The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Thursday, April 26, 1951.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

—37.

A quorum present.

Senator Johnston was excused from attendance upon the Session.

The following prayer was offered by the Senate Chaplain, Reverend Walter R. Faust:

"O God, and Creator of all, we worship Thee in humble recognition of our dependence upon Thy grace. Our breath of life, our many blessings in both State and Nation, yea, every good and perfect gift, comes from Thee. In these perilous days give our people unity of purpose and inspired leadership. Thou alone art the difference between success and failure in our present efforts toward peace without appeasement. In the problems of the day before this Body may Thy will, which has its weight in every human decision, overbalance human error, we pray in the name of Him who is the wisdom of God incarnate. Amen."

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Senate daily Journal of Wednesday, April 25, 1951, was further corrected as follows:

Page 5, column 1, line 9, counting from the bottom of the column, after the word "petition" and before the word "and" insert the following: ", hearing on such petition."

And as further corrected was approved.

The Senate daily Journal of Thursday, April 26, 1951, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Crary, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 182—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the assessment, levying and collection of taxes upon the estates of decedents, amending Chapter 198, Florida Statutes, 1949, providing for the taxation of certain intangible property of the estates of nonresident decedents, and fixing the time for discharging estates of decedents from estate tax liability.

—and recommends that it do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation under the original joint reference.

Senator Rodgers, Chairman of the Committee on Governmental Reorganization, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 356—A bill to be entitled An Act creating the Inter-American Center Authority as an agency of the State; ratifying and confirming the appointment of the members of said authority; prescribing and fixing the jurisdiction, powers and duties of said authority and its members; authorizing said authority to construct, maintain, operate and provide for the establishment, construction and operation of an Inter-American Cultural and Trade Center; authorizing said authority to purchase, or otherwise acquire, buildings, works and properties for the establishment of said center, and to construct, operate and maintain said center directly, or by contract, or otherwise, with any other State agency or non-profit corporation or other appropriate form of corporation or association; authorizing said authority to enter into contracts with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation of the United States of America and with any State agency and with other persons and parties, to finance the acquisition and construction of lands, buildings and appurtenances; authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds by said authority, without pledging the credit of the State or any subdivision thereof, for the purpose of financing all or any part of the cost of establishing, acquiring and constructing said center; and denying the power of taxation to this authority or the holder of any of its obligations for the payment of such bonds or the interest thereon or for the cost of maintaining, repairing and operating such center; providing for the collection of revenue for the payment of principal and interest for such bonds and for the cost of establishing, constructing, maintaining and operating such center; providing for the execution of trust indentures or trust agreements, and for the provisions thereof, to secure the payment of such bonds; granting the right of eminent domain to the said authority and granting unto it the power and authority to do all things not inconsistent with this law, to carry out the intent and purpose of this Act.

—and recommends that it do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Crary, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 358—A bill to be entitled An Act making designated persons liable for the support of dependents as defined; conferring jurisdiction on the Circuit Courts and authorizing and prescribing the procedure for civil proceedings in said courts to compel the support of dependents; defining certain defaults as contempt of court and providing punishment therefor; authorizing certain indigent dependents to be represented by the State Department of Public Welfare in such proceedings.

—and recommends that it do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Crary, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 364—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 193.12, Florida Statutes, relating to the return of property for taxation; regulating the time and manner of making such return; and requiring that such return indicate the status of said property as to exemption from taxation.

S. B. No. 365—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 196.14, Florida Statutes, relating to proceedings and suits relating to the regularity or the validity of tax assessments and tax sale certificates; and requiring that the State Comptroller and the County Tax Assessor be made parties to all suits and proceedings relating to the regularity, or to the validity of county tax assessments and tax sale certificates.

—and recommends that they do pass.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Crary, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 439—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 114, Florida Statutes, by adding thereto a section relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of Supreme Court Justice or Circuit Court Judge.

—and recommends that it do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Gautier (28th), Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 294—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Belcher Towing Company, a Florida corporation, and making an appropriation to compensate said corporation for losses sustained as a result of damage done to its barge known as Barge No. 11.

S. B. No. 295—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Belcher Oil Company, a Florida corporation, and making an appropriation to compensate it for losses sustained as a result of damage done to its barge known as Barge No. 10, by an employee of the State Road Department.

S. B. No. 351—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the relief of Nolan Fore to indemnify him for losses sustained by him in the dipping of his cattle at the direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, during the years 1948, 1949 and 1950 in a tick infested area in Volusia County, Florida, in a mixture containing DDT and arsenic which produced his said losses and designating the fund from which such payment shall be made.

S. B. No. 352—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the relief of T W. Prevatt to indemnify him for losses sustained by him in the dipping of his cattle at the direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, during the years 1948, 1949 and 1950 in a tick infested area in Volusia County, Florida, in a mixture containing DDT and arsenic which produced his said losses, and designating the fund from which such payment shall be made.

S. B. No. 353—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the relief of G. C. LeFils to indemnify him for losses sustained by him in the dipping of his cattle at the direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, during the years 1948, 1949 and 1950 in a tick infested area in Volusia County, Florida, in a mixture containing DDT and arsenic which produced his said losses and designating the fund from which such payment shall be made.

S. B. No. 354—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the relief of Joder Cameron, Edward Cameron and Perry Cameron, a partnership trading and doing business as Cameron Brothers, to indemnify them for losses sustained by them in the dipping of their cattle at the direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, during the years 1948, 1949 and 1950 in a tick infested area in Volusia County, Florida, in a mixture containing DDT and arsenic which produced their said losses and designating the fund from which such payment shall be made.

—and recommends that they do pass.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Gautier (28th), Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 372—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the relief of Rodney Whidden of DeSoto County, Florida, the said Rodney Whidden having been negligently treated and attended by a physician of the University of Florida while said Rodney Whidden was a student at the University of Florida, and entitled to careful and skillful medical treatment by said physician of the University of Florida; whereby said Rodney Whidden was subjected to great expense resulting from such negligent diagnosis, care and treatment.

S. B. No. 423—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Nathan S. Finkelstein of Miami, Florida, and making an appropriation to compensate him for losses sustained as a result of damages done to his automobile by an employee of the State Road Department.

S. B. No. 430—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the relief of W. G. Kilbee to indemnify him for losses sustained by him in the dipping of his cattle at the direction of the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, during the years 1948, 1949 and 1950 in a tick infested area in Volusia County, Florida, in a mixture containing DDT and arsenic which produced his said losses and designating the fund from which such payment shall be made.

S. B. No. 452—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Henry Opperman, and providing an appropriation for damages sustained by him by reason of the negligent operation of a bridge by a bridge tender employed by the State Road Department, and providing for the payment of same.

—and recommends that they do pass.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Ripley, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "C", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 258—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the monitoring, interception, recording and use in evidence of telegraphic and telephonic communications upon application of certain public officers; prescribing powers and duties of Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission with reference thereto and authorizing ex parte orders therefor; requiring filés to be sealed and information therein to be kept secret and confidential for reasonable period; prescribing duties of telephone and telegraph companies in connection therewith; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing for effective date of this Act.

S. B. No. 257—A bill to be entitled An Act allowing certain persons to be examined by the State Board of Law Examiners for admisison to the practice of law; and providing for certain prerequisites for such examination and admission to practice.

—and recommends that they do pass.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Rodgers, Chairman of the Committee on Governmental Reorganization, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 408—A bill to be entitled An Act creating the Florida Bureau of Criminal Investigation under the control and administration of an executive board composed of the Governor, Secretary of State, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Commissioner of Agriculture, Comptroller, Treasurer and Attorney General of Florida; defining its powers and duties; defining the duties and authority of the director of the Florida Bureau of Criminal Investigation; prohibiting political activity of employees; and making an appropriation to carry out the terms of the Act.

—and recommends that it do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original joint reference.

Senator Shivers, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 400—A bill to be entitled An Act to Amend Section 342.02, Florida Statutes, authorizing expenditures for roadside beautification and development and for road information centers.

S. B. No. 401—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 341.13, Florida Statutes, relating to the annual audit of the State Road Department by the State Auditor.

S. B. No. 437—A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a certain state road in Hendry County, Florida.

—and recommends that they do pass.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Shands, Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 131—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and establishing a Florida State Tax Commission and fixing its powers, authority, duties and jurisdiction in connection with taxation under the laws of this State.

—and recommends that it do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Beall, Chairman of the Committee on Veterans Affairs, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 412—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 115.07, Florida Statutes, relating to leaves of absence of public officers and employees for military or naval duty.

—and recommends that it do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Pope, Chairman of the Committee on Welfare, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 25—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 409.18, Florida Statutes, relating to aid to dependent children and limiting the assistance thereby provided to one illegitimate child of the same mother when living in mother's household.

S. B. No. 148—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the public assistance and welfare program of the State; requiring that the names and addresses of recipients of public assistance in each county be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of such county.

S. B. No. 91—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to public assistance and the State's welfare program; excluding certain personal property in the calculation of resources of applicant for, or recipient of, public assistance.

S. B. No. 149—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 409.28, Florida Statutes of 1949, relating to the public assistance program of the State; requiring the appointment of county welfare advisory committees; providing for hearings by said committees; requiring attendance of witnesses and providing penalties for their failure to obey subpoenas and for other misconduct; and providing that no funds appropriated by the State for its public assistance program shall be distributed in any county unless such committee is appointed and functioning therein.

—and recommends that they do pass.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Pope, Chairman of the Committee on Welfare, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 97—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the first paragraph of Section 409.26, Florida Statutes, creating the Florida council for the blind by removing the disqualification for membership of persons in the employ of the State; and making membership on said board of a member of the State welfare board permissive and not mandatory.

—and recommends that it do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Pope, Chairman of the Committe on Welfare, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 57—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and prescribing the procedure for civil proceedings to compel the support of dependent wives, children and poor relatives within and without the State of Florida.

