

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Tuesday, May 13, 1947

The Senate convened at 10:00 o'clock, A.M., pursuant to adjournment on Monday, May 12, 1947.

The President in the Chair.

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

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

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A quorum present.

The following Prayer was offered by the Chaplain.

"Our Father, help us to take up our cross. Reveal clearly Thy perfect will for us. Grant Thy wisdom, courage, and strength, that we may be faithful this day in every relationship and to every task. Enable us to walk more thoroughly in Thy steps, that from day to day we may grow more like Thee in loving obedience. We thank Thee that Thou art our eternal refuge and that 'underneath are the everlasting arms.' Open Thou our eyes, that we may see the horizon fall back, the veil of distance part asunder, the heavens open, and the glory of God stream through, revealing unto us the King in His beauty, the Lord on His Throne. Grant unto us this heavenly vision, and we shall be satisfied. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen."

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with by waiver of the rules.

The Journal of April 25, 1947, was further corrected as follows:

Page 22, column 2, strike lines 4 to 21, inclusive, counting from the top of the column, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 146—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to education: to amend Sections 228.15; 228.16; 228.19; 229.23; 230.04; 230.06; 230.08; 230.09; 230.10; 230.25; 230.30; 230.34; 230.44; 231.02; 231.10; 231.11; 231.14; 231.16; 231.17; 231.18; 231.36; 231.40; 231.42; 232.01; 232.38; 236.01; 236.02; 236.03; 236.04; as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 22,537, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945; 236.05; 236.07; 236.08; 236.09; 236.13; 236.15; 236.18; 236.61; 236.62; 239.19; 239.20; 239.22; 239.24; 242.01 as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 22,780, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945; 242.02; 242.05; as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 22,518, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, and to make the necessary appropriations therefor; 242.17; 242.41; 242.42; and 242.43; Florida Statutes of 1941 as amended; and Sections 4, 6, 7, and 8 of Chapter 22,944, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945; and to repeal Sections 230.07; 231.08; 231.19; 231.21; 235.22; 236.06; 236.10; 236.11; 236.12; 236.16; 236.60; 236.63; 236.64; 236.65; 236.66; 236.67; 240.12; 242.03; 242.15; 242.16; 242.18; and 242.44, Florida Statutes of 1941, as amended.

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of May 2, 1947, was further corrected as follows:

Page 9, column 1, strike lines 17 to 34, inclusive, counting from the top of the column, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 146—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Education: to amend Sections 228.15; 228.16; 228.19; 229.23; 230.04; 230.06; 230.08; 230.09; 230.10; 230.25; 230.30; 230.34; 230.44; 231.02; 231.10; 231.11; 231.14; 231.16; 231.17; 231.18; 231.36; 231.40; 231.42; 232.01; 232.38; 236.01; 236.02; 236.03; 236.04; as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 22,537, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945; 236.05; 236.07; 236.08; 236.09; 236.13; 236.15; 236.18; 236.61; 236.62; 239.19; 239.20; 239.22; 239.24; 242.01 as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 22,780, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945; 242.02; 242.05; as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 22,518, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, and to make the necessary appropriations therefor; 242.17; 242.41; 242.42; and 242.43; Florida Statutes of 1941 as amended; and Sections 4, 6, 7, and 8 of Chapter 22,944, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945; and to repeal Sections 230.07; 231.08; 231.19; 231.21; 235.22; 236.06; 236.10; 236.11; 236.12; 236.16; 236.60; 236.63; 236.64; 236.65; 236.66; 236.67; 240.12; 242.03; 242.15; 242.16; 242.18; and 242.44, Florida Statutes of 1941, as amended.

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of Monday, May 12, 1947, was corrected as follows:

Page 10, column 1, in line 21, counting from the top of the column, strike the word "dues" and insert in lieu thereof the word "duties".

And as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Your Committee on Pensions and Claims, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 528—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Henry Burt Dinkins, to compensate for damages received through negligence on the part of a game warden, acting in the line of duty.

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

Very respectfully,

E. BERT RIDDLE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 528, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on State Institutions, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 533—A Bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 954.02, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the establishment of a State Prison Farm.

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

Very respectfully,

JEFF FLAKE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 533, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 128—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a state road in Holmes County.

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

Very respectfully,

T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 128, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 232—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a state road in Bay County.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 232, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 233—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a state road in Bay County.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 233, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 80—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, establish and designate a certain state road in Franklin County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 80, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 197—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring, designating and establishing certain State Roads in Lafayette County.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 197, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 256—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State Road and give it a name.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 256, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 297—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a State Road in Glades County.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 297, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 309—A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the repair, reconstruction, relocation and alterations of State Roads and State-Aid Roads; requiring the construction and designation of Detour Roads for the convenience of the traveling public; imposing certain duties upon the State Road Department, its contractors, agents and representatives.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 309, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 349—A bill to be entitled An Act to name and designate a certain road in Hamilton County, Florida, as "the Stanley Adams Memorial Highway", and to provide for the suitable marking of said road by the State Road Department.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 349, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 419—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain state road.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 419, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 443—A bill to be entitled An Act designating a certain state road.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 443, contained in the above report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 447—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain road in Bay County.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 447, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 452—A bill to be entitled An Act re-designating and re-establishing a portion of the Atlantic Beach Boulevard, formerly State Road 140, in Brevard County.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 452, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 392—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain State Road across Old Tampa Bay between Pinellas and Hillsborough Counties.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 392, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 523—A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a certain State Road in Santa Rosa County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 523, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 527—A bill to be entitled An Act further designating and extending State Road 22 from Wawahitchka, in Gulf County, in a general East-Southeast direction to Sumatra, in Liberty County, thence along Eighth Street in Sumatra, thence in a general Eastward direction through Liberty County to the Ochlockonee River, crossing the Ochlockonee River in the vicinity of Silver Lake, thence in a Northeastward direction to or near Sanborn's Fire Tower in Wakulla County, where State Road No. 22 will intersect with State Road No. 375.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 527, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 538—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain state road.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 538, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 548—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain state road in Jackson County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 548, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 549—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain state roads in Jackson County, Florida.

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

Very respectfully,
T. DREW BRANCH,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 549, 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. 561—A bill to be entitled An Act providing an additional method for submitting to the electors of any county in this state the question of whether permits for conducting race meetings in such county, granted under Chapter 550, Florida Statutes, 1941, be continued or revoked.

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

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

And Senate Bill No. 561, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 564—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the punishment of all persons who after having been convicted of the crime of larceny or embezzlement, either grand or petit, thereafter commits the crime of larceny or embezzlement, either grand or petit, and all persons convicted at the same term of court of two distinct crimes of larceny or embezzlement, either grand or petit.

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

Very respectfully,
JOHN E. MATHEWS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 564, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 448—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Treasurer and Comptroller of the State of Florida to cancel from their records certain outstanding jurors and witnesses advances to Clerks of the Courts.

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

Very respectfully,
JOHN E. MATHEWS,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 448, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 96—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 47.26, Florida Statutes, 1941, and Chapter 21992, Laws of Florida, 1943, relating to the service of process within State prisons, by providing that a copy of such process shall be served upon the Commissioner of Agriculture, and a copy also served upon the prisoner named in such process.

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

Very respectfully,
JOHN E. MATHEWS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 96, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 289—A bill to be entitled An Act allowing the examination of the defendant under oath in any action brought for the recovery of or enforcement of any lien or claim upon personal property brought in the courts of this State when it appears that the property claimed has been disposed of or concealed so that the writ cannot be executed, and empowering the court to punish as contempt of court a wilful obstruction or hindrance or disobedience of the order of the court.

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

Very respectfully,
JOHN E. MATHEWS,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 289, 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. 417—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the title to and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of Chapter 21769, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, otherwise known as Section 205.69, Florida Statutes, 1941, and adding Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 thereto; defining the trade or occupation of dispensing optician; providing for the examining and regulating of dispensing opticians and placing same under the jurisdiction of the State Board of Opticians; providing for a license tax on persons, firms or corporations engaging in such trade or occupation; prohibiting the sale of eye-glasses, spectacles and lenses except as provided by this Act, unless the optician has qualified with and obtained a license from the State Board of Opticians; providing for the licensing of dispensing opticians having a license to practice and trade at the time this Act becomes a law; prescribing the manner of enforcing the provisions of this Act; fixing the penalties for the violation of the terms and provisions thereof; providing that no board, agency, bureau or commission shall have jurisdiction of dispensing opticians other than the State Board of Opticians; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Amendment No. 1: End of Section 10, add the following—

"This act, however, shall not apply to licensed physicians, or optometrists licensed under the laws of the State of Florida, nor shall such licensed physicians or optometrists be subject to the jurisdiction of the State Board of Opticians herein created, nor shall any dispensing optician as herein defined, be subject to the jurisdiction of any other board, agency, bureau or commission regulating any other trade, occupation or profession so long as such dispensing optician confines his business or activities to the trade or occupation of dispensing optician as herein defined."

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

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

And Senate Bill No. 417, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendment thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 5—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Florida State Improvement Commission to acquire by purchase, gift or eminent domain, and to construct roads or bridges within the State of Florida; to finance the same through the issuance and sale of Revenue Certificates, Debentures or Bonds; and to lease, sell and convey the said roads or bridges to the State Road Department of Florida and providing that such lease, rental or purchase price may be paid from the surplus gasoline taxes accruing to the credit and account of the County or Counties in which such roads or bridges may be located under the provisions of Section 16 of Article IX of the Constitution of Florida, or from other State Road Funds.

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

Very respectfully,
G. C. PERDUE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 5, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

S. B. No. 480—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend un-numbered Paragraph One of Section 1, of Chapter 9764, Laws of Florida, 1923, (Special Acts) as amended by Chapter 18555, Laws of Florida, 1937, (Special Acts), enlarging the Corporate Limits of the Town of Groveland, Lake County, Florida, upon ratification and approval by referendum election of the qualified electors within the boundaries of said Town as in this Act established and under the provisions of this Act.

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

Very respectfully,
G. C. PERDUE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 480, contained in the above report, was referred to the Committee on Enrolled Bills.

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

Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 55—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 638.16, Florida Statutes, 1941, which prohibits certain contracts, agreements, relationships and practices between insurers doing a sick and funeral benefit insurance business and funeral directors and undertakers, and prescribing penalties for violations thereof, by adding the further prohibition to such section that such insurers shall not permit funeral directors and undertakers to solicit, negotiate or effect any such contracts of insurance; and fixing the effective date of this Act.

Also—

S. B. No. 88—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 33.01, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 21819, Acts of 1943, relating to the counties in which Civil Courts of Record shall be established; and excepting Duval County from the provisions thereof.

