

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Friday, May 23, 1947

The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock, A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Thursday, May 22, 1947.

The President in the Chair.

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

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

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A quorum present.

Senator Mathews was excused from attendance upon the session today on account of illness.

Senators Branch and Fraser (29th) were excused from attendance upon the session.

The following Prayer was offered by the Chaplain:

"This is the acknowledgement that we cannot take one step forward without Thy guidance, O Thou Keeper and Director of our whole being. May we become more and more conscious of Thy pervading presence in and about us. May we submit more willingly to the gentle urge that comes to us when Thou dost speak in the quiet moments or in the storms of life. Give unto us the faith to keep our eyes open towards Thee, and our ears attentive, that we might discern Thy directing commands. Hear us, in the name of our Lord, and Saviour Jesus Christ, who calmed the seas, and stilled the storms. Amen."

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

The Journal of Tuesday, May 20, 1947, was further corrected as follows:

Page 3, column 1, line 30, counting from the top of the column, strike the figures "251" and insert in lieu thereof "521".

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of Wednesday, May 21, 1947, was further corrected as follows:

Page 1, column 2, at the end of line 24, counting from the top of the column, strike the period and add the following:

"and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote."

Also—

Page 30, column 2, strike lines 1 to 21, inclusive, counting from the bottom of the column, and

Page 31, column 1, strike lines 1 to 15, inclusive, counting from the top of the column, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

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

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 21, 1947.

Hon. S. D. Clarke,
President of the Senate,
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I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has reconsidered the vote by which it passed Senate Bill No. 518, on May 15—

By Senator Walker—

S. B. No. 518—A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the sale and service of electricity within the Town of Edgewater, Florida; authorizing the Town of Edgewater to fix reasonable rates for the sale of electricity within the Town of Edgewater, Florida; regulating the placing and maintenance of poles, electric wires and other material in or over streets and public places; and requiring the posting of bond in the event of litigation.

Proof of Publication attached.

and has reconsidered the vote by which it adopted Amendments Nos. 1 and 2, and has withdrawn Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 in which the Senate refused to concur, which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In the preamble of the bill, strike out everything preceding the enacting clause.

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 1, line 10, of the section, strike out the period and insert the following in lieu thereof: comma "Provided that no rate less than that prevailing in the municipality operating such utility shall be set, if the utility be one operated by a municipal corporation; and provided further that nothing herein contained and shall be construed as restricting the power of the Courts of Equity of the State of Florida to determine the reasonableness of any ordinance or regulation passed pursuant to the authority of this Act."

and has passed Senate Bill No. 518, as amended, which Amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Preamble, of the bill, strike out everything between the end of the Title and the beginning of the enacting clause.

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 1, line 10, of the bill, strike out the Period, and insert the following: " provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed as restricting the power of the courts of equity of the State of Florida to determine the reasonableness of any ordinance or regulation passed pursuant to the authority of this Act."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,

Chief Clerk, House of Representatives."

And as further corrected was approved.

The Journal of Thursday, May 22, 1947, was corrected as follows:

In the date line, strike the word "Wednesday" and insert in lieu thereof the word "Thursday."

Also—

Page 35, column 1, between lines 21 and 22, counting from the top of the column, insert the following:

"S. B. No. 345—A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for the salaries of the officers and employees of the State and for the current operating expenses of the departments and branches of the State government for the annual periods beginning July 1, 1947, and July 1, 1948."

And as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Your Committee on Citrus Fruits, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 266—A bill to be entitled An Act to establish grades and classify oranges, according to attained maturity, juice volume and quality; to provide for, regulate, and control the use of heat and gas in coloring rooms; control and regulate the artificial coloring of oranges by the use of artificial coloring; granting unto the Florida Citrus Commission and the Secretary of Agriculture of Florida regulatory powers in relation thereto; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing penalties for violation thereof.

S. B. No. 267—A bill to be entitled An Act to classify and establish grades for oranges, according to attained maturity and juice qualities, to provide for, regulate, and control the use of heat and gas in coloring rooms; control and regulate the artificial coloring of all oranges by the use of artificial coloring; granting unto the Florida Citrus Commission certain regulatory powers in relation thereto; prescribing further duties of Citrus Inspectors; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing penalties for violation thereof.

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.

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.

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.

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

Very respectfully,
HARRY E. KING,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 266, 267, 587, 588, and 589, contained in the above report, were laid on the table.

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

S. B. No. 752—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 320.08, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the license fees to be paid to and collected by the State Motor Vehicle Commissioner upon the registration or reregistration of certain vehicles.

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

Very respectfully,
A. G. McARTHUR,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 752, 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. 503—A bill to be entitled An Act to remove from the titles to real estate the clouds of unperformed contracts of record recorded prior to July 1, 1927, the final maturity

of which is not disclosed and cannot be ascertained from the record of such contracts.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
Vice-Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 503, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Insurance, to whom was referred:

H. B. No. 3508—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 732.61, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 22783, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, by adding new subsections designated (3), (4), (5), (6), and (7) providing for affidavits to be filed by personal sureties on bonds of personal representatives of estates; providing for approval of such bonds; providing for liens upon certain real property of such personal sureties and the recording of such liens; and providing for the release of such liens upon certain conditions, and the cancellation of record of liens so released.

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

Very respectfully,
J. A. FRANKLIN,
Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 508, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

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

H. B. No. 805—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and investing in the Board of County Commissioners of Bradford County, Florida, the right and power to dispose of, as they deem advisable, any and all confiscated alcoholic beverages, drinks, wine, and liquor, etc., and any vehicles, appliances or any other prohibitive matters that are now on hand or hereafter confiscated and authorizing them to dispose of same through charitable institutions or sale thereof to licensed dealers outside the County of Bradford, funds therefrom to be turned over to Bradford County, Florida, and placed in fine and forfeiture fund; said disposal to be by sheriff of said county, under the supervision and direction of Board of County Commissioners of said county.

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.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By the Committee on Judiciary "B"

S. B. No. 755—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 517.02, 517.06, 517.07, 517.08 and 517.09, Florida Statutes, 1941, all relating to the sale of securities and being a part of Chapter 517 of said Statutes, by providing for definitions of terms, exemptions, and the registration of certain securities by "notification" and "qualification" under said chapter; also providing a new method for the registration of certain securities with Florida Securities Commission by "announcement" and prescribing the procedure for such registration.

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

By Senators Sanchez, Leaird, Crary, Ray, Fraser (29th), Gray, Flake, Johns, Moon, Boyle, Sheldon, Lindler, Collins, Shands, King and Johnson—

S. B. No. 756—A bill to be entitled An Act to create a State Athletic Commission for the State of Florida; to be known as "State Athletic Commission"; to provide for the appointment of members of such commission and to prescribe the powers, duties and functions of such commission, and the qualifications of such commission, the terms of office of members thereof; to regulate boxing, sparring and wrestling; to provide for the collection of taxes and fees for licenses and permits, and to provide penalties for violations of the provisions of this Act and any order, rule or regulation promulgated thereunder; and providing for the repeal of Sections 548.01, 548.02 and 548.03 of the Florida Statutes of 1941, and all other laws in conflict herewith.

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

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 757—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City Manager and Clerk-Comptroller of the City of Pensacola, Florida, to execute and deliver a good and sufficient deed conveying all the right, title and interest of said City in the following described real estate in the City of Pensacola, Florida, to the Record Owners of said property: The east thirty (30') feet of lot six (6) between the squares and the east thirty (30') feet of lot five (5) between the squares, all in the Old City Tract in the City of Pensacola, Florida, according to map of said City copyrighted by Thos. C. Watson in 1906; and providing that said deed shall have the legal effect of conveying all the title of said City in said property to the grantees named in said deed without the necessity of an ordinance or resolution or other authority on the part of the City Council of said City.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 757 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 Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 757 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 757 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 757 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. 757 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 757 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 757 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senators Rose and Boyle—

S. B. No. 758—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring, designating and establishing a certain State Road in Orange and Brevard Counties, Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rose moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 758 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 758 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rose moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 758 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. 758 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 758 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 758 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Flake—

S. B. No. 759—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the issuance of licenses to practice medicine to applicants who were issued temporary licenses by the State Defense Council during the recent emergency.

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

By Senator Alford—

S. B. No. 760—A bill to be entitled An Act amending subsection (a) of Section 6, Chapter 9767, (No. 649), Laws of Florida; Acts of 1923, entitled, An Act to abolish the present charter and municipal government of the Town of Graceville, in Jackson County, and to create in lieu thereof a new charter and municipal government, to be known as the city of Graceville, and provide for its jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities; to validate all taxes, assessments and licenses heretofore made or imposed by the Town of Graceville, and preserve intact all debts and obligations of said town.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 760 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 Alford moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 760 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 760 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Alford moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 760 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. 760 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 760 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 760 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 761—A bill to be entitled An Act enlarging the powers of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, providing for the registration with said bureau of births occurring outside of the State of Florida, or outside of the United States, of native born citizens or foreign born now naturalized, and previously not registered, and providing the procedure for obtaining such certificate.

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

By Senator Johns—

S. B. No. 762—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for a plan or plans to be adopted by the Insurance Commissioner, after notice and hearing, for assigned insurance coverage for risks against certain motor vehicle physical damage hazards, for use where applicants for such insurance are unable to obtain same by ordinary methods; 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 Insurance.

By Senator Sturgis—

S. B. No. 763—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 918.10, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Chapter 22775, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, relating to the charge to be given to the jury by the presiding judge.

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

By the Committee on Finance and Taxation—

S. B. No. 764—A bill to be entitled An Act defining and regulating the operation of taxicabs; prescribing the jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission with reference thereto; levying an annual tax for such operations and providing for the disposition thereof; prescribing penalties for violations of this Act and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

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

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 765—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for appointment of Deputy Constables in all Justice of the Peace Districts in all counties of the State of Florida, having a population of not less than 112,400 nor more than 125,000 according to the last State Census; providing for their powers, duties, responsibilities and dismissal.

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

By Senator Brackin—

S. B. No. 766—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 409.02, Florida Statutes of 1941, relating to the duties of the State Welfare Board, and requiring a merit system for employees of the State and District Welfare Boards.

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

By Senator Brackin—

S. B. No. 767—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the records, papers and files of the State and District Welfare Boards, prohibiting disclosure of matter contained therein, and providing penalties for violation thereof.