—and recommends that the same do pass with committee amendments as attached thereto.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report, together with the Committee amendments attached thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Crary, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 310—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the removal and eviction or removal or eviction of tenants or occupants of real property for the non-payment of rent; to confer jurisdiction upon justice of peace courts; to fix and limit the jurisdiction thereof; to define and provide the procedure, and to fix the costs and fees for the same.

—and recommends that it do pass with committee amendment as attached thereto.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report, together with the Committee amendment attached thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Crary, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 368—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 733.18, paragraph (2), Florida Statutes, 1941, relating to the filing of objections to claims in probate proceedings.

S. B. No. 405—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the adoption of children, placement of children for adoption, selling children, assigning or transferring parental rights and duties, advertising for offer or solicitation for placement or adoption of any children; and provides for penalty.

—and recommends that they do pass with committee amendments as attached thereto.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report, together with the Committee amendments attached thereto, were placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Gautier (28th), Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 268—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Jerome Meyer of Miami Beach, Florida, and making an appropriation to compensate him for losses sustained as a result of damage done to his boat "Penguin" by an employee of the State Road Department.

—and recommends that the same do pass with the committee amendment as attached thereto.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report, together with the Committee amendment attached thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Shivers, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 378—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 341.15, Florida Statutes, relating to contracts with the State Road Department.

—and recommends that the same do pass with committee amendments as attached thereto.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report, together with the Committee amendments attached thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Crary, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B" reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 366—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 192.01, Florida Statutes, and declaring what property is subject to taxation in this State; which, among other things, includes leaseholds and other legal interests in real property; and tangible personal property located upon lands of the United States and its agencies.

S. B. No. 367—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the continuing of common law suits and substituting real party in interest after the transfer of interest in the subject matter pendente lite.

—and recommends that they do not pass.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report were laid on the table.

Senator Crary, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "B", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 406—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the adoption of children; provides that written instruments must be executed and filed with State Welfare Board by all parties involved; provides for written notice of intention to remove child from State; provides for an appropriation; and provides for penalty.

—and recommends that it do not pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was laid on the table.

Senator Rodgers, Chairman of the Committee on Governmental Reorganization, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 162—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the closing of public schools and all public offices on Memorial Day, the Thirtieth Day of May of each year.

—and recommends that the same do not pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was laid on the table.

Senator Ripley, Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "C", reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 69—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the commitment of State prisoners; providing that first offenders may be committed by the judges of certain courts directly to the Apalachee Correctional Institute.

—and recommends that it do not pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was laid on the table.

Senator Shivers, Chairman of the Committee on Public Roads and Highways, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

S. B. No. 374—A bill to be entitled An Act to add a new section to Chapter 341, Florida Statutes, relating to State Road Department contracts when bids exceed estimated costs, concerning changes or alterations in plans or specifications, supplemental or additional work, and specifying when competitive bids are required by the State Road Department.

S. B. No. 375—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the fifth paragraph of Section 341.20, Florida Statutes, relative to the budget of work of the State Road Department, requiring such budget to have the approval of the State Budget Commission.

S. B. No. 376—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 341.14, Florida Statutes, relating to the duties of the State Road Department and its authority to purchase equipment.

S. B. No. 377—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 341.13, Florida Statutes, relating to the annual audit of the State Road Department by the State Auditor.

S. B. No. 380—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 341.18, Florida Statutes, relating to biennial reports to the Governor by the State Road Department, requiring annual reports to be submitted to the State Budget Commission, and the Governor.

S. B. No. 381—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 341.11, Florida Statutes, relating to the accounts of the State Road Department.

S. B. No. 464—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to employees of convict camps under supervision of the State Road Department: prescribing salary schedules; creating Employment Adjustment Board and providing powers and duties as to hiring, firing and transferring employees and providing for hearings before the Board.

—and recommends that the same do not pass.

And the Bills contained in the preceding report were laid on the table.

Senator Beall, Chairman of the Committee on Veterans Affairs, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 236—A bill to be entitled An Act, to amend Chapter 22695, Laws of Florida, 1945, as amended by Chapter 24069, Laws of Florida, 1947, same being Sections 292.02 to 292.09, both inclusive, and Sections 292.04-1 and 292.09-1, Florida Statutes, relative to the creation of the Department of Veterans Affairs; to provide for its organization and personnel; to define its duties, powers, functions, and authorities; creating the office of State Service Officer and providing for his appointment, powers and duties; providing for the employment of assistance to the State Service Officer and providing their powers and duties; repealing the laws revised hereby and any other laws in conflict herewith; and making appropriations to carry out the provisions of this Act.

—and recommends that it do not pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was laid on the table.

Senator Shands, Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Taxation, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 340—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 193.12, Florida Statutes, relating to the return of property for taxation; regulating the time and manner of making such return; and requiring that such return indicate the status of said property as to exemption from taxation.

—and recommends that the same do not pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was laid on the table.

Senator Beall, Chairman of the Committee on Veterans Affairs, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 411—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (1) of Section 250.22, Florida Statutes, relating to the military code; and providing for retirement.

—and the Committee reports same without recommendation.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Pope, Chairman of the Committee on Welfare, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 202—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the coverage of certain officers and employees of the State and local governments under the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of Title II of the Federal Social Security Act, as amended, designating a State agency to administer the same and making appropriation therefor, and making this Act effective July 1, 1951.

—and the Committee recommends that the Committee Substitute therefor, as reported herewith, do pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report, with the recommended Committee Substitute attached thereto, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original joint reference.

Senator Collins moved that a committee of three be appointed to escort Honorable Charles E. Davis of Madison, former member of the Senate from the 10th Senatorial Dis-

trict, a former President of the Senate and the father of Senator W. Turner Davis, the present Senator from the 10th Senatorial District, to a seat on the rostrum.

Which was agreed to.

The President appointed Senators Collins, Davis and Leaird as the committee.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 254 be withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and Taxation and re-referred to an appropriate committee.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 254 was withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and Taxation and re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that Senate Bill No. 314 be recalled from the House of Representatives.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that Senate Bill No. 331 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary "C".

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Gautier (13th) withdrew Senate Bill No. 331.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that Senators Gautier (13th), Baynard and Shands be shown as co-introducers of Senate Bill No. 173.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that Senate Bill No. 333 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary "C".

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Gautier (13th) withdrew Senate Bill No. 333.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that Senators Gautier (13th), Baynard and Shands be shown as co-introducers of Senate Bill No. 278.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Ripley withdrew Senate Bill No. 270.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 383 be withdrawn from the Committee on Public Health and re-referred to an appropriate committee.

Which was agreed to.

And Senate Bill No. 383 was withdrawn from the Committee on Public Health and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MEMORIALS, BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senators Morrow and Shands—

S. B. No. 519—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 361, Florida Statutes, relating to right of eminent domain to public utilities by providing right of eminent domain to certain natural gas companies.

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

By Senators Baker and Shivers—

S. B. No. 520—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a fund for the payment of unusual and extraordinary expenses of the State Road Department.

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

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 521—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 310.04 Florida Statutes 1949 relating to pilotage and apprenticeship.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 521 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 521 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 521 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. 521 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 521 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 521 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senators Ripley and Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 522—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to motor vehicle applications in all those counties in the State of Florida having a population of 245,000 or more according to the last official census; empowering the tax collectors of such counties, as agents for the Motor Vehicle Commissioner of the State of Florida, to create branch offices of the county auto tag agency in such counties; and to appoint annually, competent, qualified and experienced individuals, firms, partnerships or corporations to operate such branch offices; providing for surety bonds to be given by the operators of such branch offices; providing for the fee or service charge for such operators as compensation for their services; providing the amount of State and county occupational license to be paid by such operators; requiring such operators to give a valid receipt for each application accepted or handled and to remit to the county tax collector within three days; providing penalties for violation; providing it shall be unlawful in such counties to handle motor vehicle applications for a fee, commission or other compensation except under the provisions of this Act; repealing Chapter 24024, Laws of Florida. Acts of 1947, and all other laws in conflict herewith insofar as they relate to the handling of motor vehicle applications in such counties in Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Sentor Ripley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 522 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 522 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 522 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. 522 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 522 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 522 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Baynard—

S. B. No. 523—A bill to be entitled An Act to promote the planting, propagation and cultivation of sponges; providing for the creation by the Board of Conservation of sponge cultivation districts and for notice of their creation; empowering the Board of Conservation to make rules and regulations including those governing the taking of and cultivation; creating a division of sponge culture and office of director thereof, defining his duties; reserving the ownership of sponges in the State of Florida; making appropriation therefor and providing penalty for its violation.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries and the Committee on Appropriations, in the order named.

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 524—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to traffic regulations; prescribing certain rights and duties of pedestrians upon the public roads.

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

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 525—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the regulation of traffic on highways, to provide regulations for the operation of bicycles upon the public roads, side paths and highways and providing penalties for violations.

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

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 526—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 443.03, 443.05, 443.07, 443.08, 443.09, 443.15, 443.16, and 443.22, Chapter 443, Florida Statutes 1949, known as the "Unemployment Compensation Law," relating to definitions, benefit rights, recovery and recoupment of illegal benefits, contributions, experience rating, election and termination of coverage, collection of contributions, attorney fees, and fraud penalties; and making this Act effective July 1, 1951.

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

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 527—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to counties having a population of not less than seventy thousand (70,000) nor more than eighty thousand (80,000) according to the latest official census; providing for additional beverage licenses.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

By Senator Beall—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 528—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 90.231, Florida Statutes, 1949, relating to fees of expert witnesses in the trial of civil causes before the Courts of Florida.

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

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 529—A bill to be entitled An Act extending the time within which race tracks may be constructed by holders of permits for horse racing where the location of such race tracks is east of the Apalachicola River.

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

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 530:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VI OF THE CONSTITUTION, RELATING TO THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE AND ELIGIBILITY BY AMENDING SECTION 1 THEREOF PERTAINING TO CONDITIONS TO BE FULFILLED SO AS TO QUALIFY AS AN ELECTOR.