Also—

S. B. No. 90—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of the Judges of the Criminal Courts of Record in counties having a population of not less than 260,000, according to the last preceding State Census, and prohibiting such Judges from practicing law.

Also—

S. B. No. 134—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 599.05, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 21,809, Acts of 1943, and as amended by Chapter 22,550, Acts of 1945, relating to the imposition of excise taxes upon citrus fruit to provide a method for computing such taxes on tangerines and limes when purchased, acquired or handled on a weight basis.

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 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:

S. B. No. 135—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 599.08, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Chapter 22520, Acts of 1945, relating to payment of excise taxes on citrus fruits, by use of stamps or by guaranteeing the tax, etc., by providing that canners or processors shall guarantee the payment of such taxes by bond or cash deposit under rules and regulations to be promulgated by the Florida Citrus Commission.

Also—

S. B. No. 136—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 599.13, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to penalties for non-payment of citrus excise taxes, by providing that the penalties shall be paid to the Florida Citrus Commission as other taxes under Chapter 599, Florida Statutes 1941, are paid, decreasing the penalties, and providing methods for enforcing the collection of all taxes accruing under Chapter 599, Florida Statutes 1941.

Also—

S. B. No. 165—A bill to be entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville by making it mandatory upon the City Commission and the City Council of said city to set up in the annual budget a fund for depreciation and reserve to be known as the Renewal and Replacement Fund for the Electric Utility of the City; providing for the source, deposit, investment and use of such fund; and superseding Chapter 22341, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1943, as to such Electric Utility only.

Also—

S. B. No. 224—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the compensation of the supervisor of registration and expenses; to provide for a chief deputy supervisor of registration and compensation thereof, in counties of the State of Florida now having a population of more than one hundred and six thousand (106,000) and less than one hundred twelve thousand four hundred (112,400) according to the last preceding State Census.

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 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:

S. B. No. 276—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and providing for the employment and compensation of Secretaries to the Circuit Judges in Circuits of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 150,000 nor more than 250,000 inhabitants according to the last preceding State Census and providing that the compensation of such Secre-

aries shall be paid by the County of the residence of such Judge or Judges and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

S. B. No. 290—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 23390, Laws of Florida, 1945, being "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Madison, in the County of Madison in the State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Madison, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges" by amending Sections 32, 33, 36 and 123 thereof, relating to Municipal Judges.

Also—

S. B. No. 300—A bill to be entitled An Act limiting the number of licenses which may be granted by the City of Coral Gables, Florida, for the sale of intoxicating beverages within its corporate limits by vendors operating places of business where beverages containing alcohol of more than fourteen per centum by weight are sold, and excepting from the operation hereof all operators of railroads, sleeping cars, buses and airplanes obtaining licenses good throughout the State of Florida under the Beverage Law of the State of Florida; giving to the City Commission the power and authority, in its discretion, to issue such licenses to hotels having one hundred or more guest rooms, without regard to the limitation herein; declaring that the limitations imposed by this Act shall not affect licenses already issued or proper renewals thereof; providing a separability clause.

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 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:

S. B. No. 342—A bill to be entitled An Act to Limit the Hours of Work of the Members of the Police Force of the City of Pensacola.

Also—

S. B. No. 369—A bill to be entitled An Act Affecting the Government of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, and Amending Chapter 23218, Laws of Florida, 1945, wherein the City of Coral Gables was given Authority to Provide for a Pension Plan for Officers and Employees of the City, Subject to a Referendum; by Adding thereto a Paragraph Permitting Amendments to Ordinances Adopted under the Provisions of said Act, without Referendum, under certain Terms, Conditions and Limitations.

Also—

S. B. No. 387—A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Section 3 of Chapter 21318, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, Entitled, "An Act Authorizing the City of Jacksonville to Issue Certificates of Indebtedness or Revenue Certificates," as Purportedly Amended by Chapter 23354, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, and Repealing said Chapter 23354, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945.

Also—

S. B. No. 466—A bill to be entitled An Act to Create, Establish and Organize a Municipal Corporation in Okaloosa County, Florida, to be named Shallmar, and to Fix its Boundaries and Provide for its Government, Jurisdiction, Powers, Authority and Privileges; and to Designate and Appoint Municipal Officers and to Define their Duties and Powers.

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 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. 143—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that in all Counties having a population of not less than 38,500 and not more than 38,700, according to the Federal Census of 1940, it shall at all times be lawful to have in possession, buy, sell, offer for sale or transport any and all Species of Salt Water Fish or the Roe thereof.

Also—

H. B. No. 328—A bill to be entitled 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 five thousand four hundred and fifty (5450) and not less than five thousand four hundred (5400) according to the 1945 State Census, in order to qualify such electors to participate in elections in the year 1948 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; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and fixing the effective date of this Act.

Also—

H. B. No. 414—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Judges in Counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 8,000 or more than 8,500 according to the United States Census of 1940, in Criminal Cases, and providing that fees collected in Criminal Cases shall be turned into the County fine and forfeiture fund.

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 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:

Committee Substitute for H. B. No. 124—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 735.01 and 735.04, Florida Statutes, 1941, as set out in Section 15, Chapter 22847, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, relating to the Probate Laws of Florida, to small estates and to proceedings when administration unnecessary.

Also—

H. B. No. 10—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 32.14, Florida Statutes, 1941, to provide compensation of Clerks of the Criminal Courts of Record in all Counties having a population of more than one hundred fifty thousand according to the last preceding State or Federal Census.

Also—

H. B. No. 83—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.

Also—

H. B. No. 92—A bill to be entitled An Act to exempt the property of Local No. 806, American Federation of Musicians, a fraternal, protective, non-profit organization, from all ad valorem taxation, and to cancel all past due and unpaid State, County, or City ad valorem taxes heretofore levied against said property.

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.

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

H. B. No. 120—A bill to be entitled An Act Amending Section 733.32, Florida Statutes, 1941, as Amended by Section 3, Chapter 22783, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, Relating to the Probate Laws of Florida and to conveyances Pursuant to Contracts of the Decedent.

Also—

H. B. No. 326—A bill to be entitled An Act Prescribing the Compensation of County Judges as judges of the County Courts and Juvenile Courts of their Respective Counties in Counties in the State of Florida having a Population of not more than 32,000, and not less than 30,000, according to the last preceding State Census.

Also—

H. B. No. 356—A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Section 2 of Chapter 15934, Laws of Florida, 1933, relating to County Budget Commissions in Counties of Florida having a population of not less than Seventy Thousand (70,000) and not more than One Hundred Fifty Thousand (150,000) by the last Preceding State or Federal Census: Amending said Law to Provide, that, after the passage of this Act, such Law shall apply to Counties having a population of not less than Seventy Thousand (70,000) and not more than ninety Thousand (90,000) and also to Counties having a population Not Less Than One Hundred Twelve Thousand Three Hundred and Fifty (112,350) and not more than One Hundred Fifty Thousand (150,000) by the last preceding State or Federal Census.

Also—

H. B. No. 393—A bill to be entitled An Act Fixing the Salary of the Judge of the Criminal Court of Record for Monroe County, Florida, and Providing the fund out of which said salary shall be paid.

Also—

H. B. No. 394—A bill to be entitled An Act to prescribe the commissions and fixing the compensation of the County Assessor of Taxes, in Counties having a total population of not less than Eight Thousand Seven Hundred (8,700) and not more than Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty (8,750) according to the Federal Census of 1940.

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.

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

H. B. No. 416—A bill to be entitled An Act permitting and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County to dispense with the use of voting machines in certain County Elections and to use paper ballots; repealing laws in conflict.

Also—

H. B. No. 418—A bill to be entitled An Act empowering and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County to create, establish and maintain a County Law Library in the County Court House; providing for a Law Library composed of a member of the Board, the Senior Circuit Court Judge, two members of the Palm Beach County Bar Association, and the Clerk of the Circuit Court, and delegating to the Law Library Committee the authority to prescribe and enforce rules and regulations as to said Library; providing for the manner of raising funds and the expenditure of said funds for said Library; providing for a Librarian to be furnished by the Clerk of the Circuit Court; and declaring that the property and donations made to said Library be deemed to be held and used as a charitable public trust.

Also—

H. B. No. 460—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1, 2, and 5, Chapter 20638, Laws of Florida, 1941, the same being An Act Entitled: "An Act to be known as the permanent registration Act for Duval County, State of Florida, providing for a registration of electors for all elections and primaries to be held in the year 1942 and subsequent years thereafter, and providing for the dates of opening and closing of the Registration Books, and providing that this registration be permanent, and providing for the notification of all electors every two years thereafter, and providing for the return of the notices by the electors and providing for the removal of all names from the registration books of those who fail to return the said notices, and providing for the use of visible record binders of registration books, and the type of binders and registration blanks and certificates and the source of supply, and providing for the checking of the registration books in 1942 and every two years thereafter under the supervision of the Duval County Commission, and providing for the compensation of the Supervisor of Registration, and providing that the Supervisor of Registration shall be custodian of voting machines, and providing for the appointment of a Chief Deputy and an Assistant Custodian of voting machines, and providing for their compensation."

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.

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

H. B. No. 463—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, to transfer the surplus unexpended balance of money now in the County of Monroe Airport Fund to the Bathing Beach Bonds Account of said county and authorizing the use of said money for the purposes for which moneys now in said bathing beach bonds account may be used.

Also—

H. B. No. 464—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the monthly compensation for the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida; designating the fund out of which said compensation shall be paid; authorizing additional compensation for mileage actually traveled within Monroe County while attending to business of the county but excluding mileage for traveling to and from court house to attend meetings of board; authorizing additional compensation for actual expenses, including travel incurred in attending to business for the county beyond the limits of Monroe County; repealing all laws or parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act.

Also—

H. B. No. 472—A bill to be entitled An Act limiting the number of licenses which may be granted by the City of Vero Beach, Florida, for the sale of intoxicating beverages within its corporate limits by vendors operating places of business where beverages containing alcohol of more than fourteen per centum (14%) by weight are sold; and excepting from the operation hereof all operations of railroads, sleeping cars, steamships, buses and airplanes obtaining licenses good through the State of Florida under the Beverage law of the State of Florida, and incorporated clubs including social clubs, and caterers at horse or dog racing plants as defined in the Beverage Law of the State of Florida, and certain licenses now in effect.

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.