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

By Senator Brackin—

S. B. No. 768—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, and 17, of Chapter 22356, Laws of Florida, 1945, and repealing Section 19A thereof, all relating to the recording of marks and brands of cattle; the inspection of marks and brands of live cattle offered for sale, or slaughtered cattle; describing the powers and duties of Commissioner of Agriculture in relation thereto; providing remedies and penalties for the enforcement and violation of said Act, providing for appointment of inspectors to enforce the Act and their compensation therefor, providing that said Act shall be applicable to all counties of State of Florida without exception thereto; and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

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

By Senator Moon—

S. B. No. 769—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 462.01, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the practice of Naturopathy.

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

By Senator Shands—

S. B. No. 770—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 204.01, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to Chain Store Taxes and the definitions thereunder by further defining "A Retail Sale" or "Sale at Retail" and the exclusions therefrom.

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

By Senators McArthur and Fraser (31st)—

S. B. No. 771—A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the taking of shrimp from the salt waters of the State of Florida; defining salt waters; prohibiting the taking of shrimp less than a minimum size and fixing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 771 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 Wilson—

S. B. No. 772—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for an Eight Hour Day for all employees of the Florida State Hospital at Chattahoochee and appropriating the necessary additional funds for carrying out the provisions of this Act.

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

By Senator Beacham—

S. B. No. 773—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and establishing a sanitary district in Palm Beach County, Florida, known as the "Palm Beaches-Lake Worth Sanitary District," which, depending upon the results of a referendum election, shall be composed of and contain within its boundaries all of the territory within the corporate limits of the Town of Palm Beach, the City of West Palm Beach and the City of Lake Worth, or only that territory within the Town of Palm Beach and City of West Palm Beach; creating the Palm Beaches-Lake Worth Sanitary Board as the governing body of said sanitary district; conferring powers upon said sanitary district and said board in relation to the collection, treatment and disposal of sewage, and prescribing the powers

and duties of said board; authorizing the levy of a special tax upon all taxable property within the sanitary district to provide funds for preliminary expenses; authorizing the issuance of bonds of the sanitary district, subject to a favorable vote of the freeholders at an election as required by the Constitution, to pay the cost of a sewage disposal system or systems; providing for the levy of sufficient taxes upon all taxable property within the sanitary district to pay the principal of and the interest on such bonds, and for the levy of taxes to pay the cost of maintaining, repairing and operating such sewage disposal system or systems; authorizing any municipality within the sanitary district to provide for the construction of sanitary sewer improvements within such municipality and to levy special assessments upon abutting property on account of such construction; authorizing the issuance, subject to a favorable vote of the freeholders at an election as required by the Constitution, of sewer revenue bonds of any municipality, payable solely from special assessments and sewer service charges, to pay the cost of constructing such sanitary sewer improvements; providing for the imposition and collection of rates, fees and charges by any municipality in the sanitary district for the services and facilities furnished by the sewer system of such municipality; granting to said sanitary district power to acquire necessary real and personal property and to exercise the right of eminent domain; giving the consent of the State of Florida to the use of all State lands lying under water which are necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes of this Act; exempting from taxation all property of the sanitary district; prescribing the powers and duties of said sanitary district and of each municipality in the sanitary district in connection with the foregoing and the rights and remedies of holders of any bonds issued under the provisions of this Act; and providing for a referendum election on this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 773 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 773 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 773 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. 773 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 773 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 773 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beacham—

S. B. No. 774—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Commission of the City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, to provide by ordinance or resolution for the registration of all of said city's qualified electors and freeholders by the supervisor of registration of Palm Beach County, Florida; authorizing said supervisor of registration to act as the supervisor of registration for said city; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing for a referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and

Senate Bill No. 774 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 774 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 774 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. 774 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 774 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 774 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beacham—

S. B. No. 775—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Public Transportation Facilities within the City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, and the urban and suburban areas adjacent thereto; authorizing and empowering said city, either alone or in cooperation with other cities and towns, to acquire real and personal property for, own, operate, lease (either as lessee or lessor), maintain or otherwise provide a bus transportation system, wholly within said city, or partly within said city and partly within the cities and towns and suburban areas in the vicinity of said city; authorizing and empowering said city to exercise its power of eminent domain, and to condemn real and personal property, rights and privileges, and the temporary use or absolute ownership thereof; authorizing said city to borrow funds and issue notes, contracts, retention title contracts, revenue certificates, bonds or other obligations to provide funds for a bus transportation system, payable solely from the revenues derived therefrom; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing for a referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 775 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 775 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 775 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. 775 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 775 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 775 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beacham—

S. B. No. 776—A bill to be entitled 'An Act amending Sections 26 and 42 of Chapter 16,758, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, relating to the City Commissioners of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, and their qualifications, nomination, election and tenure of office; providing for the election by the City Commission of a Mayor, Vice Mayor, and President pro tem for said City, and its Commission; prescribing the powers, duties and functions of the Vice Mayor and President pro tem of the City Commission; prohibiting members of the City Commission from holding any other office in the City Government, except as therein provided for; limiting the compensation or remuneration of members of the City Commission; relating to the recall of elected officials of said City; and providing for a referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 776 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 776 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 776 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. 776 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 776 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 776 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beacham—

S. B. No. 777—A bill to be entitled 'An Act creating and establishing the Palm Beaches Water District in Palm Beach County, Florida, comprising all of the territory within the corporate limits of the Town of Palm Beach and the City of West Palm Beach; creating the Palm Beaches Water Board as the governing body of said district, and prescribing the powers and duties of said Board; authorizing said district to acquire by purchase or by condemnation the waterworks system now privately owned and operated in the district, and to improve, extend, enlarge, reconstruct, maintain, equip, repair and operate the same either within or without the district; authorizing the issuance of Water Revenue Bonds of the district, payable solely from revenues, to pay the cost of such acquisition and of such improvements, extensions and enlargements; providing for the fixing and collection of rates and charges for water furnished by said system to pay the cost of maintenance, repair and operation and the principal of and the interest on such bonds and to make payments in lieu of taxes; providing for the execution of a trust agreement to secure the payment of such bonds without mortgaging or encumbering said system; granting to said district the power to acquire necessary real and personal property and to exercise the right of eminent domain; giving the consent of the State of Florida to the use of all state lands lying under water which are necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes

of this Act; prescribing the powers and duties of said district and of said Board in connection with the foregoing and prescribing the rights and remedies of the holders of any bonds issued under the provisions of this Act, including the appointment of a receiver in the event of a default; authorizing the issuance of Water Revenue Refunding Bonds; and providing for a referendum election on this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 777 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No 777 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 777 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. 777 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 777 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 777 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sheldon—

S. B. No. 778—A bill to be entitled 'An Act prohibiting the keeping, storing or possession of alcoholic beverages in any place of business, and upon the premises on which said business is conducted, unless the owner or operator of said business is licensed to sell the same, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

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

By Senator Johns—

S. B. No. 779—A bill to be entitled 'An Act to amend Section 409.16, Florida Statutes of 1941, relating to old age assistance, and providing that insurance, and liquid assets of an amount or value of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars or less owned or held by any person otherwise eligible to receive old age benefits shall not be considered a basis for denying to such person any old age benefits.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 779 be read the second time by title only.

Upon which a roll call was demanded.

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

Yeas—12

Boyle	Lindler	Ray	Sanchez
Davis	Pearce	Riddle	Sheldon
Johns	Perdue	Rose	Sturgis

Nays—23.

Mr. President	Carroll	Fraser (31st)	McArthur
Alford	Coleman	Getzen	Moon
Baynard	Collins	Gray	Shands
Beacham	Crary	Johnson	Walker
Beall	Flake	King	Wilson
Brackin	Franklin	Leaird	

So the motion failed of adoption, and Senate Bill No. 779 was referred to the Committee on Welfare.

Senator Walker moved that a committee of three be appointed to escort Hon. W. C. Chowning of Volusia County, former Senator from the Twenty-eighth Senatorial District, to a seat on the rostrum of the Senate.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Walker, Rose and Beacham as the committee.

By Senator Collins—

S. B. No. 780—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the salaries to be paid to members of the Board of County Commissioners of counties of the State of Florida having a population of not more than 35,600 and not less than 35,400 according to the last State Census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 780 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 780 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 780 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. 780 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 780 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 780 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 781—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6 of Chapter 22439, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, the title of which is: "An Act to create a body corporate to be known as the Pensacola Port Authority; declaring said corporation to be a public agency of the City of Pensacola; to provide for the powers and duties of such port authority; designating the members of said board and to provide for the appointment of the commissioners of said authority by the City Council of the City of Pensacola; to provide for the exercise of such powers, including the right to acquire property by purchase, lease, eminent domain, gift or transfer, to borrow money, issue revenue certificates, certificates of indebtedness and negotiable notes and other securities; to grant the power to acquire, construct, maintain and operate port terminal facilities, warehouses, wharves, docks, drydocks, quays, yacht basins, ships basins, breakwaters, shipways, foundations for shipways, fitting out docks, shipyards, marine railways, railroads, repair shops, loading, unloading and packaging facilities, and all other harbor and port improvements and facilities; to provide that said port authority may validate its obligations in the same manner as now provided by law for the validation of the obligations of counties and municipalities; to empower said authority to enter into contracts with individuals, corporations and any municipality, the State of Florida, and the United States, or any subdivision or agency thereof; to empower the said authority to enter

into operating contracts and leases for facilities owned by said port authority; providing that the City of Pensacola shall not be liable for the debts, obligations, acts of commission or omissions of said port authority however incurred; authorizing the City of Pensacola to budget, appropriate and contribute monies annually to said port authority for operating expenses; and providing for the submission by said authority to the City Council of an annual budget for such action as may be taken thereof by the City Council. As said Section 6 is amended by Section 2 of Chapter 23470, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, so as to remove the limitation on the maximum amount of the revenue bonds or certificates of indebtedness which said authority may at any time have outstanding; and providing for the submission of the question as to whether said limitation shall be removed at the general municipal election to be held on June 2nd, 1947, and providing for a canvass of votes cast upon said question.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 781 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 781 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 781 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. 781 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 781 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 781 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Baynard—