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

That the following amendment to Article VI, Section 1 of the Constitution of Florida is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for approval or rejection at the next general election to be held in November, A. D., 1952, as follows:

Section 1. **Electors.**—Every person of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, who has the ability to read and write, that shall, at the time of registration, be a citizen of the United States, and that shall have resided and had his or her habitation, domicile, home and place of permanent abode in Florida for one year and in the county for six months, shall in such county be deemed a qualified elector at all elections under this constitution. Naturalized citizens of the United States at the time of and before registration shall produce to the registration officer his or her certificate of naturalization or a duly certified copy thereof.

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

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 531—A bill to be entitled An Act to fix criminal jurisdiction of Justice of the Peace courts in all counties in certain misdemeanor cases.

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

By Senators Lewis and Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 532—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 150, Florida Statutes, adding Sections 150.041, 150.042, 150.043, 150.071, 150.072, 150.073, 150.074 and 150.11 thereto, all relating to county free public libraries by providing for regional libraries for two or more counties; for establishment and membership of regional library boards; for travel expenses of librarians and assistants; for contracts with municipalities; for dissolution of regional libraries; authorizing levy of a tax for library purposes; providing for distribution of State appropriations and gifts or bequests; and repealing Sections 150.09 and 150.10, Florida Statutes.

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

By Senator Moore—

S. B. No. 533—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the hours of sale of alcoholic beverages in any county or counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than twelve thousand nine hundred and not more than thirteen thousand nine hundred, according to the latest Federal census, and repealing subsections (3) and (4) of Chapter 562.14, Florida Statutes, 1949, as to such counties.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Moore moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 533 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 533 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Moore moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 533 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. 533 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 533 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 533 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Moore—

S. B. No. 534—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of D. S. Skipper, for the loss incurred by him because of the damages sustained to his citrus grove as a result of excessive high waters backed upon said grove as a direct result of a dam or dike constructed at the south end of Highlands Hammock State Park by the Florida Board of Forestry and Parks, a State agency.

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

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 535—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 903.27, Florida Statutes, relating to bail providing for an extension of time in which to explain a breach of the undertaking.

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

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 536—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing banks located within all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants according to the most recent official census, to close on Saturdays of each week, and certain holidays.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 536 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 536 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 536 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. 536 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 536 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 536 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 537—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 21009, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, relating to the fee of the clerk of the Circuit Court in actions for divorce in all counties having a population of more than 250,000 inhabitants, by making said chapter applicable only to counties having a population of more than 350,000 inhabitants according to the most recent official census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 537 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 537 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 537 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. 537 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 537 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 537 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 538—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (1) of Section 562.41, Florida Statutes, relating to alcoholic beverages and liquors; beverage law enforcement; authorizing searches by certain persons for determining whether or not beverage law is being violated.

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

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 539—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsection (3) of Section 317.61, Florida Statutes, 1949, relating to brake equipment required on motor vehicles.

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

By Senator Rodgers—

S. B. No. 540—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 372.83, and Section 372.84, of Florida Statutes 1941, relating respectively to penalties and forfeitures for the violation of any of the provisions of Chapter 21945, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, or any rule, regulation or order adopted by the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, pursuant to Section 30, Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Florida, being respectively Sections 6 and 7 of Chapter 21945, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, entitled: "An Act relating to the powers, duties and authority of the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission adopting a common seal for the said Commission; providing for the promulgation of rules, regulations and orders adopted by the said Commission and their use as evidence, and providing penalties for the violation

of this Act and of the rules, regulations and orders adopted by the said Commission and providing certain laws are not repealed."

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

By Senator Baynard—

S. B. No. 541—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 561.20 Florida Statutes 1941 as amended by Chapter 23746, Section (2) Laws of Florida, Acts of 1947, as amended by Chapter 25359, Section (7), Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, also known as Section 561.20 Florida Statutes 1949, and being An Act relating to a limit on the number of intoxicating liquor licenses that may be issued in incorporated cities and towns and in the territory of any county outside of incorporated cities or towns; providing for an exception to such limitation on such licenses as to certain restaurants and hotels of specified size and accommodations; providing for exemption of existing licenses, renewals or transfer thereof; providing that the provisions hereof shall not affect existing or future special laws; providing for limit on such licenses that may be issued to a person or a corporation where increased population or county voting wet allows additional such licenses to be issued; providing a limit on the number of club licenses that may be issued under (11) of Section 561.34, Florida Statutes 1941.

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

By Senator McArthur—

S. B. No. 542—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the payment of workmen's compensation death benefits.

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

By Senator Johnson—

S. B. No. 543—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 394.031, Florida Statutes, the same being Chapter 23675, Acts of 1947, providing that in cases of emergencies the Superintendents of State Institutions with the approval of the Board of Commissioners of State Institutions may employ medical and dental personnel from without the State and such personnel so long as employed exclusively at such State institutions and so long as not engaged in private practice shall be exempt from the requirements as to prior residence in the State and from basic science and dental examinations.

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

By Senator Collins—

S. B. No. 544—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 231.17, 231.20, 231.24, and 231.30, Florida Statutes, relating to schools and education, teachers and teaching certificates and repealing Sections 231.23, 231.26 and 239.16, Florida Statutes.

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

By Senator Rodgers—

S. B. No. 545—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to school plant construction in Orange County, Florida; prescribing ninety per cent of the amount due on the contract on the basis of work completed as the percentage which may be paid on school plant construction while work in process of construction; prohibiting payments in excess of such percentage and prohibiting final payment until building accepted by the board of public instruction of Orange County, Florida; and repealing Chapter 25602, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 545 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.

By Senator Sturgis—

S. B. No. 546—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to trial practice and procedure: Providing that in all actions at law trial by jury shall be mandatory unless the plaintiff and defendant expressly agree in writing to a trial without jury; and providing that where the trial is without jury the judgment shall be as effectual as upon verdict.

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

By Senator Morrow—

S. B. No. 547—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 242.47, Florida Statutes, 1949, prohibiting pupils of the Public Schools from belonging to fraternities, sororities or other secret societies.

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

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 548—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 20412, Laws of Florida 1941, being Section 222.17, Florida Statutes, 1941, entitled "An Act providing a method for manifesting and evidencing domicile in Florida.", to provide for evidencing domicile both in Florida and in States other than the State of Florida.

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

By Senators Collins and Shands—

S. B. No. 549—A bill to be entitled An Act exempting written instruments from excise taxes on documents, under Chapter 201, Florida Statutes, when made, executed and delivered in connection with the sale or lease of tangible personal property, and as a part of such transaction, when a sales or use tax is paid, pursuant to Chapter 212, Florida Statutes, upon such sale or lease.

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

By Senator Collins—

S. B. No. 550—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to education, courses of study, curriculum, textbooks, curriculum committee, public school libraries and amending Sections 233.01, 233.02, 233.03, 233.04, 233.05, 233.06, 233.10, 233.11, 233.13, 233.14, Subsection (1) of Section 233.16, and Sections 233.17, 233.25, 233.26, 233.34, 233.37, and repealing Sections 233.07, 233.08, 233.09 and 233.33, Florida Statutes.

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

By Senators Davis, Baker, Leaird, King, Pope and Sanchez—

S. B. No. 551—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for a semi-annual safety inspection of all motor vehicles operating upon the highways of the State providing the fee for such inspection and the distribution of the monies collected from said charge, and providing penalties for violation.

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

By Senators Davis, Baker, Leaird, King, Pope and Sanchez—

S. B. No. 552—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for a retirement system for police officers of incorporated municipalities of the State of Florida; declaring that such officers perform a State service in the enforcement of the automobile safety inspection Act and State regulations and providing for the administration and financing of said system.

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

By Senators Shands and Ripley—

S. B. No. 553—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsections (2) and (3) of Section 561.46, Florida Statutes, relating to beverage law providing a reduction in taxes paid on certain wines by manufacturers and distributors.

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

Senator Crary moved that Senate Bills Nos. 497 and 498 be recalled from the Committee on Labor and Industry.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Crary withdrew Senate Bills Nos. 497 and 498.

By Senator Shands—

S. B. No. 554—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the time of holding the regular terms of the Circuit Court of the Eighth Judicial Circuit of Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 554 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 554 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 554 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. 554 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 554 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 554 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Smith—

S. B. No. 555—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the registration and re-registration of all qualified electors in Clay County, as a prerequisite for voting; and further providing for the making of a new set of registration books in Clay County, and for the payment of expenses of same by the Board of County Commissioners of Clay County, and for the compensation of the supervisor of registration by the Board of County Commissioners of Clay County.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 555 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 Smith moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 555 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 555 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Smith moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 555 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. 555 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 555 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 555 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Leaird—

S. B. No. 556—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 10096, Laws of 1925, Section 50, said Section 50 of said Chapter 10096 being Section 612.52, Florida Statutes of 1941, which is entitled "Trustees or Receivers; Duties"; to specify duties of trustees and receivers of dissolved corporations; to limit the personal liability of trustees; to permit final distribution of remaining assets to stockholders of record of a dissolved corporation after three years from date of dissolution.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 26, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Boyle—

S. B. No. 480—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to issuance of bonds by the several boards of county commissioners of the State for purposes of constructing county public hospitals; amending Sections 155.04 and 155.14, Florida Statutes, by increasing the time within which such bonds shall be payable and removing the limitation of the cost of any such county hospital as now provided by Section 155.14.

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

And Senate Bill No. 480, contained in the above Message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

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

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 287——A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the County of Lake to construct, build, erect, purchase, lease or rent an armory or armories in said county; to declare said armories to be for a county purpose; to authorize the assessment, levy and collection of an ad valorem tax to carry out the purposes of this Act and to validate and confirm the assessment, levy and collection of taxes heretofore made for the purpose of renting or constructing an armory or armories.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 288—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation to be paid to the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Lake County, Florida.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 289—A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the running or roaming at large of livestock in Lake County, Florida; to provide for impounding and sale of livestock found running or roaming at large in said county; to provide that owners of property damaged or destroyed by livestock running or roaming in said county may recover damages from the owner or owners of said livestock and to provide penalties for violation of this Act.