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

H. B. No. 473—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, to budget, allocate, appropriate, convert, expend and pledge a sum not to exceed \$15,000.00 per year for a period of twenty years next succeeding the time this Act becomes a law, of and from the monies received by said Board of County Commissioners of Indian River County, Florida, from dog racing and horse racing as provided by Chapter 550 of the Florida Statutes, to the constructing, equipping, maintaining and operating, or constructing or equipping or maintaining or operating of a public hospital in Indian River County, Florida, and for providing public hospital facilities to the general public in Indian River County, Florida.

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.

Very respectfully,
J. W. LINDLER,
 Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled
 Bills on the Part 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. 434—A bill to be entitled An Act creating a special taxing district in Palm Beach County, Florida, to be known as South Palm Beach County Erosion Prevention District; defining the boundaries of said district; providing that said district shall be governed by the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, and that the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County shall be Clerk of the Board; defining the powers and authority of said district and said Board of Commissioners; authorizing the levy and collection of taxes on property in the district for district purposes; authorizing obtaining Federal funds; authorizing certain persons to enter upon lands within and outside of said district to accomplish purposes of district and providing penalty for preventing such entrance; authorizing district to issue and sell time warrants, bonds or certificates of indebtedness and fixing maximum rate of interest on same and providing for election for issuance of same; repealing laws in conflict.

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.

Very respectfully,

J. W. LINDLER,

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

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

H. B. No. 420—A bill to be entitled An Act Validating the Creation of Special Road and Bridge District No. 3, Palm Beach County, Florida, Authorizing said District to Rebuild, Repair, Recondition and Improve the Drawbridge Across the Inland Waterway Canal on the Monet Road in Palm Beach County, Florida; Providing for the Payment of the cost thereof from the proceeds of Bonds authorized to be issued by said District after approval of said bonds at an election to be held in said district in which a majority of the qualified electors of said district who are freeholders shall participate; Providing for the holding of such election under direction of the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida; Prescribing other powers of said District; Authorizing acceptance of Federal or State Aid.

Also—

H. B. No. 433—A bill to be entitled An Act Relating to Cancellation of State and County and County Taxes and Tax Certificates, Lake Worth Drainage District Tax Liens and Municipal Taxes and Tax Certificates on lands in Palm Beach County owned by said County or by any political subdivision in said County, including the Board of Public Instruction of Palm Beach County, Lake Worth Drainage District, Port of Palm Beach, all cities and towns and all other political subdivisions in Palm Beach County, Florida, which lands are used for public purposes; providing for the cancellation of said Tax Liens and Tax Certificates, whether for delinquent, Current or future Taxes or Assessments; Providing for exemption of said properties owned and used as aforesaid from future assessments; Repealing all laws in conflict.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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

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

Committee Substitute for H. B. Nos. 1 and 42—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 239.01, 239.10, 239.12, 240.10, and repealing Section 239.17, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended, relating to the State Board of Control and the several institutions of higher learning under its jurisdiction.

Also—

H. B. No. 2—A bill to be entitled An Act designating a route over the public highways of this state from the Florida-Georgia line to Key West, Florida, as the "United Spanish War Veterans Memorial Highway" and authorizing the State Road Department to mark such route with an appropriate insignia of the said organization.

Also—

H. B. No. 78—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 732.44, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 22783, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, relating to the preference in appointment of administrator.

Also—

H. B. No. 60—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the adoption of minors, and amending Sections 72.11, 72.14, 72.15, and 72.24, Florida Statutes of 1941.

Also—

H. B. No. 126—A bill to be entitled An Act amending that part of Section 1 of Chapter 22750, Laws of Florida, 1945, being new and added Section 745.15 relating to guardian and ward.

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.

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

H. B. No. 426—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for a reregistration of all voters for all elections to be held in the year 1948, in Counties having a population of not less than 19,000 and not more than 19,250 according to the official Census of the State of Florida for the year 1945, and providing for the time of opening and closing of the registration books; and providing that the registration for the year 1948 shall be a permanent registration for all subsequent elections; and providing for the registration of all voters for all elections subsequent to the year 1948 in the office of the Supervisor of Registration; and providing for the time of opening and closing of the registration books in the office of the Supervisor of Registration for all elections subsequent to the year 1948; and providing for the notice to voters by the Supervisor of Registration of their registration as shown on the registration books and requesting information pertinent thereto in the year 1952 and every four years thereafter and the return thereof by the voters and the penalty for failure to return said notice with the information re-

quested: and providing the form of registration blanks; and providing for the type of binders for the permanent registration records; and providing for the furnishing of the registration blanks by the Secretary of State and the permanent registration binders by the County Commissioners; and providing for the adoption and utilization of supplementary registration record forms; and providing for the elimination of the publication of certified lists of voters.

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.

Very respectfully,
J. W. LINDLER,

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

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

H. B. No. 459—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Lake Wales to construct, repair or extend or acquire extension and improvements to, the existing sewer system owned and operated by said City, including, but not being limited to, sewage disposal plants and sanitary and storm water sewers, within or without the territorial boundaries of said City; to establish, fix and collect fees, rentals or other charges for the facilities and services of said sewer system; to levy special assessments against lands and real estate especially benefited by the construction of such sewer extensions and improvements and to pledge such special assessments for revenue bonds issued pursuant to this Act; to levy and collect taxes on each and every purchase of electricity, metered or bottled gas (natural, liquefied petroleum gas or manufactured), water service, telephone service, and telegraph service within the corporate limits of said City, and to pledge such utility services taxes for revenue bonds issued pursuant to this Act; to issue revenue bonds of said City payable solely from the fees, rentals or other charges derived from the operation of such sewer system; or to issue revenue bonds of said City payable from the fees, rentals or other charges derived from the operation of such sewer system, and the proceeds of such special assessments or the proceeds of such utility services taxes, or both; providing for the terms and conditions of such revenue bonds and the rights and remedies of the holders thereof; to issue refunding bonds and providing for the terms and conditions thereof; authorizing the City of Lake Wales to contract with any person or corporation in respect to the management and operation of the City's sewer system, and to contract with any person or corporation furnishing water to the inhabitants of said City for the discontinuance of water service for non-payment of sewer charges; providing for a receiver of such sewer system on default of the City with respect to revenue bonds, or refunding revenue bonds, and the terms and conditions thereof; providing for the covenants of the State of Florida with respect to the rights of the holders of such revenue bonds, or refunding revenue bonds, and the sewer revenues, special assessments and utility services taxes pledged thereto; providing for the additional pledge for such revenue bonds, or refunding revenue bonds of surplus revenues from other utilities owned by the City; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

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.

Very respectfully,
J. W. LINDLER,

Chairman of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills on the Part 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. 468—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Dade City, Florida, a municipal corporation, to construct, reconstruct, equip, enlarge, extend, improve, operate, repair and maintain a sewage disposal plant and system; providing for the payment of the cost thereof by the issuance of sewer revenue bonds payable solely from revenues derived from rates and charges made for the use of the facilities furnished by said sewer system and improvements thereof; providing for the imposition and collection of charges for making connections with the sewer system of the City, for the imposition and collection of rates, fees and charges for the use of the services and facilities of such sewage disposal system and improvements, and for the application of such revenues; authorizing and empowering the City to require connection with sanitary sewers served or which may be served by any sewage disposal system; granting to the City power to acquire necessary real and personal property and to exercise the right of eminent domain; exempting from taxes and assessments any sewage disposal system of the City; authorizing the City to accept grants and contributions in aid of the purposes of this Act; authorizing the pledge of surplus water revenues; authorizing the issuance of sewer revenue refunding bonds; authorizing the combination of the water and sewer systems of the City for financing purposes and the issuance of water and sewer revenue bonds; prescribing the powers and duties of the City in connection with the foregoing and the rights and remedies of the holders of bonds issued pursuant to the provisions of this Act, and providing that the powers conferred by this Act shall be in addition to the powers possessed by the City under any other law.

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.

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

H. B. No. 495—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, validating and confirming certain compensation heretofore or hereafter paid to and received by each member of the Boards of Public Instruction in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 34,500 nor more than 35,000 according to the last preceding State Census of 1945, designating such compensation, and authorizing, validating and confirming all Acts and proceedings in connection therewith.

Also—

H. B. No. 512—A bill to be entitled An Act rectifying, ratifying, confirming, validating and legalizing the assessments, valuations of properties, levies of taxes, tax certificates, the filing and recording of lists of tax certificates, and tax sales made by the City of Stuart, Martin County, Florida, for the years A. D. 1945 and 1946, and authorizing the collection of said taxes in the manner provided by law.

Also—

H. B. No. 513—A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and legalize in the purchaser, or purchasers, and their successors and assigns in title, the title to all property acquired at any master's sale through foreclosure of delinquent city taxes, or special assessments or improvement liens, by the City of

Stuart, Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 15,038, Acts of 1931, Laws of Florida, or any supplemental or amendatory Acts.

Also—

H. B. No. 514—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to procedure in Municipal Court in the City of Stuart, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 553—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections eight and thirteen of Chapter 21361, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, being an Act creating the City of Live Oak, Florida, defining its boundaries, jurisdiction and powers, and commonly known as the Charter of the City of Live Oak, Florida.

Have examined the same and find them correctly enrolled.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 556—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners and the School Boards of all Counties in the State of Florida which now have or may hereafter have a population of less than 2,500 inhabitants according to the last preceding State Census, to transfer surplus funds levied for the payment of bonds, time warrants or other written obligations of the County and of school and road and bridge districts therein, to a fund to be known as school building reserve fund.

Also—

H. B. No. 561—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of Judges of the Criminal Courts of Record in this State in Counties wherein a single County constitutes and comprises a Judicial Circuit and where there are not exceeding four Circuit Judges of said Judicial Circuit, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

H. B. No. 569—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the American National Red Cross, a corporation not for profit, from tax liens and certificates and past, present and future assessments of taxes against property owned by said corporation and occupied by its Tampa Chapter as an administration building.

H. B. No. 570—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, empowering and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, Florida, to pay over to the County School Board of said County and to the incorporated municipalities in said County certain portions of the money hereafter allocated and distributed to said County by the State of Florida and derived from excise taxes now levied and collected or hereafter levied and collected by said State from the operation of pari mutuel pools, including all moneys resulting from Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, 1931, and Section 550.13, Florida Statutes, 1941, and all Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

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

H. B. No. 571—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the County Commissioners of Franklin County, making provisions for a special election, and repealing conflicting laws.

Also—

H. B. No. 581—A bill to be entitled An Act directing and requiring the County Board of Public Instruction of Monroe County, Florida, to pay into a special fund \$1,500.00 annually out of moneys derived under Chapter 19260, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, providing for the use of moneys in said fund only for certain Arts and Crafts education purposes; providing that moneys in said fund shall not be transferable to any other fund; and providing that any balance in said fund at the end of fiscal year shall remain in said fund to be thereafter used for purposes of said fund.