S. B. No. 782—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 22464, Laws of Florida, 1943, Special Acts, relating to St. Petersburg Port Authority, and particularly to amend Section 5 thereof (changing former Sub-Sections (a), (e), (f), (g), and (k) and eliminating former Sub-Section (j) of said Section 5), and to amend Section 17 thereof (changing former Sub-Sections (6), (16), (23), (25) and (26) of said Section 17), and to amend Sections 20, 21, 26, 27, 28, 31, 35, 41 and 55 thereof, and to add a new Section 62 thereto; providing the method of selection of commissioners and employees of St. Petersburg Port Authority, and the qualifications and disqualifications therefor, and the manner of qualification for holding the office of commissioner, and for removal from such office and employment; providing that Port Commissioners of St. Petersburg Port Authority shall serve without compensation; providing for eligibility of certain employees of St. Petersburg Port Authority to the provisions of Federal Social Security; and of the City of St. Petersburg Civil Service Laws (Chapters 18890 and 18894 Laws of Florida, 1937, Special Acts, and Chapter 21552 Laws of Florida, 1941, Special Acts, and any subsequent acts) and for applicability of such Civil Service Laws to St. Petersburg Port Authority; providing powers and responsibilities of the City Manager and City Council of the City of St. Petersburg and of said City in and over St. Petersburg Port Authority and duties and responsibilities of said authority to said City, its City Manager and Council; providing for advertising the facilities of the Authority and for certain contracts of the Authority under certain conditions as prescribed; em-

powering St. Petersburg Port Authority to borrow money and incur indebtedness in an amount not exceeding \$15,000,000.00 and the manner of creating, securing and repaying such indebtedness and for covenants of the Authority with holders of its obligations against facilities competing with a facility financed by the Authority; providing for the vesting of title in the State Road Department of Florida to any bridge facility created by the Authority as and when the same shall become debt free; providing for holding of public meetings of St. Petersburg Port Authority and notice thereof in certain instances; providing for the manner of conduct of the fiscal affairs of the Authority; providing disqualification of certain persons to have any transactions for profit with the Authority; providing that this amendatory act shall not become a law until approved in a referendum election to be held in the City of St. Petersburg; and repealing certain laws and parts of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 782 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 Baynard moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 782 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 782 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 782 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. 782 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 782 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 782 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Leaird—

S. B. No. 783—A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and empowering the clerk of the Circuit Court of Broward County, State of Florida, to destroy all duplicate tax rolls without binders for the year 1945 and all prior years and further empowering the said clerk to destroy all duplicate tax rolls without binders in future years as and when they become two years old."

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 783 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 Leaird moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 783 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 783 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 783 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. 783 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 783 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 783 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Leaird—

S. B. No. 784—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Broward County Port District of Broward County, Florida; to amend Chapter 17506, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, entitled 'An Act to abolish the Broward County Port District, situated in Broward County, Florida, created and established by Chapter 15107, of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida, approved June 3rd, 1931; to repeal said Chapter 15107, and to create, establish and organize a port district in the County of Broward, State of Florida, to be known and designated as the Broward County Port District; to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges'; to amend Article II of said Chapter 17506 to correctly describe the territorial boundaries of the Broward County Port District; to amend Section 1 of Article X of Chapter 17506, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, as amended by Section 1 of Article V of Chapter 18442, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, as amended by Article I of Chapter 23207, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, to correctly describe the territorial boundaries of the three election districts of the Broward County Port District; providing when this law shall take effect; repealing laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act; making provision for part of this Act being declared unconstitutional.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 784 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 Leaird moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 784 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 784 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 784 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. 784 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 784 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 784 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Johnson moved that Senate Bill No. 480 be recalled from the Governor's office.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Franklin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 831, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 831—A bill to be entitled An Act to guarantee payment of all expenses of the office of the County Assessor of taxes for Monroe County, State of Florida, plus a guaranteed remuneration of net compensation for said County Assessor of taxes of not less than six thousand dollars (\$6,000) per annum; and repealing Chapter 22573, Laws of Florida, Acts of the Legislature year 1945.

Was taken up.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 831 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 831 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 831 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. 831 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 831 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35

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

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 831 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Rose, as Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, moved that the Senate reconvene this afternoon from 2:00 o'clock until 3:30 o'clock.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Rose, as Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate adjourns at the afternoon session, it adjourn to reconvene at 11:30 o'clock, A. M., Monday, May 26, 1947.

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

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 699 be recalled from the Committee on Appropriations 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 Shands asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 699, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 699—A bill to be entitled An Act reappropriating certain unexpended State Welfare Funds and providing for the carry-over of State Welfare Funds unexpended at the end of the first fiscal year of the biennium.

Was taken up.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 699 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 699 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 699 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. 699 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 699 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 699 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator King moved that House Joint Resolution No. 118 be recalled from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 227 passed the Senate on May 22, 1947.

H. B. No. 227—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 22637, Laws of Florida, 1945, relating to the scope of Chapter 22637, Laws of Florida, 1945, being An Act to regulate rates for casualty insurance and fidelity, guaranty and surety bonds; by providing that said chapter shall cover all forms of motor vehicle insurance; and further providing that if any kind of insurance is subject to regulation by another rate regulatory chapter, an insurer subject to two chapters may elect under which chapter it shall make filings.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which House Bill No. 227 passed the Senate on May 22, 1947.

The question recurred on the passage of House Bill No. 227.

Pending roll call on the passage of House Bill No. 227, by unanimous consent, Senator Franklin offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 227:

In Section 1, line 11, of the bill, strike out the words beginning in said line as follows:

This chapter applies to every casualty insurance company, or life or accident and health insurance company in so far as its writing of accident and health insurance is concerned where such coverage is not associated with a life contract, or any fidelity, surety and guaranty bond company, including

any corporation, company, partnership, association, society, order, fraternal or otherwise, individual or aggregation of individuals engaging in or proposing or attempting to engage in any kind of casualty insurance, including fidelity, surety and guaranty bonds, and all other forms of motor vehicle insurance, including the exchange of reciprocal or inter-insurance contracts between individuals, partnerships and corporations, and for the purpose of this chapter, any exemptions granted to any such types of companies under the provisions of other acts shall not apply to this chapter unless specifically exempt herein.

And insert the following in lieu thereof: This chapter applies to every casualty insurance company, or any fidelity, surety and guaranty bond company, including any corporation, company, partnership, association, society, order, fraternal or otherwise, individual or aggregation of individuals engaging in or proposing or attempting to engage in any kind of casualty insurance, including fidelity, surety and guaranty bonds, and all other forms of motor vehicle insurance, including the exchange of reciprocal or inter-insurance contracts between individuals, partnerships and corporations, and for the purpose of this chapter, any exemptions granted to any such types of companies under the provisions of other Acts shall not apply to this chapter unless specifically exempt herein; provided, that the provisions of this chapter shall not apply to the several forms of accident and sickness insurance, except workmen's compensation insurance, and except public liability or personal liability insurance which provides medical reimbursement or medical coverage.

Senator Franklin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Pending roll call on the passage of House Bill No. 227, by unanimous consent Senator Franklin also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 227:

Strike out the entire title thereof and insert the following in lieu thereof: An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 22637, Laws of Florida, 1945, relating to the scope of Chapter 22637, Laws of Florida, 1945, being An Act to regulate rates for casualty insurance and fidelity, guaranty and surety bonds; by providing that said chapter shall cover all forms of motor vehicle insurance; and further providing that if any kind of insurance is subject to regulation by another rate regulatory chapter, an insurer subject to two chapters may elect under which chapter it shall make filings; and providing further that there is excepted from the provisions of said Chapter 22637, accident and sickness insurance, other than workmen's compensation insurance, and public liability and property damage insurance providing medical reimbursement or medical coverage.

Senator Franklin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 227, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31

Mr. President Crary, Laird, Rose, Alford, Davis, Lindler, Sanchez, Baynard, Flake, McArthur, Shands, Beacham, Franklin, Moon, Sheldon, Boyle, Fraser (31st), Pearce, Sturgis, Brackin, Johns, Perdue, Walker, Carroll, Johnson, Ray, Wilson, Collins, King, Riddle.

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 227 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Sheldon withdrew Senate Bill No. 441.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and the Senate do now reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 704 passed the Senate on May 22, 1947.

H. B. No. 704—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 21706, Laws of Florida, Acts 1943, being An Act providing for a reregistration of all voters for all elections

to be held in the year 1944, in Hillsborough County, Florida; and providing for the time of opening and closing the registration books; and providing that the registration for the year 1944 shall be a permanent registration for all subsequent elections; and providing for the registration of all voters for all elections subsequent to the year 1944 in the office of the supervisor of registration only; 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 1944; and providing the form of registration blanks, providing for the type of binder for the permanent registration records; and providing for 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 1946 and every two years thereafter and the return thereof by the voters and the penalty for failure to return said notice with the information requested; 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 compensation of the Supervisor of Registration; and providing for a chief deputy, and providing for their compensation, as amended by Chapter 22909, Laws of Florida, Acts 1945, by: (1) amending Sections 2, and 7 thereof, and (2) adding thereto Sections 2a, 3a, 7a, 7b, 7c and 7d; such amendments relating to the date of closing registration books, preceding elections; the adoption and utilization of supplementary registration record forms; providing for identification of applicants for registration; requiring the designation of party affiliation by registrants and providing the method of changing same and providing for clerical assistance; providing the eligibility of Supervisor of Registration for other office; the elimination of publication of certified lists of voters; the authority to alter, merge, or create new election districts; and the adoption of consistent general registration and election laws.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote, and the Senate reconsidered the vote by which House Bill No. 704 passed the Senate on May 22, 1947.

Pending roll call on the passage of House Bill No. 704, Senator Sheldon moved that House Bill No. 704 be placed on the Calendar of Local Bills, pending roll call.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

State of Florida

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Tallahassee

May 22, 1947

Honorable S. D. Clarke, President of the Senate, Tallahassee, Florida. Str:

I have the honor to inform you that I have today filed with the Secretary of State the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable Body, the same having remained in my office for the full Constitutional period of five days and will become laws without my approval:

- S. B. No. 13—Relating to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wm. Bartlett.
S. B. No. 37—Relating to Stamp Vending Machines.
S. B. No. 95—Relating to Nursing.
S. B. No. 194—Relating to Palm Beach County.
S. B. No. 308—Relating to Miami.
S. B. No. 309—Relating to Dade County.
S. B. No. 310—Relating to Miami Springs.
S. B. No. 311—Relating to Judges Civil Courts Record.
S. B. No. 312—Relating to Miami Springs.
S. B. No. 313—Relating to Miami Springs.
S. B. No. 318—Relating to Duval County.