Proof of publication attached.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 287, 288 and 289, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Baynard—

S. B. No. 251—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend paragraph F of Section 17 of Chapter 15,505, Special Laws of Florida, 1931. which is "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of St. Petersburg, in Pinellas County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of St. Petersburg, in Pinellas County, Florida, and to fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of said City, and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances; and to ratify certain acts and proceedings of the commission and of the officers of said City; and to repeal all laws and ordinances in conflict herewith": by increasing the total amount of progressive payments that may be made by the City of St. Petersburg on contracts for public work or improvements from seventy-five per centum to ninety per centum of the value of the labor done and materials used at the time; providing for a referendum election for the ratification or rejection of this Act; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 280— A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 3 and 4 of Chapter 24947, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1947, relating to the Tampa Municipal Hospital, removing the limitation upon the amount of hospital revenue bonds which may be issued by the City of Tampa, and providing for pledging to the payment of such bonds a part of the proceeds of the Cigarette Tax levied by the City of Tampa.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 286—A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish all Justice Districts in Lake County, Florida, and providing for a referendum thereof.

Proof of Publication Attached.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 251, 280 and 286, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

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

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 27—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 18963, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1937, by providing for additional powers for the East Volusia County anti-mosquito district by giving it the power to control and eliminate sand flies; and providing for the ratification of all acts performed by said district under Chapter 18963, Laws of Florida. Special Acts of 1937 in controlling or eliminating sand flies.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Baynard—

S. B. No. 243—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize, enlarge and extend the authority and powers of the City of St. Petersburg, Florida, by authorizing and empowering the said city by ordinance to regulate outdoor advertising signs of motels, tourist courts and like establishments; and permitting such ordinance to require such establishments, when room rates are posted on outside signs, to post both the minimum and maximum room rates on said signs; and further requiring such establishments to have available accommodations to meet the posted rates; and prescribing a penalty for violation of any such ordinance.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Baynard—

S. B. No. 250—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend paragraph D of Section Seven of Chapter 15,505, Special Laws of Florida, 1931, which is "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of St. Petersburg, in Pinellas County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of St. Petersburg, in Pinellas County, Florida, and to fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of said City and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances; and to ratify certain acts and proceedings of the commission and of the officers of said City; and to repeal all laws and ordinances in conflict herewith," as amended by Chapter 21,555, Laws of Florida 1941; by increasing the time within which candidates for nomination in primary elections in the City of St. Petersburg must qualify from not less than ten days to not less than thirty days before the date of the primary election; providing for a referendum election for the ratification or rejection of this Act; and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 27, 243 and 250, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Leaird—

S. B. No. 306—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the sheriff, clerk of the Circuit Court and county judge of Broward County, Florida, whose compensation is paid by fees or commissions; and prescribing the time when this Act shall become a law.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 315—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5 (c) of Chapter 10847, Laws of Florida, approved May 9, 1925, entitled, "An Act to amend and reenact the charter of the City of Miami, in the County of Dade, and to fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of said city and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances; and to ratify certain acts and proceedings of the commission and of officers of the city", to extend the time from 10 to 20 days within which the city clerk may examine and ascertain the number of registered voters whose signatures are appended to initiative petitions.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S B. No. 316—A bill to be entitled An Act empowering and authorizing the City of Miami to establish and maintain a hurricane or disaster fund for the purpose of providing moneys for the payment of the cost of cleaning, repairing or repaving its streets, sidewalks, parks and playgrounds, or for rehabilitation for damage done to any municipal property caused by or resulting from any hurricane or disaster; providing for the payment of at least $100,000 per year into said fund until it shall have reached the sum of $500,000; and providing that the said fund shall not be used or expended for any other purpose except as provided in this Act.

Proof of publication attached.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 306, 315 and 316, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 318—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the director of finance of the City of Miami, Florida, with the consent and approval of the city manager, to invest any funds of the City of Miami in United States Government or United States treasury bonds, certificates, notes or bills, or to arrange interest-bearing time deposits with the depositaries of the city, and the interest derived from such investments or deposits shall accrue as revenue to the general fund of the city, except in the case of special funds for which the city is required by agreements or by law to credit such special fund with interest on its invested balances.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 319—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 58 (e) of Chapter 10847, Laws of Florida, approved May 9, 1925, entitled "An Act to amend and reenact the charter of the City of Miami, in the County of Dade, and to fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of said city and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances; and to ratify certain acts and proceedings of the commission and of officers of the city", to make it unnecessary for the city manager's signature to appear upon general bonds of the City of Miami.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 320—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 6 (e) of Chapter 10847, Laws of Florida, approved May 9, 1925, entitled "An Act to amend and reenact the charter of the City of Miami, in the County of Dade, and to fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of said city and means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances; and to ratify certain acts and proceedings of the commission and of officers of the city", to extend the time from 10 to 20 days within which the city clerk may examine and ascertain the number of registered voters whose signatures are appended to referendum petitions.

Proof of publication attached.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 318, 319 and 320, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator McArthur—

S. B. No. 417—A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing all Justice of Peace districts in Nassau County subject to approval at a referendum election.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 424—A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, confirm and validate a special election in El Portal Village held February 8, 1950 whereby the freeholders approved the making of a loan by said village of not to exceed $18,000.00 as a general obligation of said village and to confirm and validate the obligations issued by El Portal Village pursuant thereto.

Proof of publication attached.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 417 and 424, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida.

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 426—A bill to be entitled An Act to validate and confirm certain acts and doings of the City Commission of the City of Miami, Dade County, Florida, from the 25th day of November, 1950 up to and including the 21st day of February, 1951.

Proof of publication attached.

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

And Senate Bill No. 426, contained in the above Message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

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

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 64—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road and give it a name.

Also—

By Senator Pope—

S. B. No. 98—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road in St. Johns County, Florida.

Also—

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 163—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 64, 98 and 163, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

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

By Senator Shands—

S. B. No. 245—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain State roads in Alachua County.

Also—

By Senator Shands—

S. B. No. 246—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 245 and 246, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 164—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

Also—

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 165—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

Also—

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 166—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 164, 165 and 166, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida.

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Baynard—

S. B. No. 52—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 1 of Chapter 24196, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1947, relating to maintenance of a county pound; employment of an impounding officer; impounding of livestock; duties of timber warden; heretofore applicable to certain counties and making same applicable only to counties having a population of not less than 200,000 and not more than 275,000 inhabitants according to the latest official census.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 329—A bill to be entitled An Act to create a grand jury commission constituted of the board of county commis-

sioners, and to prescribe its duties and method of functioning, and to prescribe certain qualifications of grand jurors, and fixing the compensation of grand jurors in all counties in the State of Florida having a population of 325,000 or more, according to the last State or Federal census.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 334—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the issuance and service of witness subpoenas and subpoenas duces tecum by the grand jury in all counties in this State having a population of 325,000 or more, according to the last State or Federal census.

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

And Senate Bills Nos. 52, 329 and 334, contained in the above Message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 328—A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the winter term of Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit in and for Dade County, Florida.

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

And Senate Bill No. 328, contained in the above Message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 369—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsection (1) of Section 40.01, Florida Statutes, relating to the qualifications of jurors, by adding the requirement that jurors must be duly qualified electors of their respective counties.

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

And Senate Bill No. 369, contained in the above Message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senator Clarke—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 206:

A Concurrent Resolution memorializing Congress to call a convention for the purpose of considering an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to taxes on incomes, inheritances and gifts.

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

That the Florida State Legislature does hereby make application to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the purpose of proposing the following Article as an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

ARTICLE.....

"Section 1. The sixteenth article of amendment to the Constitution of the United States is hereby repealed.

"Section 2. The Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes on incomes, from whatever source derived, without apportionment among the several states, and without regard to any census or enumeration; provided, that in no case shall the maximum rate of tax exceed 25 per cent.

"Section 3. The maximum rate of any tax, duty, or excise which Congress may lay and collect with respect to the devolution or transfer of property, or any interest therein, upon or in contemplation of or intended to take effect in possession or enjoyment at or after death, or by way of gift, shall in no case exceed 25 per cent.

"Section 4. The limitations upon the rates of said taxes contained in Sections 2 and 3 shall not apply during hostilities while the United States is in a state of war declared by Congress and shall be subject to the further qualification that in the event of a grave national emergency requiring such action to avoid national disaster, the Congress by a vote of three-fourths of each house may for a period not exceeding one year increase beyond the limits above prescribed the maximum rate of any such tax upon income subsequently accruing or received or with respect to subsequent devolutions or transfers of property, with like power to repeat such action as often as such emergency may require.

"Section 5. Sections 1 and 2 shall take effect at midnight on the 31st day of December following the ratification of this Article. Nothing contained in this article shall affect the power of the United States after said date to collect any tax on incomes for any period ending on or prior to said 31st day of December laid in accordance with the terms of any law then in effect.

"Section 6. Section 3 shall take effect at midnight on the last day of the sixth month following the ratification of this article. Nothing contained in this article shall affect the power of the United States to collect any tax on any devolution or transfer occurring prior to the taking effect of Section 3, laid in accordance with the terms of any law then in effect."

And be it further

RESOLVED, That the Congress of the United States be, and it is hereby requested to provide as the mode of ratification that said amendment shall be valid to all intents and purposes, as part of the Constitution of the United States, when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several states, and be it further

RESOLVED, That a duly attested copy of this resolution be immediately transmitted to the Secretary of the Senate of the United States, the Clerk of the House of Representatives of the United States and to each member of the Congress from this State.

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

And Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 206 contained in the above Message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Senators Shands, Gautier (13th) and Baynard—

S. B. No. 8—A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for the holder of a horse or dog racing permit, or for a member of an association or an officer, director or stockholder of a corporation holding such a permit, to make any political contribution; prescribing the penalty for the violation hereof; and prescribing the effective date hereof.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

Strike out Section 1, and insert the following in lieu thereof: Section 1. It is unlawful for any candidate for nomination or election to public office to accept any contribution in the furtherance of his or her campaign.