Also—

H. B. No. 582—A bill to be entitled An Act directing and requiring the County Board of Public Instruction of Monroe County, Florida, to pay into a special fund \$5,000 annually out of moneys derived under Chapter 19260, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939; Providing for the use of moneys in said fund only for certain music and physical education purposes; providing that moneys in said fund shall not be transferable to any other fund; and providing that any balance in said fund at end of fiscal year shall remain in said fund to be thereafter used for purposes of said fund.

Also—

H. B. No. 584—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower and require the County Board of Public Instruction of Monroe County, State of Florida, to grant sick leave to members of the Instructional Staff of such County Board in addition to the sick leave authorized by Sections 231.40 and 231.41, Florida Statutes, 1941; Providing for the payment of such additional sick leave when so granted, and limiting the amount of such sick leave and compensation that may be paid thereunder.

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.

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INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS AND
CONSIDERATION OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

Senate Resolution No. 11—

MEMORIALIZING THE DEATH OF HONORABLE HARRISON EDWARD BARRINGER.

WHEREAS, State Senator Harrison Edward Barringer, beloved Sarasota attorney, humanitarian and statesman, met tragic death in the crash of an airplane at Lakeland, Florida on October 5, 1945, and was buried in Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, D. C., May 18, 1946; and

WHEREAS, Senator Barringer was at the time of his death a member of this Body and had rendered outstanding services to the State of Florida as a State Senator from the 36th Senatorial District of Florida; and

WHEREAS, the tragic death of Senator Barringer was a distinct shock to his fellow Senators and to the State of Florida at large; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that the Senate take notice of the death of Senator Barringer and pay to him the deserved tribute to which his memory is entitled:

NOW, THEREFORE: BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, That this Body does hereby direct that there be inscribed upon its permanent records this expression of bereavement:

Harrison Edward Barringer was born in Washington, D.C., July 8, 1888, graduated from Ohio State University in 1913 and practiced law since that time. He was an infantry lieutenant in the first World War, fought with the 145th Infantry in the Marne Defensive and was taken prisoner by the Germans July 14, 1918. He was married and the father of one daughter. Senator Barringer was a prominent church leader, being a vestryman of the Episcopal Church of the Redeemer, Sarasota, Florida, for ten years; he was a member of Rotary, Elks, Masons, Sarasota Bay Post No. 30 of the American Legion; the American Bar Association, Sarasota and State Bar Associations. He was first elected to the Florida State Senate in 1943. At the time of his death Senator Barringer was Chairman of the Senate Committee on Education and a member of Governor Caldwell's Florida Citizens Committee on Education.

Senator Barringer was a true friend of education and enjoyed a state-wide reputation as an attorney. He was a man of sterling character and aggressive spirit, cheerful in disposition and a genuine companion to all whom he loved. Florida keenly feels his loss, but the inspiration of his memory will remain.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That a copy of this resolution, properly certified by the President and Secretary of the Senate, under the Great Seal of the State of Florida, be forwarded forthwith to his surviving wife, Alva Bradshaw Barringer, and daughter, Hilda Cooper Barringer; and that a copy of this resolution be spread upon the Journal of the Senate and made a permanent record of this Legislature.

Which was read the first time in full.

The question was put on the adoption of the Resolution.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Brackin—

S. B. No. 579—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 9718, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, being entitled "An Act to abolish the present corporation of the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and to establish a municipality of the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and to provide for its territorial limits, its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities, to appoint municipal officers and define their duties and powers", and Acts amendatory thereof, to change in said Acts the word "Town" to "City" so that the name thereof shall be "City of Crestview", and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 579 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 Brackin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 579 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 579 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 579 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. 579 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 579 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 579 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Brackin—

S. B. No. 580—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 9718, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, being entitled "An Act to abolish the present corporation of the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and to establish a municipality of the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and to provide for its territorial limits, its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities to appoint municipal officers and define their duties and powers", and Acts amendatory thereof, to fix date of elections for town officers, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 580 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 Brackin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 580 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 580 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 580 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. 580 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 580 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 580 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Brackin—

S. B. No. 581—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 4, 12, 39, and 40 of Chapter 9718, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1923, being entitled "An Act to abolish the present incorporation of the town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and to establish a municipality of the Town of Crestview, Okaloosa County, Florida, and to provide for its territorial limits, its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities to appoint municipal officers and define their duties and powers", providing the term of office and manner of election of mayor, town clerk, and members of town council, and providing for qualifications and registration of electors, and repealing Chapter 21164, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, and Chapter 17522, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 581 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 Brackin 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 Brackin 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—37

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

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 Senators Johnson, Sturgis and Moon—

S. B. No. 582—A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the annual salary of all assistant State Attorneys in all Judicial Circuits in the State of Florida embracing five counties.

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

By Senator Pearce—

S. B. No. 583—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 321.02, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the powers of the Executive Board of the Department of Public Safety providing for the appointment of a director by the Governor fixing his term of office, powers, and duties, and providing that members of the Florida Highway Patrol shall be his deputies.

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

By Senator Crary—

S. B. No. 584—A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting and making unlawful the practice of law in the State of Florida by anyone except licensed, practicing attorneys; defining the practice of law for the purpose of this Act; providing for the issuance of injunctions to restrain violations of the provisions thereof; providing that any violation of the provisions of this Act shall be a misdemeanor and punishment therefor; and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

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

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

The motion made by Senator Baynard on May 12, 1947, to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 498 passed the Senate on May 9, 1947, was taken up in its order.

H. B. No. 498—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Education; amending Sections 238.01, 238.05, 238.06, 238.07, 238.09, and 238.11, as amended, concerning: Definitions; Membership; Membership Application and Creditable Service; Regular Benefits and Method of Financing; Collection of Contributions, of the Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Florida, and adding to Chapter 238 Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended, Section 238.17 on the Intent of the Act.

The question was put on the motion made by Senator Baynard.

Which was not agreed to, so the Senate refused to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 498 passed the Senate on May 9, 1947, and House Bill No. 498 was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The motion made by Senator Baynard on May 12, 1947, to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 727 passed the Senate on May 12, 1947, was taken up in its order.

H. B. No. 727—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the additional purchase of postage stamps and for other necessary and incidental expenses of each member of Legislature, 1947 session, not now supplied by the Legislature, and making an appropriation therefor.

The question was put on the motion made by Senator Baynard.

Upon which a roll call was demanded.

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

Yeas—17.

Mr. President	Davis	McArthur	Sturgis
Baynard	Flake	Moon	Wilson
Boyle	Franklin	Pearce	
Carroll	Fraser (31st)	Sanchez	
Crary	Johnson	Shands	

Nays—19.

Alford	Coleman	Johns	Ray
Beacham	Collins	King	Riddle
Beall	Fraser (29th)	Lindler	Sheldon
Brackin	Getzen	Mathews	Walker
Branch	Gray	Perdue	

Which was not agreed to so the Senate refused to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 727 passed the Senate on May 12, 1947, and House Bill No. 727 was ordered certified to the House of Representatives, immediately, by waiver of the rules.

Senator Gray asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 444, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 444—A bill to be entitled An Act Making an Emergency Appropriation for the State Tuberculosis Board for Use in the Current Biennium.

Was taken up.

Senator Gray moved that the rules be waived and House

Bill No. 444 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 444 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gray moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 444 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. 444 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 444 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 444 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 Brackin moved that a committee of three be appointed to escort Honorable William H. Mapoles, former member of the Senate from the First Senatorial District and former Judge of Okaloosa County, to a seat on the rostrum of the Senate.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Brackin, King and Rose as the committee.

VETO MESSAGES

S. B. No. 219 (1945 Session)—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the sale of certain lands and the reservations for phosphate, mineral, metals and petroleum that are or may be in, on, or under such lands by Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida and the State Board of Education, title to which was vested in the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida, as provided by Section 24 (Section 1003-L) of Chapter 14572, Laws of Florida, 1929.

Was taken up in its order and read by title.

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objection to the contrary notwithstanding?"

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 219 (1945 Session), over the Governor's objections thereto, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—None

Nays—33

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

So Senate Bill No. 219 (1945 Session) failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

S. B. No. 737 (1945 session)—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida to grant sand bars, islands, shallow banks and lands submerged and partly sub-

merged in Halifax River in the corporate limits of the City of Daytona Beach, Volusia County, Florida, to said City of Daytona Beach, a municipal corporation, for public purposes.

Was taken up in its order and read by title.

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objection to the contrary notwithstanding?"

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 737 (1945 Session) over the Governor's objections thereto, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—None

Nays—32

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

So Senate Bill No. 737 (1945 Session) failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

S. B. No. 802 (1945 session)—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the operation of a dog race track in Bay County, Florida, providing for the holding of race meeting for said track repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up in its order and read by title.

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objection to the contrary notwithstanding?"

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 802 (1945 Session), over the Governor's objections thereto, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—None.

Nays—33.

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

So Senate Bill No. 802 (1945 Session) failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

S. B. No. 688 (1945 session)—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 550.06, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to elections for ratification of permits issued by the State Racing Commission to applicants to conduct race meetings and racing under Chapter 550, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended, by providing that in the event such a permit has been ratified by election, and the holder thereof is unable to construct a track suitable for racing within twelve months after such ratification of said permit because of inability to secure material, equipment or supplies essential to the construction of such track, the commission may extend such permit not to exceed an additional twelve months, upon application and under the conditions set forth; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and fixing the effective date of this act.

Was taken up in its order and read by title.

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objection to the contrary notwithstanding?"

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 688 (1945 Session), over the Governor's objections thereto, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—None.

Nays—33.

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

So Senate Bill No. 688 (1945 Session) failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

S. B. No. 538 (1945 session)—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to vendors of alcoholic beverages in unincorporated villages and towns in all counties having a population of more than 10,500 and not more than 11,000 according to the last federal census and providing that such vendors now licensed to do business not nearer than 600 feet to a church shall be permitted and licensed to continue to do business at such locations.

Was taken up in its order and read by title.

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objection to the contrary notwithstanding?"

Upon the passage of Senate Bfl No. 538 (1945 Session), over the Governor's objections thereto, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—None

Nays—33

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

So Senate Bill No. 538 (1945 Session), failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

S. B. No. 523 (1945 session)—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the fees to be charged and collected for hunting and fishing licenses in Liberty County, Florida, and the use and disposition of such fees; providing the duties of the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission in carrying out the provisions of this Act; providing penalties for the violation of this Act, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up in its order and read by title.

