franklin, on the part of the Senate; and Messrs. Collins of Sarasota, Luckie of Duval and Stokes of Bay, on the part of the House of Representatives, as the committee.

Governor Caldwell was duly escorted to the rostrum where he was graciously received.

Senator Holland was presented to the body by Governor Caldwell and addressed the joint assembly.

Following the address of Senator Holland, Senator Beacham moved that the Senate do now repair to the Senate Chamber and resume its session.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

The Senate returned to the Senate Chamber in processional order and resumed its session at 4:22 o'clock P. M.

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

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Alford	Crary	King	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Leaird	Sanchez
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Mathews	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	Wilson
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	
Coleman	Johns	Ray	

—38.

A quorum present.

By permission the following Report of Committee was received:

Your Committee on Appropriations, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 118—An Act relating to acquiring sites for and constructing and equipping, enlarging, remodeling, and improving Tuberculosis Sanatoria by the State Tuberculosis Board and making an appropriation therefor.

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

Very respectfully,
W. A. SHANDS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 118, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Beacham moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 4:28 o'clock, P. M., until 11:00 o'clock, A. M., Friday, April 18, 1947.