Amendment No. 2—

Strike out the title and insert the following in lieu thereof: A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful for any candidate for nomination or election to public office to accept political contributions, and providing penalties for violation of this Act.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And Senate Bill No. 8, contained in the above Message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do not concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 8.

Which was agreed to and the Senate refused to concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 8.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate do not concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 8.

Which was agreed to and the Senate refused to concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 8.

Senator Shands moved that the House of Representatives be requested to recede from House Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 to Senate Bill No. 8.

Which was agreed to and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Fuqua of Manatee—

H. B. No. 611—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 19682 of the Special Acts of 1939, Laws of Florida, said chapter being part of the present charter of the City of Anna Maria, Florida; to provide for the government of said city and qualifications of officers; to regulate nominations by caucus; to provide for the holding of elections of City Commissioners; and to provide for a referendum.

Also—

By Mr. Cramer—

H. B. No. 614—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 20618, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, applying to certain counties and relating to county relief and welfare, defining county relief and welfare, prescribing the rights, duties and powers of the respective Boards of County Commissioners in such counties and authorizing an ad valorem tax to be levied therefor, by making said chapter applicable only to counties of this State having a population of not less than 130,000 and not more than 170,000 inhabitants according to the most recent official census.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 611, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 611 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 611 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 611 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. 611 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 611 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 611 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 614, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Cobb of Volusia—

H. B. No. 527—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the establishment and maintenance of a county law library in the City of Daytona Beach, Volusia County, Florida, for the use of the judges and officers of the several courts of said county and of the county officials; and declaring the

establishment and maintenance of said library to be a public need and for a general county purpose; providing for a Board of Trustees to operate said law library and authorizing said Board of Trustees to prescribe and enforce rules and regulations as to said library; providing for the manner of raising funds and the expenditure of said funds for said library; and providing that any property acquired by said library by purchase, donations or otherwise be deemed to be held and used as a charitable public trust.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Carlton, Smith, and Morgan of Duval—

H. B. No. 547—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Jacksonville to exercise its authority to make corrections of errors on its delinquent tax rolls, to provide for refunds to purchasers of tax certificates issued in error, to provide for cancellation of interest on taxes delinquent for more than twenty years, and to cancel delinquent taxes on city owned property, by resolution of the City Council instead of by ordinance.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 527 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.

And House Bill No. 527, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 527 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 527 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 527 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. 527 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 527 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 527 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 547 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.

And House Bill No. 547, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 547 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 547 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 547 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. 547 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 547 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 547 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 416—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring the chief of police of the city of Key West, Florida who now holds the office of chief of police of said city and the city clerk of the city of Key West, Florida who now holds the office of city clerk of said city to be members of the civil service of said city without the necessity of any examination, physical or mental; and providing that persons employed in the future as such chief of police and as such city clerk shall become members of the civil service after they have been employed pursuant to the provisions of Article I of Chapter H of Chapter 23374, Laws of Florida, Acts of the Legislature year 1945, as amended, and rules and regulations adopted under its authority; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing for this Act to take effect upon its becoming a law.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 436—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring the Chief of the Fire Department of the City of Key West, Florida who now holds the office of Chief of the Fire Department of said city and the city tax assessor of the city of Key West, Florida who now holds the office of City Tax Assessor of said city to be members of the civil service of said city without the necessity of any examination, physical or mental; and providing that persons employed in the future as such Chief of the Fire Department and as such City Tax Assessor shall become members of the Civil Service after they have been employed pursuant to the provisions of Article I of Chapter H of Chapter 23374, Laws of Florida, Acts of the Legislature year 1945, as amended, and rules and

regulations adopted under its authority; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this act to the extent of such conflict; and providing for this act to take effect upon its becoming a law.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 312—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 416 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.

And House Bill No. 416, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 416 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 416 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 416 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 416 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 416 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 416 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 436 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.

And House Bill No. 436, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 436 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 436 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 436 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 436 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 436 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 436 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 312, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 312 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 312 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 312 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. 312 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 312 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 312 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

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

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 516—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary of the Clerk of the Criminal Court of Record of Monroe County, Florida; providing the fund out of which said salary shall be paid; providing, further, that all fees and costs collected by the Clerk of the Criminal Court of Record shall be deposited in the depository of the county to the credit of the fine and forfeiture fund.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 505—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 23790, Laws of Florida, Acts of the Legislature year 1947, entitled, "An Act fixing the salary of the county solicitor of the Criminal Court of Record for Monroe County, State of Florida; providing that said salary shall be in lieu of all other compensation; providing that same shall be paid by said county out of the general fund of said county; and repealing laws in conflict therewith", and providing that Section 43.01, Florida Statutes, 1949, shall apply to the county solicitor of the Criminal Court of Record for Monroe County, State of Florida, and that said county solicitor shall receive the compensation and allowances for expenses therein provided and be entitled to all other benefits and privileges therein provided; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 458—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary of the Judge of the Criminal Court of Record for Monroe County, Florida, and providing the fund out of which said salary shall be paid; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 516 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.

And House Bill No. 516, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 516 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 516 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 505 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.

And House Bill No. 505, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 505 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 505 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 505 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. 505 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 505 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 505 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 458 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.

And House Bill No. 458, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 458 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 458 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 458 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 458 passed, title as stated, and the action

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

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Patton of Franklin—

H. B. No. 469—A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting fishing with nets in a certain area in and for all counties in Florida having a population of not less than 5,500 and not more than 6,000 inhabitants, according to the last official census.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 564—A bill to be entitled An Act empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida to establish a building permit system in Monroe County, Florida and to fix fees to be charged for building permits; authorizing and empowering said board to designate the county tax assessor to enforce provisions of this Act; providing for the payment into the general fund of said county of moneys collected for building permits and for appropriation and payment out of said general fund the necessary moneys for administering the building permit system authorized herein; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 565—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that each candidate in primary elections and special primary elections for nomination to the elective office of County Commissioner of Monroe County, Florida, must have resided in the election district for which he is a candidate for said nomination at least six months prior to the required date of payment of filing fee and filing candidate's sworn statement; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing for this Act to take effect upon its becoming a law.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 469, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Tucker moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 469 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 469 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tucker moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 469 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. 469 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 469 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 469 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 564 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.

And House Bill No. 564, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 564 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 564 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 564 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. 564 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 564 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 564 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 565 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.

And House Bill No. 565, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 565 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 565 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 565 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. 565 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 565 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 565 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
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. Cramer, McLaren and Shaffer of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 590—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners in all counties of this State having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 200,000 inhabitants according to the most recent official census, to expend certain limited funds for advertising light industry development and planning.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 572—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing, empowering and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida to manage, operate, maintain and control the public hospital owned by said county, situate on Stock Island, Florida; prescribing said board's jurisdiction, powers, functions, authority, duties, rights and privileges; authorizing said board to adopt by-laws, rules and regulations for the government of said hospital and amend same from time to time; authorizing the appointment of a superintendent for said hospital; providing for the levy of an annual ad valorem tax not to exceed two mills on the dollar for the maintenance and operation of said public hospital; authorizing and empowering said board to fix and establish from time to time and collect reasonable compensation for services rendered by said hospital; authorizing the establishment of a training school for nurses; authorizing the acceptance of donations of property for the benefit of said public hospital; declaring the establishment and use of said hospital to be public purposes; authorizing said board to allocate to the hospital funds any public moneys not otherwise appropriated; abolishing the board of trustees heretofore appointed for said hospital; repealing Chapter 26040, Laws of Florida, Acts of the Legislature year 1949; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing when this Act shall take effect.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 590, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 572 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.

And House Bill No. 572, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 572 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 572 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 572 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. 572 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 572 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 572 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

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

By Mr. Tapper of Gulf—

H. B. No. 395—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Gulf County, Florida, as State roads to become a part of the system of the State roads of the State of Florida.

Also—

By Mr. Tapper of Gulf—

H. B. No. 396—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Gulf County, Florida, as State roads to become a part of the system of the State roads of the State of Florida.

Also—

By Messrs. Andrews and Kirkland of Orange, and Smith of Seminole—

H. B. No. 408—A bill to be entitled An Act designating, and establishing a certain State road.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 395, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 395 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 395 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

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

And House Bill No. 396, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 396 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 396 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 396 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. 396 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 396 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 396 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 408, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 408 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 408 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 408 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. 408 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 408 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 408 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Tapper of Gulf—

H. B. No. 392—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Gulf County, Florida, as State roads to become a part of the system of the State roads of the State of Florida.

Also—

By Mr. Tapper of Gulf—

H. B. No. 393—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Gulf County, Florida, as State roads to become a part of the system of the State roads of the State of Florida.

Also—

By Mr. Tapper of Gulf—

H. B. No. 394—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Gulf County, Florida, as State roads to become a part of the system of the State roads of the State of Florida.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 392, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 392 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 392 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 392 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. 392 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 392 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 392 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 393, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 398 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 393 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 393 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. 393 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 393 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 393 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 394, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 394 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 394 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 394 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. 394 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 394 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Baynard	Brackin	Clarke
Ayers	Beall	Branch	Collins
Baker	Boyle	Carroll	Crary
Davis	King	Pearce	Shivers
Dayton	Leaird	Pope	Smith
Franklin	Lewis	Ripley	Tucker
Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Rodgers	Wright
Gautier (13th)	McArthur	Rogells	
Johns	Moore	Sanchez	
Johnson	Morrow	Shands	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 394 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
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. Bollinger and Elliott of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 373—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain State roads in Palm Beach County, Florida.

Also—

By Mr. Tapper of Gulf—

H. B. No. 390—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Gulf County, Florida, as State roads to become a part of the system of the State roads of the State of Florida.

Also—

By Mr. Tapper of Gulf—

H. B. No. 391—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain roads in Gulf County, Florida, as State roads to become a part of the system of the State roads of the State of Florida.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 373, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Morrow 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 Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 373 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. 373 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—37.