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objection to the contrary notwithstanding?"

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 523 (1945 Session), over the Governor's objections thereto, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—None

Nays—33

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

So Senate Bill No. 523 (1945 Session), failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

S. B. No. 247 (1945 session)—A bill to be entitled An Act to exempt from ad valorem taxation certain classes of real estate of religious or charitable institutions now engaged in the support, maintenance and care of orphan and dependent children and to cancel tax certificates and ad valorem taxes outstanding against such real estate.

Was taken up in its order and read by title.

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objection to the contrary notwithstanding?"

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 247 (1945 Session), over the Governor's objections thereto, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—None.

Nays—33.

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

So Senate Bill No. 247 (1945 Session) failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

H. B. No. 577 (1945 session)—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 or controlled by any person, firm or corporation.

Was taken up in its order and read by title.

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass, the Governor's objection to the contrary notwithstanding?"

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 577 (1945 Session), over the Governor's objection thereto, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—None

Nays—33

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

So House Bill No. 577 (1945 Session) failed to pass over the Governor's veto.

Senator Getzen moved that Senate Bill No. 525, previously referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation be also referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles, jointly.

Which agreed to and it was so ordered.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING

S. B. No. 137—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 372.83, Florida Statutes, 1941, providing penalties for the violation of and rules and regulations of the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission; providing said section shall not apply to fish in Lake Okeechobee and that part of the St. Johns River north of the Volusia Bar, including Doctor's Lake, Dunn's Creek and that part of Lake Crescent within Putnam County; declaring that certain laws are not repealed by this Act; and providing the effective date hereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 137 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 137 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and

Senate Bill No. 137 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. 137 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 137 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—18.

Mr. President	Flake	Mathews	Ray
Beacham	Franklin	McArthur	Sanchez
Brackin	Fraser (29th)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	
Coleman	Lindler	Perdue	

Nays—16.

Alford	Collins	Johns	Shands
Beall	Crary	Johnson	Sheldon
Boyle	Davis	King	Sturgis
Carroll	Fraser (31st)	Riddle	Wilson

So Senate Bill No. 137 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following pair was announced by the Secretary:

I am paired with Senator Leaird of the 30th District, on the passage of Senate Bill No. 137. If he were present he would vote Aye and I would vote No.

HENRY BAYNARD,
Senator, 11th District.

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.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 115 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 115 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Davis offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 115:

In Section 11, line 13 (typewritten bill) strike out the words: The Steinhatchee River shall be considered fresh water from its source to mouth.

Senator Davis moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Pearce offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 115:

In Section 11, line 8 (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "by the joint agreement of the Commission of Game and Fresh Water Fish, and State Board of Conservation" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "By the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission,"

Senator Pearce moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 115, 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. 115, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 115, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—13

Mr. President	Franklin	Mathews	Walker
Beacham	Fraser (29th)	Pearce	
Brackin	Getzen	Ray	
Branch	Lindler	Sanchez	

Nays—23

Alford	Crary	Johnson	Rose
Beall	Davis	King	Shands
Boyle	Flake	McArthur	Sheldon
Carroll	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Sturgis
Coleman	Gray	Perdue	Wilson
Collins	Johns	Riddle	

So Senate Bill No. 115, as amended, failed to pass.

The following pair was announced by the secretary:

I am paired with Senator Leaird of the 30th District, on the passage of Senate Bill No. 115. If he were present he would vote aye and I would vote no.

HENRY BAYNARD,
Senator, 11th District.

Senator Riddle moved that a committee be appointed to escort Honorable Addison P. Drummond, former member of the Senate from the Third Senatorial District, to a seat on the rostrum of the Senate.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Riddle, Brackin and Beall as the Committee.

Senator Gray moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 115 failed to pass the Senate this day.

And the motion went over under the rules.

Senate Bill No. 111 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

S. B. No. 20—A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit and punish fraud or fraudulent practices in the nomination or election of officers or nominees of any voluntary association, whether incorporated or unincorporated; and to provide that the chancery courts of this State shall always be open for the redress of wrongs and grievances growing out of any fraudulent acts or practices in conducting the affairs of any such voluntary associations, or in nominating or electing officers or nominees of such associations.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 20 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 20 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 20 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. 20 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 20 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—9.

Mr. President	Davis	Riddle
Baynard	Mathews	Sanchez
Crary	Pearce	Wilson

Nays—26.

Alford	Collins	Johnson	Rose
Beacham	Flake	King	Shands
Beall	Franklin	Lindler	Sheldon
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Branch	Getzen	Perdue	
Carroll	Gray	Ray	

So Senate Bill No. 20 failed to pass.

Senator Pearce moved that a committee be appointed to escort M/Sgt. Gordon L. Dowda, U. S. M. C., of Palatka, Florida, brother of Honorable Thos. B Dowda, member of the House of Representatives, to a seat on the rostrum of the Senate.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Pearce, Sheldon and Walker as the Committee.

S. B. No. 21—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a method by which voters by petition may have names of candidates placed on ballots or voting machines.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 21 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 21 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 21 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. 21 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 21 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—1.

Mathews

Nays—32.

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

So Senate Bill No. 21 failed to pass.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE

Although I co-introduced Senate Bill No. 21 I am voting against it because its companion measure, S. B. No. 19, has been defeated.

G. WARREN SANCHEZ,
Seventeenth District

S. B. No. 22—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring candidates for public office to run in groups, where two or more similar offices are to be filled in the election.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 22 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 22 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 22 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. 22 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 22 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33.

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

Nays—2

Beall Boyle

So Senate Bill No. 22 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 time of adjournment be extended until final disposition is made of Senate Joint Resolution No. 23.

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

Senator Crary moved that a committee be appointed to escort Honorable A. O. Kanner, former member of the Senate from the former Thirty-third Senatorial District and currently a Circuit Judge of the Ninth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida to a seat on the rostrum of the Senate.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Crary, Baynard and Lindler as the Committee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT OF SECTION 4, ARTICLE VI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA RELATING TO SUFFRAGE AND ELIGIBILITY AND DISQUALIFIED PERSONS.

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

That the following amendment of Section 4, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to suffrage and eligibility and disqualified persons, is hereby agreed to, and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the next general election, to be held in November 1948; that is to say, that said Section 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Florida shall be amended, and as amended shall read as follows:

"Section 4. Disqualified persons: No person under guardianship, non compos mentis, insane, or who cannot read any paragraph of the Constitution of the State of Florida or of the United States of America, shall be qualified to vote in any election; nor shall any person convicted of felony by a court of record be qualified to vote in any election unless restored to civil rights."

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

Senator Ray offered the following amendment to Senate Joint Resolution No. 23:

In Section 4, line 4 (typewritten bill) after comma insert the following: unless such inability be due solely to physical disability,

Senator Ray moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Mathews moved that the rules be waived and Senate Joint Resolution No. 23, 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 Joint Resolution No. 23, as amended, which reads as follows, was read the third time in full:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 23—

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT OF SECTION 4, ARTICLE VI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA RELATING TO SUFFRAGE AND ELIGIBILITY AND DISQUALIFIED PERSONS.

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

That the following amendment of Section 4, Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to suffrage and eligibility and disqualified persons, is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the next general election, to be held in November 1948; that is to say, that said Section 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Florida shall be amended, and as amended shall read as follows:

"Section 4. Disqualified persons: No person under guardianship, non compos mentis, insane, or who cannot read any paragraph of the Constitution of the State of Florida or of the United States of America unless such inability be due solely to physical disability shall be qualified to vote in any election; nor shall any person convicted of felony by a court of record be qualified to vote in any election unless restored to civil rights."

Upon the passage of Senate Joint Resolution No. 23, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—22

Mr. President	Collins	Johns	Ray
Baynard	Crary	Johnson	Riddle
Boyle	Davis	King	Sheldon
Brackin	Flake	Mathews	Wilson
Branch	Franklin	McArthur	
Carroll	Fraser (31st)	Moon	

Nays—14

Alford	Getzen	Perdue	Sturgis
Beacham	Gray	Rose	Walker
Coleman	Lindler	Sanchez	
Fraser (29th)	Pearce	Shands	

So Senate Joint Resolution No. 23, as amended, failed to pass by the required Constitutional three-fifths vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1947 Session of the Florida Legislature.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE

I have voted against Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 because it will, if adopted, disfranchise many white citizens who have never had the opportunity of an education.

G. WARREN SANCHEZ
Seventeenth District

The hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate recessed at 1:23 o'clock, P. M., until 2:30 o'clock, P. M., this day, pursuant to the motion made by Senator Rose on Thursday, May 8, 1947.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 2:30 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	Rose
Alford	Crary	King	Sanchez
Baynard	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Beacham	Flake	Mathews	Sheldon
Beall	Franklin	McArthur	Sturgis
Boyle	Fraser (29th)	Moon	Walker
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Pearce	Wilson
Branch	Getzen	Perdue	
Carroll	Gray	Ray	
Coleman	Johns	Riddle	

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A quorum present.

Senator Getzen moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate Joint Resolution No. 23 failed to pass the Senate this day.

And the motion went over under the rule.

By permission the following Reports of Committees were filed:

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

S. B. No. 341—A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the business of private employment agencies in Florida; vesting and empowering the Florida Industrial Commission with the duty and authority to administer the provisions of this Act; defining "private employment agents," "fees," "privileges," "theatrical engagements," "emergency engagements," and "commission"; authorizing the Commission to issue rules and regulations pertaining to the business of employment agents; prescribing qualifications for agents and requiring agents to keep certain records regulating referrals and prescribing contracts of certain referrals; providing for appeals from orders of the Commission; providing license fees; authorizing the Commission to use all fees collected for the administration of this Act; prohibiting certain referrals by employment agencies; providing for injunctions against unlawful operations; authorizing the Commission to issue licenses, deny or revoke licenses, to approve schedule of fees, to inspect the records of employment agents, to hold hearings and issue subpoenas requiring the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and other documents; providing penalties for the violations of provisions of this Act or any lawful rule or regulation of the Commission; providing for saving clause; repealing all laws in conflict with this Act; and providing for the effective date of this Act.

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

Amendment No. 1: In Section 2, Paragraph 6, Line 1, (typewritten bill) strike out the words:

"Any person, firm or corporation applying for license, or for renewal thereof, under the provisions of this Act, shall pay an annual license fee of \$200.00 for each office or place of business."

And insert in lieu thereof the following: "Any person, firm or corporation applying for license, or for renewal thereof, under the provisions of this Act, shall pay an annual fee of \$100.00 for each office or place of business."