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- S. B. No. 320—Relating to Tallahassee.
- S. B. No. 321—Relating to Tallahassee.
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- S. B. No. 323—Relating to Tallahassee.
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- S. B. No. 331—Relating to Tallahassee.
- S. B. No. 343—Relating to Pensacola.
- S. B. No. 349—Relating to County Judges.
- S. B. No. 350—Relating to Clerks Circuit Court, Sheriffs, Tax Collectors and Tax Assessors.
- S. B. No. 352—Relating to Miami.
- S. B. No. 353—Relating to Miami.
- S. B. No. 354—Relating to Miami.
- S. B. No. 370—Relating to Town of Country Club Estates.
- S. B. No. 390—Relating to Solicitors Criminal Courts Record.
- S. B. No. 391—Relating to Hillsborough County.
- S. B. No. 413—Relating to Miami Beach.
- S. B. No. 416—Relating to Williston.
- S. B. No. 445—Relating to Okaloosa County.
- S. B. No. 446—Relating to Okaloosa County.
- S. B. No. 447—Relating to Okaloosa County.
- S. B. No. 484—Relating to Coral Gables.

Respectfully,
MILLARD F. CALDWELL,
 Governor.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

Tallahassee, Florida,
 May 22, 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 Public Roads and Highways—

S. B. No. 382—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 341.72, Florida Statutes, relating to Paving and Maintaining Necessary Roads and Driveways Adjacent or Through State Institutions by Providing the State Road Department may Pave and Maintain Necessary Roads and Driveways Adjacent Non-Profit Cooperative Farmers' Markets which the Commissioner of Agriculture Certifies Serve the Public Interest Similarly as do State Farmers' Markets Operated by the State.

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

And Senate Bill No. 382, 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 22, 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 reconsidered the vote by which it passed Senate Bill No. 519 on May 15—

By Senator Walker—

S. B. No. 519—A bill to be entitled An Act to confer additional powers upon the Town of Edgewater, a municipal corporation in Volusia County, Florida, in relation to the generation, production, transmission and distribution of electricity; to authorize and empower said Town to acquire, construct, reconstruct, improve, extend, enlarge, equip, repair, maintain and operate electric light and power facilities, either within or without or partly within and partly without the corporate limits of the Town; to provide for the issuance of revenue bonds, payable solely from the revenues of such electric light and power facilities, without incurring any debt of the Town and without pledging its faith and credit; to pay the cost of electric facilities out of funds in Town treasury or by borrowing money and issuing bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness and levying taxes to pay same; to provide for the imposition and collection of rates, fees and charges for the services furnished by such facilities; and for the application of such revenues; to authorize the execution of a trust agreement or trust agreements to secure the payment of revenue bonds issued pursuant to the provisions of this Act without mortgaging or encumbering such electric light and power facilities; to grant to the Town power to acquire necessary real and personal property, including any existing electric light and power facilities located in the Town, and to exercise the power of eminent domain; to authorize acceptance by the Town of grants and contributions in aid of the purposes of this Act; to authorize the issuance of revenue refunding bonds; to prescribe the powers and duties of the Town in connection with the foregoing and the right and remedies of the holders of any bonds issued pursuant to the provisions of this Act; and to exempt electric light and power facilities and such bonds from taxes and assessments.

Proof of Publication attached.

and has reconsidered the vote by which it adopted Amendments Nos. 1 and 2, and has withdrawn Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 in which the Senate refused to concur, which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In the Preamble of the bill, strike out everything preceding the enacting clause.

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 13, line 23, of the section, strike out the words "Including those owned or claimed to be owned by the City of New Smyrna Beach now furnishing such poor electric service in the Town of Edgewater at excessive rates and which poor electric service and excessive rates are detrimental to the health, safety, welfare, interest and progress of the Town of Edgewater and its people." and insert the following in lieu thereof: "provided that nothing contained in this Act shall be construed to sanction or authorize the acquisition by eminent domain or any property for the purpose of transferring the same to any person, firm or corporation by sale, gift, exchange or otherwise."

and has passed Senate Bill No. 519, as amended, which Amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1:

In Preamble of the bill, strike out everything between the end of the Title and the beginning of the enacting clause.

Amendment No. 2:

In Section 13, line 23, of the bill, strike out the words: "including those owned or claimed to be owned by the City of New Smyrna Beach now furnishing such poor electric service

in the Town of Edgewater at excessive rates and which poor electric service and excessive rates are detrimental to the health, safety, welfare, interest and progress of the town of Edgewater and its people.

and insert the following in lieu thereof: Period.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And Senate Bill No. 519, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Walker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 519.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 519.

Senator Walker moved that the Senate do concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 519.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 519.

And Senate Bill No. 519, 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 22, 1947.

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

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

By Messrs. Bryant and Camp of Marion—

H. B. No. 688—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 954.02, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the establishment of a state prison farm.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 688, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 688 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 688 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 688 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. 688 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 688 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

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

Nays—1.

Johns

So House Bill No. 688 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Sturgis withdrew Senate Bill No. 533.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 22, 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 Judiciary "D"—

H. B. No. 737—A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 612.17, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the issuance of stock certificates by corporations; providing for the use of a facsimile seal and facsimile signatures of certain officers in certain cases; providing for delivery of stock certificates executed by facsimile signatures."

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 737, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 737 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.

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

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 22, 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 Statutory Revisions—

H. B. No. 637—A bill to be entitled An Act revising and amending Chapter 124, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to county commissioners' districts and county commissioners.

By the Committee on Public Health—

Committee Substitute for H. B. No. 497—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend certain Sections of Chapter 477, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended, this Chapter being known as the "Florida Beauty Culture Law" by amending Sections:

477.02 Beauticians, Beauty Culture Teachers, Junior Operators, and Manicurists and Pedicurists required to be Certified: Regulations.

477.03 "Beauty Culture," "Beauty Shop," "Manicurist," and "Pedicurist" Defined.

477.06 Persons qualified to receive certificate as beautician.

477.07 Persons qualified to receive certificates as junior operator.

477.08 Beauty Culture Schools; Requisites; Courses Taught; Enrollment of Students.

477.10 Examinations; Times and Places to be Written and Oral.

477.11 Certificate Issued to Applicant with Passing Grade.

477.12 Prerequisites and Qualifications of Non-Resident Applicants.

477.14 Annual Renewal of Certificates; Date of Expiration.

477.17 Fees; Duplicate Certificates.

477.18 State Board of Beauty Culture; Qualifications; Terms.

477.21 Disposition of Money Received by Board. And repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 637, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B".

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 497, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 497 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.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

By unanimous consent Senator Shands withdrew his motion made on May 22, 1947, that the Senate reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 209 passed the Senate on May 22, 1947.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 209 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

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

CONSIDERATION OF SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING

Senate Bills Nos. 12 and 362 were taken up in their order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

S. B. No. 406—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida to furnish to the County Tax Assessors the name and address of the grantee in any deed from said trustees, together with certain other information with regard thereto and also requiring the trustees to furnish similar information with regard to any contract into which they have entered to, sell any lands where such lands are subject to taxation.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 406 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 406 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beacham moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 406 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. 406 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 406 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 406 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 410—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 589.03, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to compensation, and allowance for expenses, of the members of the Florida Board of Forestry and Parks.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Alford moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 410 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 410 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Alford moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 410 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. 410 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 410 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—26

Mr. President	Collins	King	Rose
Alford	Crary	Leaird	Sheldon
Baynard	Davis	Lindler	Sturgis
Beacham	Flake	McArthur	Walker
Beall	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Wilson
Brackin	Gray	Pearce	
Carroll	Johnson	Perdue	

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 410 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 252—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the use of State convicts in the development and maintenance of the State Park System.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Alford moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 252 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 252 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Alford moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 252 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. 252 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 252 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31

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

Nays—None

So Senate Bill No. 252 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Johnson asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 373, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 373—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 440.51 and 440.56, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the Workmen's Compensation Law, by providing that the Florida Industrial Commission shall keep certain records as to cost of industrial accidents; requiring the filing of progress reports; providing penalties for failure to file any reports required by the Workmen's Compensation Act; defining policy and calendar year; providing such information shall be furnished to any employer; providing that such information shall be furnished the Insurance Commissioner for his consideration in fixing workmen's compensation rates; providing that the Florida Industrial Commission may, to defray the cost of administering the Act, increase the assessment from three to four per cent on the gross earned premiums collected by insurance companies in writing workmen's compensation insurance in Florida; a similar assessment on the amount of premiums a self-insurer would have paid if insured; by amending Section 440.56 to require the Florida Industrial Commission to appoint an industrial safety director, prescribing his qualifications and duties; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Johnson offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 373:

In Section 1, line 76, (typewritten bill) strike out the semicolon, insert in lieu thereof a period and in lines 76, 77, 78 and 79 strike out the following words: "provided, however, the Commission be and it is hereby empowered to require the carrier to increase, decrease or completely remove the reserve when in its opinion the established reserve is unjustified or insufficient."

Senator Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Johnson also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 373:

In Section 1, (typewritten bill) beginning on line 80 strike out the words: "(11) A progress report, approved by the Commission, of every injury, the duration of which exceeds thirty days, shall be furnished to the Commission by the employer or, if insured, the employer's carrier shall furnish to the Commission the following information: (a) Commission's file number. (b) Name of employer. (c) Name of injured employee. (d) Type of disability. (e) Estimated period of disability. (f) Basis for such estimated period of disability. (g) Number of weeks for which compensation has been paid, showing whether or not it was paid for temporary total disability, temporary partial disability, permanent total disability, death benefits or permanent partial disability. (h) Effective date and number of policy to which cost of injury is to be charged. (i) The total reserve established by the carrier for the particular case. The report shall be filed at the expiration of thirty days following the date of the injury if disability exceeds thirty days, and shall thereafter be filed with the Commission, furnishing such additional information and at such times as the Commission may by regulation prescribe."

Senator Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Johnson also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 373:

In Section 1, line 110, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "or regulation of the Commission".

Senator Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 373, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—27

Mr. President	Collins	King	Rose
Alford	Crary	Leaird	Shands
Baynard	Flake	Lindler	Sheldon
Beacham	Franklin	McArthur	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Walker
Carroll	Johns	Pearce	Wilson
Coleman	Johnson	Perdue	

Nays—1

Ray

So House Bill No. 373 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Johnson withdrew Senate Bill No. 296.