Mr President	Carroll	Gautier (13th)	Moore
Ayers	Clarke	Johns	Morrow
Baker	Collins	Johnson	Pearce
Baynard	Crary	King	Pope
Beall	Davis	Leaird	Ripley
Boyle	Dayton	Lewis	Rodgers
Brackin	Franklin	Lindler	Rogells
Branch	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sanchez

Shands	Smith	Wright
Shivers	Tucker	

Nays—None.

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

And House Bill No. 390, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers 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.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 390 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 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

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

And House Bill No. 391, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers 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 Shivers 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—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

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

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Patton of Franklin—

H. B. No. 340—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, establish and designate a certain State road in Franklin County.

Also—

By Messrs. Burwell and David of Broward—

H. B. No. 365—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing a certain State road.

Also—

By Messrs. Ayres of Marion, Bryant of Marion, Turlington of Alachua and Whitlock of Alachua—

H. B. No. 366—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, establish and designate a certain State road.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 340, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Tucker moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 340 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 340 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tucker moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 340 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. 340 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 340 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 340 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 365, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 365 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 365 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 365 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. 365 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 365 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 365 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 366, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 366 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 366 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 366 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. 366 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 366 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 366 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Simpson of Jefferson—

H. B. No. 277—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road in Monticello, Jefferson County, Florida.

Also—

By Mr. Simpson of Jefferson—

H. B. No. 278—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road in Monticello, Jefferson County, Florida.

Also—

By Mr. Moody of Hillsborough—

H. B. No. 294—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish a certain State road.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 277, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 277 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 277 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 277 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. 277 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 277 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 277 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 278, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 278 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 278 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 278 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. 278 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 278 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Boyle	Collins	Gautier (28th)
Ayers	Brackin	Crary	Gautier (13th)
Baker	Branch	Davis	Johns
Baynard	Carroll	Dayton	Johnson
Beall	Clarke	Franklin	King

Leaird	Morrow	Rogells	Tucker
Lewis	Pearce	Sanchez	Wright
Lindler	Pope	Shands	
McArthur	Ripley	Shivers	
Moore	Rodgers	Smith	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 278 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 294, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 294 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 294 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 294 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. 294 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 294 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 294 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 26, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Surles of Polk—

H. B. No. 15—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 341.66, Florida Statutes, 1949, relating to the dedication of certain roads to the public.

Also—

By Mr. Payne of Pasco—

H. B. No. 68—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 320.42 of Florida Statutes, 1941, and prohibiting the use of rough surfaced wheels or otherwise operating vehicles or other implements upon the highway of this State which by reason of their design and construction would cause injury to such highway, and prohibiting the use over such highway in such a manner as would cause injury thereto and providing penalty for the violation of this Act and providing for the effective date thereof and repealing any and all laws in conflict therewith.

Also—

By Messrs. Courtney and Mathis of Bay and Webb of Washington—

H. B. No. 260—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate and establish certain State roads.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 15, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 15 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 15 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 15 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. 15 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 15 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 15 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 68, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

And House Bill No. 260, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 260 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 260 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 260 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. 260 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 260 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Carroll	Gautier (13th)	Moore
Ayers	Clarke	Johns	Morrow
Baker	Collins	Johnson	Pearce
Baynard	Crary	King	Pope
Beall	Davis	Leaird	Ripley
Boyle	Dayton	Lewis	Rodgers
Brackin	Franklin	Lindler	Rogells
Branch	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sanchez

Shands	Smith	Wright
Shivers	Tucker	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 260 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 23, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
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. Cobb and Sweeny of Volusia—

H. B. No. 571—A bill to be entitled An Act abolishing existing Justice of the Peace districts in Volusia County, Florida, and establishing three Justice of the Peace districts in said county, and providing for a referendum election for the approval of this Act at the next ensuing general election.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 571, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Hathaway of Charlotte—

H. B. No. 549—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to powers of County Commissioners of Charlotte County and authorizing them to make donations to civic and charitable groups up to $2,000 per year and to make non bid purchases not to exceed $800.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Elliott and Bollinger of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 551—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize public officials of Palm Beach County to reproduce on a small scale by photographic, micro-photographic, photostatic, micro-photostatic, or other process, any public records, court exhibits, or office records in their official custody; to prescribe the conditions under which such records shall be so reproduced; to prescribe by whose authority the expenditure therefor shall be made; to provide for the verification, certifications, storage, examination and use of such reproductions; to provide that certified positive or negative reproductions shall be deemed the official original records for all purposes, and that certified copies thereof, or of any enlarged portion thereof, shall be acceptable in any court; to authorize the sale of copies of such reproductions; to provide that after the reproductions have been verified and certified the originals may be destroyed or otherwise disposed of; to provide that with certain exceptions public records, court exhibits and office records, which are considered to be worthless from a practical standpoint, may be destroyed or otherwise disposed of without first reproducing them on a smaller scale, provided that in each particular instance certain conditions are complied with, including the issuing and recording of a circuit court order; and otherwise generally and specifically regulating the reproducing of said records on a small scale and destroying same.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Carlton of Duval—

H. B. No. 552—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to investigate the claim of Columbus W. Arnold against Duval County, Florida, for personal injuries sustained by him while he was employed by said county and acting as foreman of road employees thereof, and to pay him compensation in a sum not to exceed $1,500.00 if his claim is approved, and to provide funds for the payment of same after the said sum shall be fixed and approved.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 549 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.

And House Bill No. 549, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 549 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 549 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 549 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. 549 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 549 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 549 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 551 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.

And House Bill No. 551, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 551 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 551 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 551 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. 551 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 551 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 551 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 552 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.

And House Bill No. 552, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 552 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 552 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 552 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. 552 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 552 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 552 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
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. Johnson, Pittman and Moody of Hillsborough—

H. B. No. 510—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the incorporation of all lands in Hillsborough County, Florida, included within the boundaries as set forth below, according to the public records of Hillsborough County, Florida, as a special fire control district, to provide for the incorporation of all said lands and territory into and as a special fire control district, to provide for and limit the powers, duties and liabilities of said district in and about obtaining the purchase and acquiring of fire-fighting equipment, fire stations, fire hydrants and water supply, in prevention of all types of fires, to provide for inspection of places of business, apartment houses, theatres and building where large groups of persons might congregate, to provide for the exercise and administration of the powers of said district by a board of commissioners to be named and appointed by the Governor of the State of Florida, to provide for raising all necessary funds for financing said district and all of its purposes; to provide for the levy, collection and enforcement of special assessments against and creating liens upon lands in said district; in order to raise funds for the purpose of said district and to determine the benefits of such assessments and the priority and dignity of such liens in raising revenues for the purpose of said district; to provide for limitations of claims, demands and suits against said district; to authorize and empower such district to make and enter into contracts with firms and individuals or the City of Tampa, a municipal corporation, relating to any and all of the purposes of said district; and to provide for and establish the proceedings by which said special fire control district shall become incorporated as a public municipal corporation to be known as: "Drew Park Special Fire Control District."

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Webb of Washington—

H. B. No. 512—A bill to be entitled An Act validating, legalizing and confirming an ordinance of the City of Chipley, in Washington County, Florida, passed by the Council and approved by the Mayor of said City of Chipley on October 16, 1947, and entitled, "An ordinance to be entitled an ordinance levying a license tax on all persons, firms and corporations operating or managing any theatre, vaudeville, moving picture show, circus, exhibit, opera, or other similar place of amusement within the City of Chipley, providing for the collection of said tax and prescribing penalties for violations of this ordinance."

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Messrs. McFarlin and Dukes of Jackson—

H. B. No. 522—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 25, of Chapter 21368, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1941; as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 26001, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1949; Section 26 of Chapter 21368, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1941, as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 22384, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, and as amended by Section 1 of Chapter 24683, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1947, and as amended by Section 2 of Chapter 26001, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1949; Section 27 of Chapter 21368, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1941, as amended by Section 3 of Chapter 26001, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1949; relating to the municipal government of the City of Marianna, in Jackson County, Florida, to the City Clerk, the Chief of Police and the Municipal Judge, their appointment or election, duties, rights and privileges, and providing for a referendum.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 510 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.

And House Bill No. 510, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 510 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 510 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 512 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.

And House Bill No. 512, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 512 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 512 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 512 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. 512 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 512 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 512 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 522, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
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. Akridge and Burton of Brevard—

H. B. No. 506—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Titusville, Florida to sell certain lands owned by said City, formerly dedicated for park purposes and now occupied by Correct Craft Inc., and particularly described in said Act; and authorizing said City to grant such easements as said City may determine advisable for the use of the yacht basin in said City.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Bollinger and Elliott of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 507—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Town of Palm Beach, Florida, a municipal corporation; ratifying, validating and confirming certain ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach, Florida; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing when this Act shall become effective.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Jacobs of Suwannee—

H. B. No. 508—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary of the members of the Board of Public Instruction of Suwannee County, Florida.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 506 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.

And House Bill No 506, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 506 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 506 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 506 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. 506 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 506 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Baynard	Brackin	Clarke
Ayers	Beall	Branch	Collins
Baker	Boyle	Carroll	Crary

Davis	King	Pearce	Shivers
Dayton	Leaird	Pope	Smith
Franklin	Lewis	Ripley	Tucker
Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Rodgers	Wright
Gautier (13th)	McArthur	Rogells	
Johns	Moore	Sanchez	
Johnson	Morrow	Shands	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 506 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 507 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.

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

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 507 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 507 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 508 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.

And House Bill No. 508, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Education.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Jones of Collier—

H. B. No. 497—A bill to be entitled An Act to determine and prescribe that the annual salary of the superintendent of public instruction of Collier County, Florida shall be paid as prescribed in Section 230.30, Florida Statutes, according to the unit system set out in Section 242.01, Florida Statutes providing a minimum salary for such superintendent; ratifying and confirming all matters and things and acts of the Board of Public Instruction of Collier County, Florida heretofore had and done in connection with the payment of salary to the superintendent of public instruction of Collier County, Florida. Repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing an effective date for this Act.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Webb of Washington—

H. B. No. 499—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Chipley, in Washington County, Florida to license, regulate and tax all businesses, professions and occupations engaged in, conducted or carried on within said city by any person, firm or corporation, including the power and authority to tax admissions to any show, act, exhibition, place of amusement or place of entertainment within said city charged by any such person, firm or corporation, providing that the only limitation upon the amount of any tax imposed hereunder is that it shall be reasonable, containing a saving provision, repealing conflicting laws and providing the effective date hereof.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Webb of Washington—

H. B. No. 500—A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing and limiting the powers of the City of Chipley, Florida in making certain contracts.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 497 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.