Amendment No. 2: In Section 3, Line 5, (typewritten bill) strike out the words and figures: "Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00)"

And insert in lieu thereof the following: "One Thousand Dollars \$1,000.00)"

Very respectfully,
JOHN E. MATHEWS,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 341, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments, thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 242—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapters 310.03 and 310.04, Florida Statutes, 1941, with reference to the quota of pilots for various Ports of the State and with reference to the procedure for becoming Pilot's Apprentice.

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

Amendment No. 1—

Section 1, line 22 following the words and figures "of Miami;" insert the following: "three for the port of Port Saint Joe;"

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

And Senate Bill No. 242, contained in the above report, together with the Committee Amendment thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 249—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sec-

tion 935.52, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to appeals from Municipal Court and the procedure therein.

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

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

And House Bill No. 249, 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. 307—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 837.01 of the Florida Statutes, 1941, to define false swearing and to prescribe the penalty therefor.

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

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

And House Bill No. 307, 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. 478—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 633.02, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to State Fire Marshals; providing for appointment of additional deputies from personnel of the Hotel Commission.

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

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

And House Bill No. 478, 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:

Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 55—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 638.16, Florida Statutes, 1941, which prohibits certain contracts, agreements, relationships and practices between insurers doing a sick and funeral benefit insurance business and funeral directors and undertakers, and prescribing penalties for violations thereof, by adding the further prohibition to such section that such insurers shall not permit funeral directors and undertakers to solicit, negotiate or effect any such contracts of insurance; and fixing the effective date of this Act.

Also—

S. B. No. 88—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 33.01, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 21819, Acts of 1943, relating to the counties in which Civil Courts of Record shall be established; and excepting Duval County from the provisions thereof.

Also—

S. B. No. 90—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of the Judges of the Criminal Courts of Record in counties having a population of not less than 260,000, according to the last preceding State Census, and prohibiting such Judges from practicing law.

Also—

S. B. No. 134—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 599.05, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 21,809, Acts of 1943, and as amended by Chapter 22,550, Acts of 1945, relating to the imposition of excise taxes upon citrus fruit to provide a method for computing such taxes on tangerines and limes when purchased, acquired or handled on a weight basis.

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

Very respectfully,

J. W. LINDLER,

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

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

S. B. No. 135—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 599.08, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Chapter 22520, Acts of 1945, relating to payment of excise taxes on citrus fruits, by use of stamps or by guaranteeing the tax, etc., by providing that canners or processors shall guarantee the payment of such taxes by bond or cash deposit under rules and regulations to be promulgated by the Florida Citrus Commission.

Also—

S. B. No. 136—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 599.13, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to penalties for non-payment of citrus excise taxes, by providing that the penalties shall be paid to the Florida Citrus Commission as other taxes under Chapter 599, Florida Statutes 1941, are paid, decreasing the penalties, and providing methods for enforcing the collection of all taxes accruing under Chapter 599, Florida Statutes 1941.

Also—

S. B. No. 165—A bill to be entitled An Act affecting the government of the City of Jacksonville by making it mandatory upon the City Commission and the City Council of said city to set up in the annual budget a fund for depreciation and reserve to be known as the Renewal and Replacement Fund for the Electric Utility of the City; providing for the source, deposit, investment and use of such fund; and superseding Chapter 22341, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1943, as to such Electric Utility only.

Also—

S. B. No. 224—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the compensation of the supervisor of registration and expenses; to provide for a chief deputy supervisor of registration and compensation thereof, in counties of the State of Florida now having a population of more than one hundred and six thousand (106,000) and less than one hundred twelve thousand four hundred (112,400) according to the last preceding State Census.

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

Very respectfully,

J. W. LINDLER,

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

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

S. B. No. 276—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and providing for the employment and compensation of Secretaries to the Circuit Judges in Circuits of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 150,000 nor more than 250,000 inhabitants according to the last preceding State Census and providing that the compensation of such Secretaries shall be paid by the County of the residence of such Judge or Judges and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

S. B. No. 290—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 23390, Laws of Florida, 1945, being "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Madison, in the County of Madison in the State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Madison, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges" by amending Sections 32, 33, 36 and 123 thereof, relating to Municipal Judges.

Also—

S. B. No. 300—A bill to be entitled An Act limiting the number of licenses which may be granted by the City of Coral Gables, Florida, for the sale of intoxicating beverages within its corporate limits by vendors operating places of business

where beverages containing alcohol of more than fourteen per centum by weight are sold, and excepting from the operation hereof all operators of railroads, sleeping cars, buses and airplanes obtaining licenses good throughout the State of Florida under the Beverage Law of the State of Florida; giving to the City Commission the power and authority, in its discretion, to issue such licenses to hotels having one hundred or more guest rooms, without regard to the limitation herein; declaring that the limitations imposed by this Act shall not affect licenses already issued or proper renewals thereof; providing a separability clause.

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

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

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

S. B. No. 342—A bill to be entitled An Act to Limit the Hours of Work of the Members of the Police Force of the City of Pensacola.

Also—

S. B. No. 369—A bill to be entitled An Act Affecting the government of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, and Amending Chapter 23218, Laws of Florida, 1945, wherein the City of Coral Gables was given Authority to Provide for a Pension Plan for Officers and Employees of the City, Subject to a Referendum; by Adding thereunto a Paragraph Permitting Amendments to Ordinances Adopted under the Provisions of said Act, without Referendum, under certain Terms, Conditions and Limitations.

Also—

S. B. No. 387—A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Section 3 of Chapter 21318, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, Entitled, "An Act Authorizing the City of Jacksonville to Issue Certificates of Indebtedness or Revenue Certificates," as Purportedly Amended by Chapter 23354, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, and Repealing said Chapter 23354, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945.

Also—

S. B. No. 466—A bill to be entitled An Act to Create, Establish and Organize a Municipal Corporation in Okaloosa County, Florida, to be named Shalimar, and to Fix its Boundaries and Provide for its Government, Jurisdiction, Powers, Authority and Privileges; and to Designate and Appoint Municipal Officers and to Define their Duties and Powers.

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

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

Pursuant to the motion made by Senator Rose on May 8, 1947, the Senate took up the consideration of House Bills on the Calendar.

H. B. No. 63—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the practice of law by duly certificated attorneys at law, before boards, bureaus and commissions, of the State of Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 63 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 63 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 63 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. 63 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 63 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—27

Mr. President	Carroll	Fraser (31st)	Moon
Alford	Coleman	Getzen	Pearce
Baynard	Collins	Gray	Perdue
Beacham	Crary	Johnson	Ray
Boyle	Davis	King	Shands
Brackin	Flake	Lindler	Sturgis
Branch	Fraser (29th)	McArthur	

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 63 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 9—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to appeals to the Supreme Court of Florida and providing that misconception of remedy shall not constitute ground for dismissal.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 9 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 9 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 9 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. 9 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 9 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—29

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

Nays—1

Gray

So House Bill No. 9 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 34—A bill to be entitled An Act directing the record cancellation by clerks of circuit courts of Florida of all state, county and municipal tax sale certificates held by any private person or holder after expiration of twenty years from date of issue.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 34 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 34 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 34:

In (typewritten bill) after Section 3 insert a section to be numbered 3a to read as follows:

"Section 3a. For making each cancellation and otherwise complying with law in relation thereto the clerk shall receive ten (10) cents to be paid from the General Revenue Fund of the County or Municipality as the case may be."

Senator Pearce moved the adoption of the admendment.

Which was agreed to and the admendment was adopted.

Senator Pearce also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 34:

In (typewritten bill)

In the title after the word "issuance," change comma to semi-colon and add: "fixing the compensation therefor and providing the effective date hereof."

Senator Pearce moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 34, as amended, 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. 34, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 34, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—26

Mr. President	Branch	Gray	Rose
Alford	Carroll	Johnson	Sanchez
Baynard	Coleman	King	Shands
Beacham	Davis	Lindler	Sturgis
Beall	Flake	Moon	Wilson
Boyle	Fraser (31st)	Pearce	
Brackin	Getzen	Perdue	

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 34 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 14—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Recording of Written Orders, Judgments and Decrees in Actions at Law and Suits in Equity in the several Courts of the State of Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 14 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 14 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 14 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. 14 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 14 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—26

Mr. President	Carroll	Gray	Perdue
Alford	Coleman	Johnson	Rose
Baynard	Crary	King	Sanchez
Beacham	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Boyle	Flake	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 14 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 110—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 708.07, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to specific performance by and against husband and wife of written agreements to sell or convey the separate property of the wife or to relinquish her right of dower in the property of her husband.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 110 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 110 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 110 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. 110 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 110 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 110 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 97—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 440.39, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the Workmen's Compensation Law and compensation for injuries where third persons are liable, by providing an election by employee either to pursue his remedy against a third person or to accept compensation under the Act; to add a new subdivision (6) specifying the time within which employee may bring such action; and other matters in connection therewith; and to amend said sections relating to expenses recoverable by an employer from sums recovered from a third person by reason of compromise or other proceeding.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 97 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 97 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 97:

In Section 1, line 58 (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "shall have accrued" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "shall have accrued, provided, however, that in any event the employer or insurer shall have six months after he has been subrogated to the rights of the said employee within which to bring said action,"

Senator Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 97, as amended, 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. 97, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 97, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Brackin	Crary	Getzen
Alford	Branch	Davis	Johns
Beacham	Carroll	Flake	Johnson
Beall	Coleman	Fraser (29th)	King
Boyle	Collins	Fraser (31st)	Lindler

Moon	Ray	Shands	Walker
Pearce	Riddle	Sheldon	Wilson
Perdue	Rose	Sturgis	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 97 passed, as amended, 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 House Bill No. 613, as amended, passed the Senate on May 12, 1947.

H. B. No. 613—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 561.44 Florida Statutes, 1941, by adding thereto an additional section, restricting the issuance of licenses to place of business dealing in alcoholic beverages as provided in Section three (3) to eight (8) inclusive of Chapter 561.34 Florida Statutes of 1941, where said places of business are located within 300 feet of the nearest property line of any public housing project constructed or maintained by or with the aid of Federal funds, and prohibiting the issuances of said licenses within said prescribed area and for other purposes; providing further that the provisions herein shall be applicable in all the cities and towns having a population of more than one hundred thousand people, and less than one hundred and twenty-five thousand people according to the last State or Federal census; providing penalties for violation thereof.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which House Bill No. 613, as amended, passed the Senate on May 12, 1947.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which the following amendment to House Bill No. 613 was adopted by the Senate on May 12, 1947:

In title (typewritten bill) strike out the words "two hundred thousand people, according to the last State or Federal Census" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One hundred ninety thousand population, according to last State Census."