Senator Sheldon asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 339, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 339—A bill to be entitled An Act to establish within the Florida Industrial Commission the Florida Apprenticeship Council, and providing for the appointment of its members by the Governor and defining the duties of the Council; declaring the purposes of this Act to be to encourage voluntary systems of apprenticeship; providing for the appointment of such necessary technical, professional and clerical assistants as may be necessary to carry out the duties imposed upon such council; providing for the appointment of and defining the duties of a secretary; providing for the approval of and defining the duties of local apprenticeship committees; making a specific appropriation to defray the necessary expenses of carrying out the duties imposed upon the council; defining the term "apprentice"; providing for appeals from decisions of the council; providing for limitations; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act; and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 339 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 339 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sheldon moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 339 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. 339 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 339 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—27

Mr. President	Davis	Johnson	Rose
Alford	Flake	King	Shands
Baynard	Franklin	Leaird	Sheldon
Beacham	Fraser (31st)	Lindler	Sturgis
Carroll	Getzen	McArthur	Walker
Coleman	Gray	Pearce	Wilson
Collins	Johns	Perdue	

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 339 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Sheldon withdrew Senate Bill No. 240.

Senator Johnson asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 388, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 388—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 443.10, 443.11, 443.12, 443.14, 443.15 and 443.18 of Chapter 443, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapters 21982, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, 22832 and 22946, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, and known as the "Florida Unemployment Compensation Law" relating to unemployment compensation fund, administrative organization, duties and powers, employment security administration fund, collection of contributions and reciprocal arrangements, by making the State Treasurer liable on his official bond; by providing for a special administration fund and appropriating said special administration fund; by prescribing the appointing authority of the commission; by reducing residence requirements; by clarifying authority for temporary appointments; by authorizing the commission to sue in other states and to cooperate with other states; by providing for appeals from status determinations; by clarifying reciprocal coverage provisions; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and making this Act effective July 1, 1947.

Was taken up.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 388 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 388 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 388 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. 388 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 388, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28:

Mr. President	Carroll	Johns	Pearce
Alford	Coleman	Johnson	Rose
Baynard	Collins	King	Shands
Beacham	Davis	Leard	Sheldon
Beall	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Boyle	Fraser (31st)	McArthur	Walker
Brackin	Getzen	Moon	Wilson

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 388 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Johnson withdrew Senate Bill No. 332.

Senator Johnson asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 391, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 391—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 443.03 of Chapter 443, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 21983, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, and known as the "Florida Unemployment Compensation Law," relating to definitions, by providing for a uniform benefit year for special groups; by re-defining the terms "Employment," "Employing Unit," "Employer," and "Wages," and thereby classifying

services and employing units; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and making this act effective July 1, 1947.

Was taken up.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 391 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 391 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 391 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. 391 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 391 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28

Mr. President	Coleman	King	Riddle
Alford	Collins	Leaird	Rose
Baynard	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Beacham	Flake	McArthur	Sheldon
Beall	Franklin	Moon	Sturgis
Boyle	Fraser (31st)	Pearce	Walker
Carroll	Johnson	Perdue	Wilson

Nays—1

Johns

So House Bill No. 391 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Johnson withdrew Senate Bill No. 333.

Senator Johnson asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 389, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 389—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 443.08 of Chapter 443, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 21981, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, and Chapter 22946, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, and known as the "Florida Unemployment Compensation Law" relating to contributions, by providing for contributions for administrative purposes under specified conditions; and appropriating such contributions; by providing for the non-charging of benefits under specified conditions; by providing for reducing the period of chargeability under specified conditions; by eliminating the per-capita reserve and the expanded pay roll contributions; by providing for additional reduction in contribution rates and making such rates dependent upon the balance in the unemployment compensation fund; by authorizing the transfer of employer accounts to more than one successor; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and making this Act effective July 1, 1947.

Was taken up.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 389 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 389 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 389 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. 389 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 389 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—27

Mr. President	Coleman	Johns	Perdue
Alford	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Davis	King	Rose
Beacham	Flake	Lindler	Sheldon
Beall	Franklin	McArthur	Sturgis
Boyle	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Wilson
Carroll	Getzen	Pearce	

Nays—4

Leaird	Ray	Shands	Walker
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So House Bill No. 389 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Johnson withdrew Senate Bill No. 334.

Senator McArthur asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 511, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 511—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Florida Industrial Commission to allow credit on future unemployment compensation contributions to employers who have paid contributions for the years 1943, 1944, 1945 or 1946, at a rate computed on the basis of any wages paid or payable before commencement of commercial operations by such employers and prescribing conditions for entitlement for such credit; defining the term "commercial operations"; requiring written application for such credit and limiting the time within which such application may be filed.

Was taken up.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 511 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 511 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—29.

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

Nays—None.

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

By unanimous consent, Senator McArthur withdrew Senate Bill No. 386.

Senator Johns asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 836, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 836—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the transportation to and from the University of Florida of students of said University who are residents of counties having a population of more than six thousand (6,000) and not more than six thousand seventy-five (6,075) according to the State Census of 1945.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 836 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 836 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 836 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. 836 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 836 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 836 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. 883 out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 883—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the disbursement of race track taxes received under the provisions of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, as amended, and to provide for the apportionment and distribution of all moneys paid to Union County, Florida, for the years 1948 and 1949 under said Act as amended.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 883 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 883 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 883 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. 883 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 883 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 883 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Alford moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.
 And the Senate recessed at 12:56 o'clock P. M., until 2:00 o'clock, P. M., this day.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 2:00 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	Coleman	Johns	Ray
Alford	Collins	Johnson	Riddle
Baynard	Crary	King	Sanchez
Beacham	Davis	Leaird	Sheldon
Beall	Flake	Lindler	Sturgis
Boyle	Franklin	McArthur	Walker
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Moon	Wilson
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	
Carroll	Gray	Perdue	

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A quorum present.

Senator Mathews was excused from attendance upon the session, on account of illness.

Senators Rose, Shands and Fraser (29th) were excused from attendance upon the session.

By permission the following Reports of Committees were received:

Your Committee on Constitutional Amendments, to whom was referred:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 607—

A Joint Resolution providing an amendment to Section 30, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Florida, relating to the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.

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

Very respectfully,
WALLACE E. STURGIS,
 Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Joint Resolution No. 607, 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. 642—A bill to be entitled An Act cancelling and annulling all reverter or forfeiture provisions or clauses in deeds conveying real estate of any interest therein in the State of Florida which have been in force and effect for more than twenty-one years; fixing a limitation on the duration of such reverter or forfeiture provisions and reversionary clauses in existing conveyances and future conveyances of real estate or any interest therein in the State of Florida; and exempting from the operation of this Act any conveyance to a governmental, educational, literary, scientific, religious or charitable corporation or association.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 642, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 610—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 611.24 and 611.25, Florida Statutes, 1941, and to prescribe an optional and alternative method whereby a corporation for profit, of the class and character specified in Section 611.01, Florida Statutes, 1941, may increase or reduce its capital stock or reduce the par value of the shares thereof.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 610, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 505—A bill to be entitled An Act for the remarriage of divorced male persons, providing conditions precedent to the application for and issuance of a marriage license to such person, setting forth the termination of alimony upon remarriage of the divorced wife; and providing penalties for wilful violation of such law.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 505, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

S. B. No. 487—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 211.18, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to recording sub-surface ownerships in oil and gas where owned separately from land surface ownership; by amending and fixing the recording fee for each such description of such ownership or interest.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 487, contained in the above report, was laid on the table.

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

S. B. No. 504—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Florida Statutes annotated, Sub-section 1 of Section 40.01, to read as follows: "40.01 qualifications and disqualifications of jurors—(1) general qualification—grand and petit jurors shall be taken from the male and female persons over the age of twenty-one years, who are citizens of this State, and who have resided in this State for one year and in their respective counties for six months."

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 504, 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. 501—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 16058, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, being "An Act providing for and creating Jury Commissions in all counties of the State of Florida having a population exceeding 155,000 by the last preceding Federal census and prescribing their qualifications, method of appointment, powers, duties, functions and official terms, and providing for the selection, listing and procurement of jurors in such counties," by amending the said Section 2 by inserting after the word "male" appearing therein the words "and female", and by adding the age, citizenship, residence and other general qualifications for jurors in said counties.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 501, 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. 676—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to pleading and practice.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 676, 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. 663—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 95.02, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to actions not affected by limitations.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 663, 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. 635—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 16.19 to 16.23-1, both inclusive, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapters 22000 and 22858, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943 and 1945, and adopting and re-enacting Volume I, Florida Statutes, 1941, including the 1945 Cumulative Supplement to said Florida Statutes, 1941, and the General Laws of the 1941-1943 and 1945 regular sessions of the Legislature included therein, together with corrections of errors and omissions, therefrom of certain sections and provisions.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 635, 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. 624—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 193.45, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the mailing of notices of taxes, by providing for notices of unpaid taxes for the preceding year.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 624, 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. 455—A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Section 905.14 and to amend Section 905.17, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to those who may be present before the Grand Jury while it is in session.

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

Amendment No. 1:

In Section 1, line 6, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "stenographer or".

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 455, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendment thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 220—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 40.24, Florida Statutes 1941, to provide that Grand and Petit Jurors shall receive for each day of active attendance upon the court five dollars, and jurors summoned upon inquest of the dead shall receive three dollars for each day they serve.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 220, 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. 502—A bill to be entitled An Act making step-fathers to be legally liable for support of stepchildren, and providing penalties for any failure to do so.

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

Amendment No. 1:

After Section 1, add the sentence: "Provided, however, the provisions of this Act shall not relieve the natural parent of his liability as father for the support of his own children as provided by law."

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 502, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendment thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 640—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 865.09, Florida Statutes, 1941, being the fictitious name statute, by striking therefrom the requirement for public notice by advertising.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 640, 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. 386—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend and reenact Section 83.29, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the service of summons in actions for the removal of a tenant, or tenants; and repealing all conflicting laws.

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

Very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LEAIRD,
 Vice Chairman of Committee.

And House Bill No. 386, 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. 769—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 462.01, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the practice of naturopathy.

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

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

And Senate Bill No. 769, 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. 761—A bill to be entitled An Act enlarging the powers of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, providing for the registration with said bureau of births occurring outside the State of Florida, or outside of the United States, of native born citizens or foreign born now naturalized, and previously not registered, and providing the procedure for obtaining such certificate.

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

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

And Senate Bill No. 761, 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. 674—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the State Board of Control to pledge as additional security for the repayment of revenue certificates issued for the construction of projects, the revenues derived from other buildings or facilities already constructed; and to provide that this Act shall be supplemental and additional to the powers now vested in said State Board of Control.

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

Very respectfully,
JEFF FLAKE,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 674, contained in the above report, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Your Committee on Temperance, to whom was referred:

S. B. No. 657—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 561.12, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to distribution of funds collected by the State under the beverage law providing that none of such funds collected by taxes upon wines and spirituous liquors may be expended in counties where the sale of the same is prohibited by laws in conflict herewith.