And House Bill No. 497, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Education.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 499 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.

And House Bill No. 499, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 499 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 499 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 499 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. 499 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 499 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Baker	Beall	Brackin
Ayers	Baynard	Boyle	Branch

Carroll	Gautier (13th)	Moore	Shands
Clarke	Johns	Morrow	Shivers
Collins	Johnson	Pearce	Smith
Crary	King	Pope	Tucker
Davis	Leaird	Ripley	Wright
Dayton	Lewis	Rodgers	
Franklin	Lindler	Rogells	
Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sanchez	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 499 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 500 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.

And House Bill No. 500, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 500 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 500 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 500 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. 500 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 500 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 500 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Rowell of Martin—

H. B. No. 468—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County to pay a county pension to Mary R. McCord; providing the manner in which such payments shall be made; that all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed; and for the effective date of this Act.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Burwell and David of Broward—

H. B. No. 471—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 5 of Chapter 25066, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949 relating to the compensation of the County Solicitor of Broward County, Florida.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Bryant and Ayres of Marion, Boyd and Duncan of Lake, Phillips of Hernando, Getzen of Sumter, and Williams of Citrus—

H. B. No. 487—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the salaries of each of the Circuit Judges of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of Florida embracing Citrus, Hernando, Lake, Marion and Sumter Counties and providing that a part of the salary of each judge be paid from the General Revenue Fund of such counties in the proportion that the population of each county bears to the total population of such Circuit as determined by the last preceding State or Federal census, whichever shall be the later; making the same a county purpose; making an annual appropriation therefor; providing the effective date hereof and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 468 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.

And House Bill No. 468, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 468 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 468 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 468 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. 468 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 468 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 468 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 471 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.

And House Bill No. 471, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 487 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.

And House Bill No. 487, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
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. David and Burwell of Broward—

H. B. No. 415—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of the Sheriff, Clerk of the Circuit Court and County Judge of Broward County, Florida, whose compensation is paid by fees or commissions; and prescribing the time when this Act shall become a law.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Carlton, Morgan and Smith of Duval—

H. B. No. 441—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Duval County, Florida, to levy a building tax not exceeding one mill per annum for not more than five consecutive years for the purpose of erecting or repairing any court house or jail or addition to the same and requiring thirty days notice of action on such levy by said board and providing that if any levy of any tax for any of the purposes above set forth shall have previously been made by said Board of County Commissioners under authority of any other law no tax levied hereunder shall be payable until after the last annual levy under authority of such law, and authorizing the investment of any moneys derived from the tax in government bonds of the United States of America.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Phillips of Hernando—

H. B. No. 447—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the salary of the members of the Board of Public Instruction of Hernando County, Florida, shall be fifty ($50.00) dollars per month; providing for the payment of mileage to said members; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 415 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.

And House Bill No. 415, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 441 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.

And House Bill No. 441, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 441 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 441 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 441 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. 441 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 441 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 441 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 447 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.

And House Bill No. 447, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Education.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
President of the Senate,
Sir:

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

By Mr. Cramer of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 617—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 1, 5, and 8 of Chapter 20625 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, applying to certain counties and relating to appointment, jurisdiction, duties, employment, and compensation of county traffic officers by making said chapter applicable only to counties in this State having a population of not less than 130,000 and not more than 170,000 inhabitants according to the last State and Federal census.

Also—

By Messrs. Mathis and Courtney of Bay—

H. B. No. 622—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Bay County, Florida, to appropriate a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars ($5,000.00) per annum to the Bay Memorial Park Association, said funds to be used by said association to promote generally the project known as Bay Memorial Park; and to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Bay County, Florida, to take from the general funds of Bay County, Florida, all funds necessary to carry out this Act; and declaring all sums so paid to be for a county purpose in and for Bay County, Florida.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 617, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 622 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.

And House Bill No. 622, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 622 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 622 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shivers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 622 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. 622 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 622 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Boyle	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Beall	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 622 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
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. Carlton, Morgan and Smith of Duval—

H. B. No. 409—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and establishing certain roads in Duval County as State roads.

Also—

By Mr. Mathis of Bay—

H. B. No. 454—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 341.13, Florida Statutes, relating to the annual audit of the State Road Department by the State auditor.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

And House Bill No. 409, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 409 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 409 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 409 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. 409 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 409 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 409 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 454, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 27, 1951.

Hon. Wallace E. Sturgis,
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 required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all Members of the House of Representatives present, the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding—

By Mr. Beasley of Walton—

H. B No. 1219 (1949 Regular Session)—An Act authorizing and empowering the Town of DeFuniak Springs, Florida, a municipal corporation, to assess, levy and collect license taxes upon businesses, occupations and professions engaged in and carried on therein without regard to the nature, limitations or amounts levied for State and county licenses, and repealing Chapter 16393, Special Acts of Legislature of Florida 1933, and all other conflicting laws.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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

House Bill No. 1219 (1949 Regular Session), contained in the above Message, was read by title.

Senator Wright asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1219 (1949 Regular Session), as contained in the above Message.

Which was not agreed to.

Whereupon, House Bill No. 1219 (1949 Regular Session) was referred to the Committee on Executive Communications.

Senator Morrow asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 449, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 449—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of County Solicitors of the criminal courts of record in and for counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than one hundred fourteen thousand (114,000) and not more than one hundred fifteen thousand (115,000), according to the last preceding Federal or State census.

Was taken up.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 449 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 449 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 449:

In Section 1, line 5 (typewritten bill) strike out the words and figures: "Fifteen Thousand (115,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Fourteen Thousand Eight Hundred (114,800)".

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 449:

In Title (typewritten bill) strike out the words and figures: "One Hundred Fifteen Thousand (115,000)," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One Hundred Fourteen Thousand Eight Hundred (114,800)".

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 449, 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. 449, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 449, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 449 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Morrow asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 450, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 450—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of Assistant County Solicitors of the criminal courts of record in and for counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than one hundred fourteen thousand (114,000) and not more than one hundred fifteen thousand (115,000), according to the last preceding Federal or State census.

Was taken up.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 450 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 450 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 450:

In Section 1, line 5, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: & figures "Fifteen Thousand (115,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Fourteen Thousand Eight Hundred (114,800)".

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 450:

In Title, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: & figures "One Hundred Fifteen Thousand (115,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "One Hundred Fourteen Thousand Eight Hundred (114,800)".

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 450, 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. 450, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 450, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 450 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 90, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 90—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 458.05, Florida Statutes, and relating to applications to take the medical examinations in this State; the qualifications necessary to admit applicants to such examinations; penalties for practicing medicine without a license; and matters in connection therewith.

Was taken up.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 90 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 90 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 90 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. 90 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 90 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Crary	Lewis	Rogells
Ayers	Davis	Lindler	Sanchez
Baker	Dayton	McArthur	Shands
Baynard	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Shivers
Beall	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Smith
Brackin	Johns	Pope	Tucker
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	Wright
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—2.

Branch Franklin

So House Bill No. 90 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 91, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 91—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 458.08, Florida Statutes, and relating to the approval and classification of medical schools and colleges, and of hospitals, by the Board of Medical Examiners.

Was taken up.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 91 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 91 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 91 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. 91 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 91 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Clarke	Johnson	Ripley
Ayers	Collins	King	Rodgers
Baker	Crary	Leaird	Rogells
Baynard	Davis	Lewis	Sanchez
Beall	Dayton	Lindler	Shands
Boyle	Franklin	McArthur	Shivers
Brackin	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Smith
Branch	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Tucker
Carroll	Johns	Pope	Wright

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 91 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 92, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 92—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 458.10, Florida Statutes, relating to the amount of fees to be paid in connection with applications to take the medical examinations in this state.

Was taken up.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 92 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 92 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 92 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. 92 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 92 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baynard	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Beall	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Boyle	Franklin	Morrow	Smith
Brackin	Gautier (28th)	Pearce	Tucker
Branch	Gautier (13th)	Pope	Wright
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 92 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 93, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 93—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 458.12, Florida Statutes, and adding three new and additional sections to Chapter 458, Florida Statutes, to be known and designated as Sections 458.121, 458.122 and 458.123, all relating to the revocation, suspension, annulment and denial of licenses issued or to be issued under said Chapter 458, Florida Statutes; providing the grounds therefor and the procedure in connection therewith and for appeals from decisions and orders of the board in connection therewith.

Was taken up.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 93 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 93 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 93 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. 93 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 93 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Clarke	Johnson	Rodgers
Ayers	Collins	King	Rogells
Baynard	Crary	Lindler	Sanchez
Beall	Davis	McArthur	Shands
Boyle	Dayton	Morrow	Shivers
Brackin	Franklin	Pearce	Smith
Branch	Gautier (28th)	Pope	Tucker
Carroll	Gautier (13th)	Ripley	Wright

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 93 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 94, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 94—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 458.13, Florida Statutes, and defining medical practice, fixing certain limitations upon the practice of medicine in this State, and exempting certain things from the operation of Chapter 458, Florida Statutes.

Was taken up.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 94 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 94 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 94 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. 94 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 94 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Collins	Lewis	Rodgers
Ayers	Crary	Lindler	Rogells
Baynard	Davis	McArthur	Sanchez
Beall	Dayton	Moore	Shands
Boyle	Franklin	Morrow	Shivers
Brackin	Johnson	Pearce	Tucker
Carroll	King	Pope	Wright
Clarke	Leaird	Ripley	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 94 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 95, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 95—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the appointment or employment of an assistant Secretary or secretaries for the State Board of Medical Examiners and defining his powers, duties and authority.