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which the foregoing amendment by Senator Sheldon to House Bill No. 613 was adopted on May 12, 1947.

By unanimous consent Senator Sheldon withdrew the foregoing amendment to House Bill No. 613.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which the following amendment to House Bill No. 613 was adopted by the Senate on May 12, 1947.

In Section 1, line 16, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "two hundred thousand according to last Federal Census" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One hundred ninety thousand population, according to last State Census."

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which the foregoing amendment by Senator Sheldon was adopted by the Senate on May 12, 1947.

By unanimous consent Senator Sheldon withdrew the foregoing amendment to House Bill No. 613.

The question recurred on the passage of House Bill No. 613.

By unanimous consent Senator Sheldon offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 613:

In Section 1, line 16, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "one hundred and twenty-five thousand people according to the last Federal Census," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One hundred and ninety thousand according to the last State Census."

Senator Sheldon moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent Senator Sheldon also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 613:

In title of Act, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "One hundred and twenty-five thousand people according to the last State or Federal Census," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One hundred and ninety thousand according to the last State Census."

Senator Sheldon moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The question recurred on the passage of House Bill No. 613, as further amended.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 613, as further amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 613 passed, as further amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 100—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 450.05, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the hours of employment of minors between sixteen and eighteen years of age, and vesting the Florida Industrial Commission with authority to extend the hours within which boys between sixteen and eighteen years of age may be employed beyond 10:00 P. M. After investigation and finding by the Florida Industrial Commission that the employment or place of employment is not detrimental to the health or welfare of minors between sixteen and eighteen years of age; and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act; and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 100 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 100 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 100 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. 100 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 100 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 100 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 178—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that all surplus lands, the title of which is held by the Overseas Road and Toll Bridge District, which lands lie outside of

the right of way of State Road 5, U. S. Highway 1, shall upon the liquidation of the entire bonded indebtedness of said District vest in Monroe County; providing that said lands shall never be sold but shall be held and used for public purposes except that short term leases may be made covering parcels of said land to private persons in certain instances.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 178 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 178 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 178 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. 178 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 178 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—29

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 178 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 269—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the registration and reregistration of electors in each county having a population of less than two thousand four hundred (2,400) according to the last State census; providing the procedure for such registration and reregistration; and providing for the compensation to be allowed the supervisor of registration for such registration and reregistration.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Flake moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 269 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 269 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Flake moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 269 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. 269 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 269 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 269 passed, title as stated, and the action

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

House Bill No. 288 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

H. B. No. 76—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Old Age Assistance, and amending Section 409.16, Florida Statutes of 1941.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Perdue moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 76 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 76 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Perdue moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 76 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. 76 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 76 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 76 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 211—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 409.10, Florida Statutes of 1941, as amended, relating to employees of State and District Welfare Boards.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 211 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 211 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Welfare offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 211:

In Section 1, line 17 (typewritten bill) strike out the word: six, and insert in lieu thereof the following: seven.

Senator Brackin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Sheldon offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 211:

In Section 1 at the end of said paragraph add: All other employees shall be limited to a salary not to exceed (\$250.00) two hundred and fifty dollars monthly.

Senator Sheldon moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 211, as amended, 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. 211, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 211, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—29

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

Nays—3

Alford Beall Johns

So House Bill No. 211 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

House Bill No. 50 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

H. B. No. 27—A bill to be entitled An Act directing the record cancellation by clerks of Circuit Courts of Florida of all State and county and municipal tax sale certificates held by any private person or holder upon lands which have heretofore reverted to the State of Florida under the provisions of Chapter 18296, Laws of Florida, Acts 1937 Legislature, otherwise known as the Murphy Act, being Section 192.38 et seq., Florida Statutes 1941.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 27 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 27 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 27 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. 27 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 27 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 27 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 25—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 398.02 and 398.18 Florida Statutes of 1941, relating to Narcotic drugs, defining such drugs and habitual users, manufacturers and wholesalers, prescribing commitment, treatment, confinement and discharge of habitual users, duties of State attorneys, judges, State Board of Health, Bureau of Narcotics of the State Board of Health, Narcotic officers, Superintendent of State Prison, providing for certain reports, rules and regulations, authorizing narcotic officers to administer oaths, providing penalties for falsely representing or interfering with narcotic officers, false statements made to narcotic officers, and repealing all laws in conflict with same.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 25 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 25 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 25 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. 25 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 25 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 25 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 33—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the disposition of real and personal property belonging to any county in the State of Florida not needed for county purposes by the board of county commissioners and providing for the procedure in making any sale or lease thereof and limiting the application of this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 33 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 33 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rose offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 33:

In Section 5, line 5, (typewritten bill) strike out the period after the word county and insert thereafter the following: "or any land conveyed to any county for a specific purpose and containing a reversionary clause whereby said land shall revert to the grantor or grantors upon failure to use said real property for such purpose."

Senator Rose moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 33, as amended, 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. 33, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 33, as amended, be placed back on second reading for purposes of further amendment.

Which was not agreed to.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to offer a further amendment to House Bill No. 33 on third reading.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurred on the passage of House Bill No. 33, as amended.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 33, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—20.

Baynard	Collins	Getzen	Rose
Beacham	Crary	Johnson	Shands
Boyle	Flake	King	Sturgis
Carroll	Franklin	Mathews	Walker
Coleman	Fraser (29th)	Moon	Wilson

Nays—15.

Mr. President	Branch	Lindler	Ray
Alford	Davis	McArthur	Riddle
Beall	Fraser (31st)	Pearce	Sheldon
Brackin	Gray	Perdue	

So House Bill No. 33 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Baynard moved that Senate Bill No. 36 be recalled from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

H. B. No. 29—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to deeds of conveyance of lands, the title to which is held by any county or in the name of its Board of County Commissioners, limiting the effect, prescribing the form, dispensing with witnessing and acknowledgment and providing for recording thereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 29 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 29 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 29 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. 29 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 29 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 29 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 30—A bill to be entitled An Act to permit, under the circumstances herein described, sales of land, title to which has become vested in the several counties of the State of Florida under the provisions of Chapter 20,722 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, as amended by Chapter 22,079 of the Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, and all other Acts amendatory thereof, providing the manner of sale and directing the distribution of the proceeds thereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 30 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 30 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Judiciary "A" offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 30:

In Section 3, (typewritten bill) strike out the entire section and insert in lieu thereof the following: Section 3: After the Board of County Commissioners shall have ordered a sale or sales, as herein permitted, it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of such county to advertise such lands for sale prior to the sale thereof. In the event said lands shall be within the limits of a municipality, the Clerk shall advertise such sales once each week for four consecutive weeks in a newspaper published in said municipality and having a general circulation in such municipality. In the event such lands are not within the boundaries of a municipality, it shall be the duty of the Clerk to advertise said sales once each week for four consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation of the territory in which the land to be sold is situated. Said lands so advertised shall be sold to the highest cash bidder at such sale, and the purchaser thereof shall be entitled to receive a deed of conveyance to said lands; provided, however, that such bid shall be in conformity with the minimum bid determined to be required by the Board of County Commissioners of the County having title to said lands.

Senator Mathews moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 30, as amended, 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. 30, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 30, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 30 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 271—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Railroad Commission to destroy certain correspondence, certificate, application and other files; to reproduce by photographic or micro-photographic process and then destroy certain books, records, documents and reports; and making such photographs, micro-photographs and reproductions therefrom admissible in evidence.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 271 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 271 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 271 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. 271 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 271 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Baynard	Brackin	Carroll
Alford	Boyle	Branch	Coleman

Collins	Fraser (31st)	McArthur	Rose
Crary	Getzen	Moon	Shands
Davis	Johns	Pearce	Sheldon
Flake	Johnson	Perdue	Walker
Franklin	King	Ray	Wilson
Fraser (29th)	Mathews	Riddle	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 271 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 123—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 22847, Acts of 1945, relating to the Probate Laws of Florida, and prescribing the class of persons, non-resident of the State of Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 123 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 123 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 123 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. 123 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 123 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 123 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By permission the following bills were introduced:

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 585—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain state road in Wakulla County.

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

By Senator Boyle—(By Request)—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 586:

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Florida by adding thereto an additional section to provide for the appropriation of funds to veterans organizations incorporated by Act of Congress.

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

That the following amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Florida, by adding thereto an additional section to be known as Section 34, be and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1948, as follows:

Section 34—The Legislature may provide for the appropriation of funds for the benefit of those national organizations of war veterans now incorporated, or which may hereafter be incorporated, by Act of Congress.

Which was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Senator Walker—

S. B. No. 587—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a grade for fully matured Florida oranges, of the type that gave Florida renown; giving such oranges a grade classification by which they may be distinguished from other oranges in market; prohibiting the fraudulent use of said grade designation on fruit that does not comply with said grade requirements, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

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

By Senator Walker—

S. B. No. 588—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing quality grades for Florida oranges; establishing high standards to insure a delicious orange in such grades; granting authority to the Florida Citrus Commission by and with approval of the Commissioner of Agriculture, to make tolerances in said grades, and change the name of grade designations; prescribing duties of citrus inspectors; and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

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

By Senator Walker—

S. B. No. 589—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing quality grades for Florida oranges; establishing high standards to insure a delicious orange in such grades; granting authority to the Florida Citrus Commission, by and with approval of the Commissioner of Agriculture, to make tolerances in said grades, and change the name of grade designations; prescribing duties of citrus inspectors; and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

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

By Senator Coleman—

S. B. No. 590—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for exemption from the assessment and levy of all ad valorem taxes on property owned and operated by organizations of ex-servicemen, not for profit, in all counties of the State of Florida, now or hereafter having a population of three hundred thousand (300,000) or more according to any last preceding State Census; repealing conflicting laws.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Coleman moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 590 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 590 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Coleman moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 590 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. 590 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 590 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 590 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Coleman—

S. B. No. 591—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary of the Judge of the Court of Crimes in Counties having a population of three hundred fifteen thousand inhabitants or more; the population to be determined by the last State Census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Coleman 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 Coleman 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—37

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

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.