And—

S. B. No. 658—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 561.29, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to the power and authority of Director of the State Beverage Department in the matter of revocation of licenses under the beverage law so as to require in all cases that before the license of a retailer of beer, wine or spirituous liquor be revoked such retailer must first have been convicted in a court of law for the violation of certain enumerated laws, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

And—

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.

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

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM J. RAY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bills Nos. 657, 658 and 594, contained in the above report, were laid on the table.

Your Committee on Temperance reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following bill and recommends that the same do pass, with Committee amendments:

S. B. No. 659—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 561.58, Florida Statutes, 1941, so as to provide that any person buying or leasing the location of a place of business for which the beverage license has been revoked as therein provided may apply for and be issued a license for such location at any time provided it be clearly established to the satisfaction of the Board of County Commissioners that the former owner has no connection with the new owner and applicant, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Which amendments are as follows:

No. 1. In Section 1, line 16 strike out the words: "Board of County Commissioners of such County where said place of business is located," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Director of the State Beverage Department."

No. 2. In Title, line 6 strike out the words: "Board of County Commissioners," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Director of the State Beverage Department."

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM J. RAY,
Chairman of Committee.

And Senate Bill No. 659, contained in the above report, together with Committee Amendments thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

H. B. No. 5—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 585.02, 585.03, 585.04, 585.08, 585.09, 585.12, 585.13, 585.16, 585.17, 585.24, 585.25, 585.27 and 585.28, Florida Statutes, 1941; and Repealing Section 585.29 Thereof, All relating to the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, its powers, duties, headquarters of Board and place of meeting, procedure for condemnation of domestic animals and property by the Board, and providing for the employment of an Attorney, or attorneys, to represent said Board, and fixing his compensation, and providing for the employment of a State Veterinarian, prescribing his qualifications, powers and duties, and providing for his compensation, and providing for the appointment of Supervisor of Tick Eradication Program and defining his powers, duties and providing for his compensation, place of office, or offices, and for the appointment of Live Stock Inspectors and such other labor, agents and representatives as said Board may determine, provide for their term of office, compensation, powers and duties; and providing for penalties, including damages, against any person knowingly or wilfully transporting or moving live stock with transmissible diseases; and by adding to Chapter 585 Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to State Live Stock Sanitary Board, two Sections to be known and designated as Section 585.44 and 585.45, providing for the right of appeal to Circuit Judge of Circuit Court of the County in which the Office of Supervisor of Tick Eradication Program is located by any owner of land or cattle within the tick infested area or adjacent thereto, which may be affected by any rule or regulation adopted or promulgated by said Board, and providing for an appropriation for the enforcement of said Chapter 585 and expense incurred thereunder, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

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

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:

H. B. No. 99—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to grant licenses for the construction, maintenance, repair, operation and removal of pipe lines under, on, over, across and along any county highway or any public road or highway acquired by the county or public and providing terms and conditions to be included and which may be included in the instrument creating the license.

Also—

H. B. No. 106—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that fraternal benefit societies doing business in this State under the provisions of Chapter 637, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended, shall not pay commission or salary to any person for services in obtaining new insurance contracts in this State, until that person shall have qualified as a fraternal insurance agent under the provisions of this Act; to provide for the qualifying, regulation, suspension or revocation of certificates of qualification of fraternal insurance agents by the Insurance Commissioner; to prohibit anyone acting as a fraternal insurance agent until qualified by the Commissioner; to provide for hearings by the Commissioner and appeal from rulings of the Commissioner; to provide penalties for the violation of this Act.

Also—

H. B. No. 132—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the widow and minor children of Clark Gourley, deceased, late of Alachua County, Florida.

Also—

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.

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:

H. B. No. 268—A bill to be entitled An Act making it lawful to engage in, to follow the business or trade of, and to employ apprentices or servants in, the playing of baseball between the hours of two o'clock and six o'clock P. M. on Sunday and with respect to the operation of industrial plants designed and intended for continuous operation, on Sunday.

Also—

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 Benefit 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.

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:

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 waters 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.

Also—

H. B. No. 691—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to New Smyrna-Deland Drainage District, a Drainage District organized and existing under the general and special laws of Florida in Volusia County, Florida and its corporate powers and authorities amended and extended under the provisions of the general laws of Florida, relating to drainage districts; to abolish the Board of Supervisors of the New Smyrna-Deland Drainage District and the office of Secretary and Treasurer of said District, and to provide for the discharge of their duties and obligations by the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, and by the Attorney for the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, and constituting said Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida ex-officio the Board of Supervisors of said Drainage District, and providing for an accounting and settlement between such Board of Supervisors of the New Smyrna-Deland Drainage District and such Board of County Commissioners, who are not land owners in the District, to assume the powers, duties, obligations and property rights of the District; validating appointment of Fiscal Agent for specific terms; terminating the terms of employment of the Secretary, Treasurer and Attorney or Attorneys of the District; fixing effective date, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

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:

H. B. No. 753—A bill to be entitled An Act creating a pension fund for the police department of the City of Sarasota, Florida; providing monthly contributions to be made by the members of the said department and annual contributions by the said City to pay the benefits prescribed by this Act; providing for a board of trustees to administer said fund; providing for pension benefits to be paid to members of said department who shall become permanently incapacitated or who shall be retired and providing certain pension benefits for widows and children of members of the said department under certain conditions and other relief; providing no pension, whether heretofore granted or to be granted under this Act, shall exceed one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) per month; defining members of the said police department and providing for retiring pensions; and amending the City charter of the City of Sarasota consistent herewith.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 203—A bill to be entitled An Act to cancel certain state and county tax certificates against certain lots, pieces and parcels of land situated in the City of Fort Pierce, Saint Lucie County, Florida, and owned by the Board of Public Instruction of Saint Lucie County, Florida, and to cancel all state and county taxes heretofore levied and assessed against said lands in this Act described.

Also—

H. B. No. 493—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain state road in Indian River and St. Lucie Counties, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 519—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain state road.

Also—

H. B. No. 520—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain state road across Old Tampa Bay between Pinellas and Hillsborough counties.

Also—

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.

Also—

H. B. No. 566—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing certain state roads in Monroe County.

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:

H. B. No. 573—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain state road in DeSoto County, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 579—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain state road in Sarasota and DeSoto Counties, Florida, to the DeSoto Trail in DeSoto County, Florida, and designating route to be followed by said road.

Also—

H. B. No. 580—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a state road in Gadsden County.

Also—

H. B. No. 592—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain state road in Indian River County, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 593—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain state road in Indian River County, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 614—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain state road.

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:

H. B. No. 646—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for a permanent registration of qualified electors in counties of the State of Florida having a population of more than forty-two thousand (42,000) and less than forty-eight thousand (48,000)

according to the last preceding Federal or State Census; to provide for the Board of County Commissioners to take from the general fund of all counties affected by this Act all funds to carry out this Act; to define and prescribe the powers and duties of the supervisor of registration in relation to such permanent registration; to provide for the compensation of the supervisor of registration and expenses; to provide for a chief deputy supervisor of registration and compensation thereof; to provide for the establishment and maintenance of files and records pertaining thereto and the appointment of deputy supervisor of registration; to provide for official registration; to provide for official registration cards, registration certificates, registration books and records and for the use, maintenance, and preservation thereof; to provide for the registration of electors at the office of the supervisor of registration and in sub-offices; to provide for the transfer of registration upon removal from one precinct to another, and for recording changes in party affiliations; to provide for the cancellation of registration in the event of an electors failure to return notice or removal from said county, or his death or other disqualifications; to prescribe the effective date of said new registration; to adopt general state laws not inconsistent herewith and to repeal conflicting and inconsistent laws; and to provide that the provisions hereof shall be severable.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 766—A bill to be entitled An Act empowering the City of Tarpon Springs, a municipal corporation, to levy and collect tax on sponges sold at auction in the City of Tarpon Springs; providing a limitation of the amount that can be levied; fixing a date for the expiration of this law; and providing for the disposition of the moneys and prohibiting the levying of personal tax on boats engaged in producing and selling sponges at auction in the City of Tarpon Springs during the life of this Act.

Also—

H. B. No. 767—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Commissioners of Tarpon Springs, Florida, to extend for a period of five years from the date of the expiration of same the existing lease on the municipal golf course owned by the City of Tarpon Springs.

Also—

H. B. No. 781—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare that there shall be no penalty on account of taking of fish, not including bass, from South Lake in Brevard County, Florida, with net of not less than four inches stretched mesh and of no greater length than one hundred and thirty yards, provided persons engaged in taking such fish shall have a Brevard County or State fishing license and provided that no such fish shall be taken for commercial purposes and provided no one person shall take in one day more than total of twenty bream, shell-crackers and speckled perch.

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:

H. B. No. 774—A bill to be entitled An Act excluding and ousting certain lands in Hendry County from South Florida conservancy district and providing that such ousted and excluded lands shall not be subject to the payment of any taxes except for bonded indebtedness heretofore incurred.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 788—A bill to be entitled An Act validating the creation of special road and bridge district number 20, Palm Beach County, Florida, authorizing said district to rebuild, repair, recondition and improve the drawbridge across the Inland Waterway Canal and Approaches on Atlantic Avenue in the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida; providing for the payment of 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 the direction of the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida; prescribing other powers of said district; and authorizing levy and collection of tax to pay principal and interest of bonds.

Also—

H. B. No. 790—A bill to be entitled An Act to extend the corporate limits of the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida, and to provide for exemptions of said annexed territory from taxation for payment of existing municipal indebtedness of the City of Delray Beach, Florida, and to provide for taxation of said annexed territory.

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:

H. B. No. 791—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2, of Article VI of the Charter of the town of Gulf Stream, Florida, being Chapter 22306, Laws of Florida, special Acts of 1943, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the town of Gulf Stream, in Palm Beach County, and State of Florida; and to incorporate, establish, organize and constitute a new municipality to be known and designated as the town of Gulf Stream, in Palm Beach County, and State of Florida; To define its territorial boundaries and provide for its jurisdictions, powers and privileges." And which said Section deals with the method and manner of the granting of public utility franchises by ordinance and referendum election; by providing that the town commission of said town may by ordinance grant public utility franchises; by providing and regulating the manner and method of granting said franchises by said commission; and by requiring that any such franchises so granted must comply with the provisions of Section 167.22, Florida Statutes, 1941; And to repeal all laws or parts of laws insofar as they conflict or are inconsistent with the provisions hereof; And to provide when this Act shall take effect.