Was taken up.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 95 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 95 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 95 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. 95 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 95 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Ripley
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Rodgers
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Rogells
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Sanchez
Boyle	Franklin	Moore	Shands
Brackin	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Branch	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Clarke	Johnson	Pope	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 95 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Brackin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 96, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 96—A bill to be entitled An Act providing a method for proving that a person is or is not duly licensed and qualified to practice any of the healing arts, or to practice dentistry, pharmacy or nursing under the statutes and laws of the State of Florida.

Was taken up.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 96 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 96 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Brackin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 96 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. 96 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 96 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Ripley
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Rodgers
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Rogells
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Sanchez
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Shivers
Brackin	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Carroll	Johnson	Pearce	Wright
Clarke	King	Pope	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 96 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 Senate Bill No. 432, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 432—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the use of county moneys for the payment of county obligations, transfers of money from one county fund to another, and use of moneys appropriated for one purpose when not needed for that purpose for which appropriated in the payment of other county expenses in counties having a population of not less than 36,400 and not more than 37,000, according to the last preceding Federal census.

Was taken up.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 432 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 432 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 432 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. 432 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 432 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 432 passed, title as stated, and the action

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

Senator Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 285, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 285—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to counties having a population of not less than seventy thousand (70,000) nor more than eighty thousand (80,000) according to the latest official census; providing that constables in such counties shall not appoint or employ deputy constables.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 285 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 285 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 285 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. 285 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 285 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 285 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Branch asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 276, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 276—A bill to be entitled An Act to fix and provide the number of grand jurors to constitute a grand jury, to constitute a quorum of the grand jury and to find and return an indictment or presentment, in counties having a population of 225,000 or more according to the last State or Federal census.

Was taken up.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 276 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 276 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 276 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. 276 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 276 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 276 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Branch asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 277, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 277—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a court reporter for the grand jury in all counties in this State having a population of 225,000 or more according to the last State or Federal census, and relating to the recordings, transcribing and filing of the recorded proceedings of the grand jury in said counties and the purpose for which same can be used.

Was taken up.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 277 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 277 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Branch offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 277:

In Section 1, line 13 (typewritten bill) following the word: "released", insert the following: "by the clerk".

Senator Branch moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 277, 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. 277, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 277, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 277 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Branch asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 274, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 274—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Grand Juries in counties having a population of 225,000 or more according to the last State or Federal census.

Was taken up.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 274 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 274 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Branch offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 274:

In Section 1, line 3 (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "or" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "nor".

Senator Branch moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Branch also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 274:

In Section 1, line 4, (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "Unless" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "until".

Senator Branch moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Branch also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 274:

In Section 1, line 8 (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "Circuit Court" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Circuit Judge".

Senator Branch moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 274, 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. 274, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 274, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Collins	Leaird	Rogells
Ayers	Crary	Lewis	Sanchez
Baker	Davis	Lindler	Shands
Baynard	Dayton	McArthur	Shivers
Beall	Franklin	Moore	Smith
Boyle	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Tucker
Brackin	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Wright
Branch	Johns	Pope	
Carroll	Johnson	Ripley	
Clarke	King	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 274 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

H. B. No. 26—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the regulation, control, and supervision of certain privately owned electric and electric and gas public utilities by the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission; defining such public utilities and prescribing their duties and responsibilities; prescribing the duties and powers of the Commission with reference to the rates, service, securities and financing of said utilities; prescribing penalties for violations of this Act or any order, rate, rule or regulation of said Commission; providing that the provisions of this Act shall neither apply to utilities owned or operated by cooperatives organized and existing under the Rural Electrification Cooperative law of the State of Florida nor to utilities owned or operated by municipalities; nor to certain natural gas pipe line transmission companies; providing that this Act shall not affect certain rate litigation and refund proceedings; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing the effective date of this Act.

Which was pending amendment at the hour of adjournment on April 26, 1951, having been read the second time by title only on Wednesday, April 25, 1951, was taken up.

Senator Baynard offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 26:

In Section 3, line 3, (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "wilfully".

Senator Baynard moved the adoption of the amendment.

A roll call was demanded.

Upon the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Baynard to House Bill No. 26 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—12.

Mr. President	Gautier (13th)	Lewis	Ripley
Baynard	King	Morrow	Rodgers
Branch	Leaird	Pope	Rogells

Nays—21.

Ayers	Collins	Lindler	Shivers
Baker	Crary	McArthur	Tucker
Boyle	Dayton	Moore	Wright
Brackin	Franklin	Pearce	
Carroll	Gautier (28th)	Sanchez	
Clarke	Johns	Shands	

So the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator Baynard also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 26:

Following Section 11, add the following new section to be known as Section 12, renumbering the remaining sections:

Section 12. Every public utility company doing business in this State and subject to the control and jurisdiction of the commission to which the provisions of this Act apply shall pay to the Treasurer of State of Florida a fee for the inspection, control and supervision of the business, services and rates of such public utility company. Such fee shall be paid by such public utility company in addition to any and all property, franchise, license and other taxes, fees and charges fixed, assessed or charged by law against such public utility company. The amount of such fee is to be measured by the amount of the gross receipts for the preceding calendar year of each public utility company from its gas and electric business in excess of $5,000 and shall be so paid in quarterly payments in advance on the first day of July, 1951, and on the first day of each subsequent quarter in each year thereafter. The fee fixed and assessed against and to be paid by each public utility company is as follows: $4.00 per $1,000 for the first $1,000,000 or less of such gross receipts over $5,000, $2.00 per $1,000 for each additional $1,000 of such gross receipts over and above $1,000,000. The revenue accruing to the State from the collection of such fees shall be credited by the State Treasurer to the account of the general revenue fund. Fees provided for herein shall be in addition to all other taxes now imposed by law upon utilities and shall in no wise repeal any of the existing laws imposing other taxes upon utilities. Fees provided for herein shall be in addition to all other taxes now imposed by law upon the utilities to which this Act applies.

Senator Baynard moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending consideration of the amendment offered by Senator Baynard to House Bill No. 26, Senator McArthur moved that the rules be waived and the time of adjournment be extended until final roll call on House Bill No. 26.

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

Pending further consideration of the amendment offered by Senator Baynard to House Bill No. 26, Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate adjourns it adjourn to reconvene at 11:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, April 30, 1951.

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

Pending further consideration of the amendment offered by Senator Baynard to House Bill No. 26, Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and when the Senate adjourns at the morning session on Monday, April 30, 1951, it recess to reconvene at 3:00 o'clock P. M. on Monday, April 30, 1951, for a two hour session.

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

The question recurred on the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Baynard to House Bill No. 26.

A roll call was demanded.

Upon the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Baynard to House Bill No. 26 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—13.

Mr. President	Gautier (13th)	Pope	Tucker
Baynard	Johnson	Rodgers	
Branch	Lewis	Rogells	
Collins	Morrow	Sanchez	

Nays—23.

Ayers	Clarke	King	Ripley
Baker	Crary	Leaird	Shands
Beall	Dayton	Lindler	Shivers
Boyle	Franklin	McArthur	Smith
Brackin	Gautier (28th)	Moore	Wright
Carroll	Johns	Pearce	

So the amendment failed of adoption.

The following Explanation of Vote was filed with the Secretary:

I vote "no" but this shall not be construed as an expression of opposition to the assessment of costs against public utilities. This should be accomplished by a general law, however, applicable to all utilities subject to regulation by the State and I shall support legislation to this end.

NEWMAN BRACKIN
Senator, 1st District

Senator Baynard also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 26:

After Section 12 insert a new section to be numbered Section 12½ as follows: "Section 12½. No public utility may incur expenses in excess of, or expend more than, Twenty-five Thousand Dollars ($25,000.00) in any rate proceeding before said Commission. No such expenditures by a public utility in excess of said Twenty-five Thousand Dollars ($25,000.00) may be considered by the Commission in the fixing of rates for such public utility."

Senator Baynard moved the adoption of the amendment.

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

Senator Baynard also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 26:

In Section 11 (typewritten bill), strike the period at the end of Section and add the following: ; provided, however, where any public utility has by contract or otherwise agreed to pay any municipality in this State a franchise tax for the privilege of operating and doing business in said municipality, said utility shall pay to each of said municipalities in which it is operating and doing business in this State the same franchise tax, and where there is a differential in the amount of the franchise tax agreed to be paid to one or more municipalities by said utility, the highest franchise tax agreed to be paid to any one municipality by said utility shall be paid to all municipalities after the effective date of this Act.

Senator Baynard moved the adoption of the amendment.

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

Senators Leaird and Gautier (13th) offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 26:

Add Section 13-A to read as follows: "13-A. No provision of this Act shall in any way affect any municipal tax or franchise tax in any manner whatsoever."

Senator Leaird moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Public Utilities offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 26:

At the beginning of the 3rd line in the title, strike out the words: "and Electric and" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or".

Senator McArthur moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 26, 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. 26, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 26, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Ayers	Clarke	Lindler	Rogells
Baker	Crary	McArthur	Sanchez
Baynard	Franklin	Moore	Shands
Beall	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Shivers
Boyle	Johns	Pearce	Tucker
Brackin	King	Pope	Wright
Branch	Leaird	Ripley	
Carroll	Lewis	Rodgers	

Nays—4.

Mr. President	Gautier (13th)	Johnson	Smith

So House Bill No. 26 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

PAIRING

The following Pair was announced by the Secretary:

I am paired with Senator Davis on the passage of House Bill No. 26; if he were present he would vote "No" and I would vote "Aye."

LeRoy Collins,
Senator 8th District.

EXPLANATION OF VOTE

The following Explanation of Vote was filed with the Secretary:

While I do not feel that House Bill No. 26 gives the public the proper protection but favors the utilities, I am committed to State regulation and, therefore, vote for this bill as I think it is a step in the right direction.

HENRY S. BAYNARD,
Senator, 11th District.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 2:06 o'clock P. M., until 11:00 o'clock A. M., Monday, April 30, 1951.