By Senator Coleman—

S. B. No. 592—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Solicitors of the Criminal Courts of Record in and for Counties in the State of Florida having a population of three hundred fifteen thousand (315,000) or more, according to the last preceding Federal or State Census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Coleman moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 592 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

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

By Senator McArthur—

S. B. No. 593—A bill to be entitled An Act to license electrically operated console type pari-mutuel metered games of chance; defining the same and imposing license taxes thereon, and defining the "pari-mutuel pool" of moneys played through such machines and imposing a tax thereon of six per cent; providing for the division and distribution of the revenue derived from the license taxes hereby imposed and the six per cent tax on the pari-mutuel pool herein defined: prescribing the division of the remaining twelve per cent of the pari-mutuel pool and other matters properly relating thereto relative to the licensing of such machines and supervision of their operation by the Comptroller of the State of Florida; and to provide for holding recall elections in any county to determine whether such licenses should be revoked or continued therein, 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 Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Sheldon—

S. B. No. 594—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for a method of collection of excise tax on malt beverages; providing for tax payment to be evidenced by tax-paid crowns, tax-paid can lids or stamps; providing discount for losses; and amending Sections 561.37, 561.50, 561.55, 561.01, 561.04, 562.15 and 562.19, Florida Statutes of 1941, relating to bonds required of manufacturers and distributors, one state tax and records required to be kept and reports to be made by manufacturers and distributors, records and reports required of manufacturers and distributors, possession of unstamped beverages and beverages not bearing tax-paid crowns or tax-paid can lids, sale of unstamped beverages and beverages not bearing tax-paid crowns or tax-paid can lids; granting to the State Beverage Director power to make and promulgate rules and regulations and prohibiting illegal use of tax-paid crowns and tax-paid can lids; and providing penalties for the violation hereof.

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

By Senator Sheldon—

S. B. No. 595—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 550.16, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 21744, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, and as amended by Chapter 22589, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, relating to pari-mutuel pools at horse race tracks and dog race tracks, the distribution thereof, the "breaks" and defining said "breaks", the commission of the licensee to be deducted from such pari-mutuel pools, regulating the purchase and sale of an interest in any such regulations: levying a tax upon every licensee conducting a dog race meet or operating a race track for dog racing equal to two per cent of the total contributions to all pari-mutuel pools on dog races in addition to all other taxes otherwise levied or assessed; and providing when and where said taxes shall be paid, making an appropriation thereof and designating said tax as the "Old Age Assistance Tax" and providing deductions from said tax in equal amounts to the counties of this state, according to law should the amount payable to said counties from horse and dog race meets to be less than the total amount distributed to the said therefrom in and for the racing season 1940-41, and providing a penalty for wilful or wanton non-payment of such tax.

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

By Senator Sheldon—

S. B. No. 596—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain State Road.

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

By Senator Collins—

S. B. No. 597—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for services performed in suits or proceedings before the Circuit Court in all Counties of the State having a population of not more than 35,600 and less than 35,400, according to the last official State Census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 597 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 597 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 597 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. 597 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 597 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 597 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beacham—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 598—

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Florida, by adding thereto an additional Section relating to Hospital Districts.

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

That the following amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Florida, by adding thereto an additional section to be known as Section 14, be and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1948, as follows:

"Section 14. The Legislature shall have power, by special act, to establish and abolish in the several counties of the state special hospital districts, and to provide for their government and for the financing of the same by taxation or otherwise, and to prescribe their jurisdiction and powers and to alter and amend the same at any time. When any such special hospital district shall be abolished, provision shall be made for the protection of its creditors."

Which was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Senator Fraser (29th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bills Nos. 483 and 481 be recalled from the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 413 be recalled from the Committee on State Institutions and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senator Ray moved that the Senate remain in session until completion of Messages from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

By permission the following Messages from the House of Representatives were received and read.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 13, 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 Senator Beacham—

S. B. No. 573—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the establishment and creation of a municipality to be known

as the Town of Palm Beach Shores, in Palm Beach County, Florida; defining its territorial boundaries; providing for its government, jurisdiction and powers; prescribing the powers, duties and authority of its officers; providing for other purposes; providing for a referendum; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And Senate Bill No. 573, 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 13, 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 refused to recede from House Amendment to—

By Senators Shands, Johns, Fraser (29th) and Perdue—

S. B. No. 56—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for one stenographer for the office of State Attorney in each Judicial circuit of the State of Florida, and fixing compensation to be paid to said stenographer.

Which Amendment reads as follows:

Amendment No. 1: Strike out Section 3 and insert the following in lieu thereof: Section 3. This Act shall take effect July 1, 1947, and expire June 30, 1949.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And Senate Bill No. 56, 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. 56.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 56.

And Senate Bill No. 56, 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 13, 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 Committee on Claims and State Pensions—

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 187: A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 112.05, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the retirement of state officers and employees so as to provide additional alternative service requirements for the retirement of such officers or employees, as amended by Chapter 22828 of the Acts of 1945.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 187, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,
 May 13, 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 the Committee on Alcoholic Beverages—

H. B. No. 542—A bill to be entitled An Act imposing an additional tax upon beverages containing fourteen percent 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.

By the Committee on Alcoholic Beverages—

H. B. No. 543—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 116.19, Florida Statutes, 1941, also designated as Section 3 of Chapter 20896, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, providing that the State Beverage Department is exempt from the provisions of Chapter 20896, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, relating to the purchase of motor vehicles for the use of certain State institutions, offices, agencies and departments.

By the Committee on Alcoholic Beverages—

H. B. No. 544—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 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.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bills Nos. 542, 543 and 544, contained in the above Message, were read the first time by titles only.

Senator Ray moved that the rules be waived and House Bills Nos. 542, 543 and 544 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

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

Senator Sheldon asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 220, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 220—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the State Road Department of the State of Florida to construct, operate and maintain a bridge and causeway and approaches thereto in, over and across the waters between Hillsborough and Pinellas Counties, Florida; designating the site and route for such construction, and providing for the establishment and maintenance of parks and other public facilities in connection therewith, and providing for the conveyance of bottom lands by State Officials in furtherance of such project; prescribing the rights, powers and duties of such officials in relation thereto, and providing for the cost thereof.

Was taken up.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 220 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 220 was read the second time by title only.

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220: A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the State Road Department of the State of Florida to construct, operate and maintain a bridge and causeway and approaches thereto in, over and across the waters between Hillsborough and Pinellas Counties, Florida, designating the site and route for such construction, and providing for the establishment and maintenance of parks and other public facilities in connection therewith, and providing for the conveyance of bottom lands by State officials in furtherance of such project; prescribing the rights, powers and duties of such officials in relation thereto, and providing for the cost thereof.

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

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220.

Which was agreed to and the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220 was adopted.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 220 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Sheldon asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 609, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 609—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the eligibility of James Franklin Gaston, Jr., Loring Brown Moon, Addison Young Myers, Ely George Marlan, William Albert Meares, and Joe A. Russo, as members of the police department of the City of Tampa, Florida, in all of the benefits of the city pension fund for firemen and policemen in the City of Tampa, created by Chapter 21590, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1941, as amended, requiring the City of Tampa to enter into a contract with said members in the same manner as other members of said police department who are eligible to participate in said benefits; and to repeal any and all laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 609 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 609 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 609 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. 609 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 609 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 609 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Baynard asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 656, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 656—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the City of Dunedin, Florida, providing for the registration of voters in elections in said city, providing the qualifications of candidates for office therein, providing the method of election of a Mayor-Commissioner thereof, providing for the collection of delinquent personal property taxes, repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing for the carrying into effect of the provisions of this Act.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 656 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 656 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 656 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 656 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 516 be recalled from the Committee on Game and Fisheries and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senator Crary asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 516, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 516—A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful to fish, or cause to be fished, or use or cause to be used, any drag nets, haul seines, force trap nets, gill nets, or other nets except common cast nets used for the purpose of catching bait in that part of Martin County, Florida, located within the territory bounded by a circle two miles in diameter, the center of which circle is located in the St. Lucie inlet; and/or to fish, or cause to be fished, or used, or cause to be used, such seines and nets from 12 noon Saturday until twelve o'clock midnight Sunday; and making it unlawful to use certain nets within one-fourth mile of any bridge; providing that certain prohibited areas be defined with posts, signs, or markers by the Board of County Commissioners but a failure to do so shall be no excuse or defense to any prosecution hereunder; making it unlawful to dump foul or refuse fish as to cause a nuisance; making it lawful to fish, or cause to be fished in salt water of Martin County by use of haul seines, drag nets, force trap nets, or gill nets, excepting waters prohibited by this Act; regulating the size of mesh and length of such seines and nets; and providing penalty for violation of any of the provisions of this Act and providing that this Act shall not affect the operation of House Bill No. 773 of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1937.

Was taken up.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 516 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 516 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Crary offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 516:

In Section 3, line 2 (typewritten bill) after the words: "to use or cause to be used" insert the following: "in Martin County, Florida,"

Senator Crary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 516, as amended, 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. 516, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 516, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 516 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 40, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 40—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 41.03 and 41.05, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the drawing of jurors in County Judges' Courts, by providing that the number to be drawn shall not be less than twelve nor more than twenty-four.

Was taken up.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 40 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 40 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 40 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. 40 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 40 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 40 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Johns asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 395, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 395—A bill to be entitled An Act to Prescribe the Commissions and Fixing the Compensation of the County Tax Collector in counties having a population of not less than 8,700 and not more than 8,750, according to the Federal census of 1940.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 395 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 395 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 395 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. 395 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 395 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 395 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Riddle asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 446, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 446—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Town Council of the Town of DeFuniak Springs, Florida, to employ a business manager for said town, defining the duties of such business manager and fixing the maximum compensation which shall be paid to said business manager; and providing for a referendum election thereon.

Was taken up.

Senator Riddle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 446 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 446 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Riddle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 446 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. 446 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 446 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 446 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Rose, Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, moved that the Senate convene for an afternoon session tomorrow, Wednesday, May 14, 1947, from 3:00 o'clock, P.M., until 5:00 o'clock, P.M., following the morning session.

Pending consideration of the motion by Senator Rose, Senator Mathews moved as a substitute motion that the Senate convene at 10:30 o'clock, A.M., tomorrow, Wednesday, May 14, 1947.

The question was put on the substitute motion made by Senator Mathews.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurred on the motion made by Senator Rose that the Senate convene for an afternoon session tomorrow, Wednesday, May 14, 1947, from 3:00 o'clock, P.M., until 5:00 o'clock P.M., following the morning session.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator McArthur 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 5:01 o'clock, P. M.

The Senate emerged from Executive Session at 5:09 o'clock, P. M., and resumed its session.

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

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

A quorum present.

Senator Beacham moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 5:10 o'clock, P. M., until 11:00 o'clock, A. M., Wednesday, May 14, 1947.

EXECUTIVE SESSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Senate, in Executive Session on May 13, 1947, refused to advise and consent to the following appointment made by the Governor:

J. Frank Umstot, Assistant State Attorney in and for the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, for a term of four years from July 31, 1947.