Also—

H. B. No. 794—A bill to be entitled An Act validating the creation of a Special Road and Bridge District Number 20, Palm Beach County, Florida; Authorizing said district to build and construct a new road and drawbridge; the new road to be constructed is to extend from the center line of State Road No. 5 Eastward along Northeast Eighth Street, extended, of the City of Delray Beach, Florida, across the inland waterways canal to where said Northeast Eighth Street, extended, intersects State Road No. AIA, the Drawbridge to be across the Inland Waterways Canal; 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 the direction of the Board of County Commissioners of Palm Beach County, Florida; Prescribing other powers of said District.

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:

H. B. No. 795—A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 22574, General Acts of 1945, Laws of Florida, same being an Act entitled, "An Act creating the elective office of County Attorney in and for each County of the State of Florida having a population of not less than Fourteen Thousand (14,000) and not more than Fourteen Thousand Two Hundred (14,200), according to the last or any future official Federal census; fixing the term of said office and the method of filling same; prescribing the duties of said county Attorney and fixing and prescribing his salary therefor and the fund out of which same shall be paid."

Also—

H. B. No. 808—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the Supervisor of Registration of Dixie County, Florida, to register or re-register all qualified voters and electors in Dixie County, Florida.

Also—

H. B. No. 816—A bill to be entitled An Act cancelling and discharging tax sale certificate No. 2263 of the sale of July 3, 1933 and tax sale certificate No. 2221 of the sale of June 4, 1934, covering lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, Town of Lecanto, Section 4, Township 19 South, Range 18 East in Citrus County, Florida.

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:

H. B. No. 545—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 561.05, 561.20, 561.29, 561.32, 561.34, 561.42, 561.43, 561.44, 561.45, 561.47, 561.54, 562.02, 562.09, 562.10, 562.11, 562.14, Florida Statutes, 1941, and Section 9 of Chapter 22669, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945, also designated as Section 562.45-1, 1945, Cumulative Supplement, Florida Statutes, 1941, all relating to the administration, regulation, taxing, transportation, manufacturing, distribution and sales under the beverage laws of the State of Florida and the enforcement thereof; and providing for the issuance, renewal, revocation, suspension and transfer of beverage licenses and the method and time in which appeals from orders of revocation and suspension shall be made; and providing to limit according to population the number of licenses to be hereafter issued; and providing for the manner, method and terms of sale by distributors, and prohibiting financial aid and assistance to vendors; and providing for zoning by municipalities, and counties; and prohibiting possession of beverages on licensed premises not permitted to be sold under licenses; governing sales of beverages and merchandise in package stores; regulating sales where consumption of beverages is permitted on premises; prohibiting the selling, giving or serving of alcoholic beverages to minors; regulating the hours of sale of alcoholic beverages; prohibiting possession of moonshine liquor; and providing for penalties for the violation of the beverage law, Chapters 561 and 562, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended, including amendments made by this law; and repealing Sections 561.21, 561.30 and 561.31, Florida Statutes, 1941.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 797—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the transfer of all duties now incumbent upon the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Suwannee County, Florida, with reference to the collection of delinquent real estate taxes in Suwannee County, to the office of the Tax Collector of Suwannee County, Florida; also to provide for the transfer of all records pertaining to delinquent taxes, also County owned Tax Sale Certificates now held by the Clerk of the Circuit Court to the Tax Collector of Suwannee County; to provide for the method by which the tax collector shall in the future collect delinquent taxes and shall distribute the proceeds thereof; further to provide for the duties which shall be incumbent upon the tax collector of Suwannee County, Florida, in connection with the collection of delinquent taxes.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 273—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 550.04, Florida Statutes 1941, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 22599, Laws of Florida, 1945, relating to the periods during which dog and horse race track meetings may be conducted, so as to permit summer dog racing west of the Apalachicola River.

Also—

H. B. No. 334—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 610.09 and Section 610.13 of the Florida Statutes, 1941 (Chapter 14677, Acts of 1931) with reference to requiring corporations, both foreign and domestic, authorized to do business in Florida annually to file with the Secretary of State certain reports and to pay certain tax known as the Capital Stock Tax.

Also—

H. B. No. 432—A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the removal, cutting, marring, defacing or destruction of trees or shrubbery, either planted or natural growths which are preserved and maintained by the State Road Department within the rights of way of State Roads, making the violation of this Act a misdemeanor, and prescribing a penalty therefor.

Also—

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.

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:

H. B. No. 544—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 567.01, 567.06, 567.07, and 567.12, Florida Statutes, 1941, all relating to local option elections; providing for determination in such elections of whether sales of intoxicating liquors, wines or beer shall be restricted to quantities of not less than one-half of a pint, contained in sealed containers, for consumption off premises where sold; providing that where it is determined to so restrict such sales it is unlawful to sell, cause to be sold, permit to be consumed, or to consume, such intoxicants in violation of such restrictions and prescribing penalties therefor.

Also—

H. B. No. 595—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the estate of Ellis J. Simmons, deceased, late of Hillsborough County, Florida, by authorizing his successor in office of the Clerk of the Criminal Court of Record of said County to make settlement with said estate for certain fees collected by his successor in office, since his decease, which accrued to said Ellis J. Simmons as such Clerk, and remained uncollected at the time of his death.

Also—

H. B. No. 772—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Paragraph 8 of Section 7 and Sections 21, 23, 27, 36, 68, 73, 76, and 131, Chapter 18494, Laws of Florida, 1937, the same being An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Delray Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, and to establish, organize and incorporate a new municipality to be known as the City of Delray Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida, in lieu thereof; to designate territory embraced within the City of Delray Beach herein created and to provide for its jurisdictions, powers and privileges.

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:

H. B. No. 723—A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the issuance of license for the sale of alcoholic beverages containing more than fourteen per cent of alcohol by weight within the corporate limits of the City of Hollywood, Florida; providing exceptions for railroads, sleeping cars, steamships, aeroplanes, social and fraternal organizations holding club licenses, and hotels and apartment hotels of over fifty-five rooms or apartments, or restaurants having seating capacity for not less than eighty guests and serving full course meals regularly, authorizing passage of regulatory ordinances within the limitation of the Act, repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing for a referendum.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 819—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 561.44, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the regulation and taxing the manufacture, distribution and sale of beverages containing more than one percentum of alcohol, by providing that in counties having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 250,000 according to the last preceding State Census a hotel, resort or restaurant having facilities within such establishment for serving meals to not less than 500 people at one time located within an area of three miles of the boundaries of an incorporated city of not less than 100,000 population according to the last preceding State Census may be licensed providing the distances of said business from an established school or church are not less than the minimum distance prescribed by ordinance of such municipality for vendors of alcoholic beverages within the corporate limits of such municipality.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 805—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and investing in the Board of County Commissioners of Bradford County, Florida, the right and power to dispose of, as they deem advisable, any and all confiscated alcoholic beverages, drinks, wine, and liquor, etc., and any vehicles, appliances or any other prohibitive matters that are now on hand or here-

after confiscated and authorizing them to dispose of same through charitable institutions or sale thereof to licensed dealers outside the County of Bradford; funds therefrom to be turned over to Bradford County, Florida and placed in fine and forfeiture fund; said disposal to be by sheriff of said county, under the supervision and direction of Board of County Commissioners of said county.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 825—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Manatee County, Florida, by and through its Board of County Commissioners to acquire recreational facilities by gift, purchase at public or private sale, lease, or eminent domain, and to own and operate such facilities, including land necessary therefor, a park and playground areas, a bathing beach or beaches, swimming pool or pools, and all properties and equipment, incident, useful or necessary therefor; to levy taxes for the foregoing purposes; to accept a grant of federal aid for accomplishing the said purposes; to contract for the construction, operation, regulation or use of such facilities; to issue negotiable revenue bonds payable solely from revenue to be derived from the operation of said facilities for accomplishing the purposes of this Act: to create a separate department to operate said facilities; to charge and collect fees and commissions for the use of said facilities and to pledge any or all of such fees or commissions for the security and payment of any revenue bonds issued therefor; to make this Act cumulative and supplemental to other special or general laws; to provide for a referendum election; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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:

H. B. No. 591—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Hillsborough County, Florida, by and through its Board of County Commissioners to acquire by negotiation and purchase for County uses and purposes from the Board of Public Instruction and the Trustees of Consolidated Special Tax School District No. 4 of said County, Lots One (1) and Two (2), Block Sixty-Eight (68) of the Town of Tampa according to General Map recorded in Plat Book One (1), page Seven (7), Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida; to levy taxes in its annual Budgets for the foregoing purposes until fully paid for, and to declare the foregoing as a lawful County purpose, and authorizing the lease, and sale of said property.

Beg leave to report that the same has 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.

Senator King asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 390, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 390—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 443.04 of Chapter 443, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapter 21983, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, and known as the "Florida Unemployment Compensation Law," relating to payment of benefits, by revising the benefit formula; by increasing the partial earnings limit; by eliminating the authority for preservation of wage credits; by clarifying the term "seasonal worker"; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and making this Act effective July 1, 1947.

Was taken up.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 390 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 390 was read the second time by title only.

Senators King and Baynard offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 390:

In Section 1, Subsection (4), page 2, line 31, (typewritten bill) strike out all of subparagraph (c) of said Subsection (4).

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senators King and Baynard also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 390:

In title, line 7, (typewritten bill) immediately following the semicolon after the word "credits", strike the words "by clarifying the term 'Seasonal Worker' " and insert in lieu thereof the following: "by eliminating the provisions for the seasonal classification of workers;"

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senators Beacham and Sheldon offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 390:

In Section 1, page 1, (typewritten bill) strike out the table:

\$ 37.50 to \$100.00	\$ 5.00	\$150.00
100.01 to 120.00	6.00	180.00
120.01 to 140.00	7.00	210.00
130.01 to 165.00	8.00	240.00
165.01 to 195.00	9.00	270.00
195.01 to 225.00	10.00	300.00
225.01 to 255.00	11.00	330.00
255.01 to 285.00	12.00	360.00
285.01 to 315.00	13.00	390.00
315.01 to 345.00	14.00	420.00
345.01 and over	15.00	450.00

and insert in lieu thereof the following:

\$ 37.50 to \$110.00	\$ 5.00	\$150.00
110.01 to 130.00	6.00	180.00
130.01 to 150.00	7.00	210.00
150.01 to 170.00	8.00	240.00
170.01 to 200.00	9.00	285.00
200.01 to 230.00	10.00	330.00
230.01 to 260.00	11.00	375.00
260.01 to 290.00	12.00	420.00
290.01 to 320.00	13.00	465.00
320.01 to 360.00	14.00	510.00
360.01 to 400.00	15.00	570.00
400.01 to 440.00	16.00	630.00
440.01 to 480.00	17.00	690.00
480.01 to 520.00	18.00	750.00
520.01 to 560.00	19.00	810.00
560.01 and over	20.00	870.00

Senator Sheldon moved the adoption of the amendment.

Upon which a roll call was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the adoption of the amendment offered by Senators Beacham and Sheldon to House Bill No. 390, the vote was:

Yeas—10.

Baynard	Coleman	Johns	Sheldon
Beacham	Collins	Johnson	
Branch	Gray	King	

Nays—22.

Mr. President	Crary	Leaird	Ray
Alford	Davis	Lindler	Sturgis
Beall	Flake	McArthur	Walker
Boyle	Franklin	Moon	Wilson
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	Pearce	
Carroll	Getzen	Perdue	

So the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 390, 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. 390, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 390, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 390 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator King withdrew Senate Bill No. 335.

Senator Johnson asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 387, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 387—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 443, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapters 21983 and 21982, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, and known as the "Florida Unemployment Compensation Law," relating to disqualifications, determinations regarding claims; by revising the disqualification provisions; by authorizing redeterminations of claims for benefits; by requiring the sending of notices to employers; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and making this Act effective July 1, 1947.

Was taken up.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 387 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 387 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 387 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. 387 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 387 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—25

Mr. President	Carroll	King	Ray
Alford	Coleman	Leaird	Sheldon
Baynard	Crary	Lindler	Sturgis
Beacham	Franklin	McArthur	Wilson
Boyle	Fraser (31st)	Moon	
Brackin	Getzen	Pearce	
Branch	Johnson	Perdue	

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 387 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Johnson withdrew Senate Bill No. 336.

Senator Johnson asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 200, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 200—

A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 440.15, Florida Statutes, 1941, as amended by Chapters 22814 and 22852, Acts of 1945; and Section 440.20, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the workmen's compensation as provided for in Subsection (U) of Section 440.15 (3) which provides "in case of temporary total disability and permanent partial disability both resulting from the same injury, which said injury is one listed in the preceding paragraphs (A) through (S) inclusive, the injured employee shall be paid sixty per centum of his average weekly wage as compensation in addition to that set forth in said paragraphs (A) through (S) inclusive, for a period of not to exceed twenty weeks," by omitting this subsection from the Act entirely; to remove from Section 440.15 the five thousand dollar limitation for non-scheduled permanent partial disabilities; to increase the number of weeks provided for the loss of a leg, hand, foot, and eye; to change the limitation provided in Section 440.20 (13) from five thousand dollars to three hundred and fifty weeks; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 200 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 200 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 200 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 House Bill No. 200 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 200 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28

Mr. President	Branch	Getzen	Moon
Alford	Carroll	Johns	Pearce
Baynard	Collins	Johnson	Perdue
Beacham	Crary	King	Ray
Beall	Flake	Leaird	Sheldon
Boyle	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Brackin	Fraser (31st)	McArthur	Wilson

Nays—None

So Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 200 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 Senate Bill No. 362, out of its order, at this time.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 362—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 322.28 and 322.31, Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the period of suspension on revocation and the right of appeal of any person whose driver's license has been denied, canceled, suspended or revoked.

Was taken up.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 362 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 362 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Getzen offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 362:

Strike out everything after the Enacting Clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That Section 322.28, Florida Statutes 1941, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"322.28. PERIOD OF SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION.

(1) The Department shall not suspend a license for a period of more than one year, and upon revoking a license shall not in any event grant a new license until the expiration of one year after such revocation, except that whenever the Department under the provisions of this Chapter, shall revoke a license for driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, or a narcotic drug, to such an extent as to deprive him of the use of his normal faculties, the period of such revocation shall be as follows:

1. For the first offense, sixty days.

2. For the second offense, six months.

3. For the third offense, the revocation shall be permanent; provided, however, any person who has been convicted for the third offense, may, after the expiration of two years from the date of such revocation make application to the court in which such person was convicted, for a restoration of such license, provided, at least thirty days notice of intention to make such application has been given to the Department of Public Safety, and after hearing on said application, the court may or may not restore said license, with or without restrictions.

(2) Whenever any driver's license shall have been revoked for driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a narcotic drug, for either a first, second or third offense, said driver's license shall be reinstated after passage of examination as now provided by law, at the expiration of the respective periods hereinbefore set out as the period of revocation for each such offense. Any person claiming to be a first offender shall within thirty days after such revocation, sign a sworn statement to that effect upon a form to be provided by the Department setting forth such information as to prior residence and employment, as will enable the Department to reasonably determine that such person is a first offender. In the event the Department should determine within one year from the date such sworn statement is filed with it, that such person is not a first offender but had previously been convicted of driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a narcotic drug, then the Department shall not in any event grant such person a new license until the expiration of eighteen months after the date that it is learned by the Department that such person had been previously convicted, contrary to such sworn statement.

SECTION 2. That Section 322.31, Florida Statutes, 1941, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

322.31. RIGHT OF APPEAL.

1. Any person denied a license, or whose license has been

cancelled, suspended, or revoked by the department, except where such cancellation or revocation is mandatory under the provisions of this chapter, shall have the right to file a petition within thirty days thereafter for a hearing in the matter in a court of record in the county wherein such person shall reside, and such court is hereby vested with jurisdiction, and it shall be its duty to set the matter for hearing upon thirty days' written notice to the department, and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case and to determine whether the petitioner is entitled to a license or is subject to suspension, cancellation, or revocation of his license under the provisions of this chapter."

SECTION 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect immediately upon becoming a law, and shall be retroactive as of March 1, 1947.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the Amendment.

Pending consideration of the amendment offered by Senator Getzen to Senate Bill No. 362, Senator King offered the following amendment to the amendment:

In Section 4, line 2, (typewritten bill) strike out "March 1," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "January 1."

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

Which was agreed to and the amendment offered by Senator King to the amendment offered by Senator Getzen to Senate Bill No. 362 was adopted.

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Getzen, as amended, to Senate Bill No. 362.

Pending consideration thereof, Senator Walker offered the following substitute amendment for the amendment offered by Senator Getzen, as amended, to Senate Bill No. 362:

Strike out everything after the Enacting Clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

SECTION 1. That Section 322.28, Florida Statutes, 1941, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"322.28. PERIOD OF SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION.

(1) The Department shall not suspend a license for a period of more than one year, and upon revoking a license shall not in any event grant a new license until the expiration of one year after such revocation, except that whenever the Department under the provisions of this Chapter, shall revoke a license for driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor, or a narcotic drug, to such an extent as to deprive him of the use of his normal faculties, the period of such revocation shall be as follows:

1. For the first offense, six months.

2. For the second offense, one year.

3. For the third offense, the revocation shall be permanent; provided, however, any person who has been convicted for the third offense, may, after the expiration of two years from the date of such revocation make application to the Court in which such person was convicted, for a restoration of such license, provided, at least thirty days notice of intention to make such application has been given to the Department of Public Safety, and after hearing on said application, the Court may or may not restore said license, with or without restrictions.

(2) Whenever any driver's license shall have been revoked for driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a narcotic drug, for either a first, second or third offense, said driver's license shall be reinstated after passage of examination as now provided by law, at the expiration of the respective periods hereinbefore set out as the period of revocation for each such offense. Any person claiming to be a first offender shall within thirty days after such revocation, sign a sworn statement to that effect upon a form to be provided by the Department setting forth such information as to prior residence and employment, as will enable the Department to reasonably determine that such person is a first offender. In the event the Department should deter-

mine within one year from the date such sworn statement is filed with it, that such person is not a first offender but had previously been convicted of driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or a narcotic drug, then the Department shall not in any event grant such person a new license until the expiration of eighteen months after the date that it is learned by the Department that such person had been previously convicted, contrary to such sworn statement.

SECTION 2. That Section 322.31, Florida Statutes, 1941, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

"322.31. RIGHT OF APPEAL.

1. Any person denied a license, or whose license has been cancelled, suspended, or revoked by the department, except where such cancellation or revocation is mandatory under the provisions of this chapter, shall have the right to file a petition within thirty days thereafter for a hearing in the matter in a Court of record in the county where such person shall reside, and such Court is hereby vested with jurisdiction, and it shall be its duty to set the matter for hearing upon thirty days' written notice to the Department, and thereupon to take testimony and examine into the facts of the case, and to determine whether the petitioner is entitled to a license or is subject to suspension, cancellation, or revocation of his license under the provisions of this chapter."

SECTION 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect immediately upon becoming a law, and shall be retroactive as of January 1, 1947.

Senator Walker moved the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Which was not agreed to so the substitute amendment failed of adoption.

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment, as amended, offered by Senator Getzen to Senate Bill No. 362.

Which was agreed to and the amendment offered by Senator Getzen, as amended, to Senate Bill No. 362 was adopted.

Senator Getzen also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 362:

Strike out the title to said bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

An Act to amend Sections 322.28 and 322.31, Florida Statutes 1941, relating to motor vehicle driver's licenses, reports of convictions, period of suspension or revocation, and right of appeal; making said Act retroactive as of January 1, 1947; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Senator Getzen moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Baynard moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 362, 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. 362, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Pending consideration of Senate Bill No. 362, as amended, Senator McArthur moved that the rules be waived and the hour of adjournment be extended until such time as final disposition is made of Senate Bill No. 362, as amended.

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

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 362, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—11

Mr. President Branch Getzen Pearce
Beacham Coleman Gray Sanchez
Brackin Davis Lindler

Nays—14

Baynard Flake Moon Walker
Carroll Johns Riddle Wilson
Collins Johnson Sheldon
Crary Leaird Sturgis

So Senate Bill No. 362, as amended, failed to pass.

The following Pair was filed with the Secretary, on the passage of Senate Bill No. 362, as amended:

I am paired with Senator Alford of the 4th District, on the passage of Senate Bill No. 362. If he were present he would vote No and I would vote Aye.

A. G. McARTHUR,
Senator, 16th District.

Senator Johns moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 362, as amended, failed to pass: the Senate this day.

And the motion went over under the rule.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 3:59 o'clock P. M., until 11:30 o'clock A. M., Monday, May 26, 1947.

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