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The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A.M., pursuant to adjournment on Saturday, May 23, 1953.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

—37.

A quorum present.

Senator Branch was excused from attendance upon the session.

Prayer was offered by the Senate Chaplain, Reverend W. E. Hall.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Senate daily Journal of Saturday, May 23, 1953, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

ENGROSSING REPORTS

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with Senate amendments, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 229—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring it unlawful to sell, offer for sale, negotiate, provide, or arrange for the transportation of a person or persons on an individual fare basis over the public highways of the State, or to advertise or hold oneself out as doing any of such acts, unless such transportation is to be furnished or provided solely by, and such sale is authorized by, a carrier holding a certificate of public convenience and necessity or other permit from the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission or a permit from the Interstate Commerce Commission authorizing the holder of such certificate or permit to provide such transportation; providing certain exceptions; prescribing certain penalties for violating this Act; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing the effective date of this Act.

—begs leave to report that the Senate amendments have been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 229, contained in the above report was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with House amendments, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 442—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 239.19, 239.22, 239.23, 239.24, 239.38, 239.41, 239.42, 239.43 and 239.44, Florida Statutes, relating to scholarships in the institutions of higher learning of the State; the qualifications of applicants; value of scholarships; procedure for issuance of scholarships; and execution of notes by and collection or satisfaction of such notes by certain scholarship holders under certain conditions.

—begs leave to report that the House amendments have been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 442, contained in the above report was referred to the Secretary of the Senate, as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk of the Senate, for enrolling

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with House amendment, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 755—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to franchises for garbage and waste collection and disposal heretofore granted by the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, pursuant to authority conferred upon said county by Chapter 27610, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1951; providing that the provisions hereof shall apply only where the boundaries of the districts within which such franchises are applicable now lie within the corporate limits of the City of Tampa; providing that all the powers, authority, rights, benefits and duties now vested in, conferred upon, exercised or enjoyed by the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, in said Special Act, insofar as the same relate to the aforesaid franchises, shall be vested in, exercised by, carried out, performed and enjoyed by the City of Tampa, a municipal corporation, of Hillsborough County, Florida; authorizing the City of Tampa to negotiate and enter into such contracts or agreements with the licensees under said franchises providing for the assumption and payment by the City of Tampa of charges for the collection and disposal of garbage and waste in the districts embraced in said franchises, as shall be mutually satisfactory; and providing the effect of this Act.

—begs leave to report that the House amendment has been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 755, contained in the above report was referred to the Secretary of the Senate, as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk of the Senate, for enrolling.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MEMORIALS, BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

By Senator Connor—

S. B. No. 935—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the sale and issuance of a three day nonresident fishing license to be issued for fishing in Citrus County.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 935 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 Connor moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 935 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 935 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 935 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. 935 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 935 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 935 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 936—A bill to be entitled An Act designating the city jails in all incorporated towns and cities in Volusia County, Florida, as the county common jail for the imprisonment of county prisoners and authorizing the Sheriff of Volusia County, Florida, and his deputies to place in said town or city jails any and all persons arrested by said sheriff and his deputies and authorizing the payment by said sheriff and his deputies of any cost incurred in connection therewith not to exceed \$1.25 per day per prisoner, provided, however, nothing therein contained shall make the sheriff responsible for any prisoner not placed in said jails by said sheriff or his deputies.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 936 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 Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 936 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 936 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 936 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. 936 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 936 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 936 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 937—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the closing of all county offices in the County Court House and Court House annexes of Volusia County, Florida, from each Friday at midnight to the following Monday morning except in cases of emergency and cases of necessity as may be directed by any official in charge of a particular office.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 937 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 unanimous consent Senator Gautier (28th) withdrew Senate Bill No. 937

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 938—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, where any municipality in said county has adopted the county's permanent registration system for use in its municipal elections and, if it is impracticable in certain instances to conform the State and county precinct boundaries with the wards or districts of the said municipality, in the opinion and judgment of said Board of County Commissioners and the Supervisor of Registration of said county by resolution to direct the said Supervisor of Registration to prepare and furnish said municipality with registration certificates of the electors residing in such wards or districts of said municipality for use in its municipal elections and authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, by resolution to fix the time when the county's permanent registration shall be effective for use in the municipal elections after the same has been adopted by a municipality.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 938 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 Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 938 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 938 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 938 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. 938 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 938 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 938 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 939—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to reg-

ulation of traffic, signs and markers by the State Road Department upon state roads within limits of municipalities and amending Sub-section (5) of Section 341.64, Florida Statutes.

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

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 940—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and ratifying the purchase, remodeling, establishment, furnishing, maintenance and repair by the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, of Auxiliary Court chambers, library and witness rooms for the Circuit Court judges, the county judge, the judge of the small claims' court and any other court of county-wide jurisdiction, and the officers thereof, located at the southwest corner of Riverside Drive and Second Street in the city of Holly Hill, Florida, and the employment of a secretary or secretaries for said circuit judges, and custodians and janitors for the care of said premises.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of Publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 940 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 Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 940 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 940 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 940 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. 940 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 940 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 940 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Leaird, President Pro Tempore, presiding.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 941—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 an additional beverage license.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 941 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 941 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further

waived and Senate Bill No. 941 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. 941 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 941 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 941 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 942—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 14,635, Laws of Florida, Extra-ordinary Session of 1929 entitled "An Act defining, validating and confirming the territorial boundary lines of the Halifax Special Road and Bridge District in Volusia County, Florida, as originally created by vote of the people taken under the General Laws of this State relating to the creation of road and bridge districts in this State and validating and legalizing all acts and proceedings had in the creation of said district and validating and legalizing all acts and proceedings done and performed by the bond trustees of such district" by adding thereto Section I-A, reducing the district-wide special road and bridge district tax levy in said Halifax Special Road and Bridge District for the repair and maintenance of the roads and bridges within said district from ten mills on the dollar to four mills on the dollar for the repair and maintenance of roads and bridges in said Halifax Special Road and Bridge District and providing that one-third of the proceeds of said district-wide four mill special road and bridge district tax levy in said district shall be expended by the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, in each of the sub-districts of said Halifax Special Road and Bridge District created by said Act for the repair and maintenance of the roads and bridges within each of said sub-districts of the Halifax Special Road and Bridge District, and by adding thereto Section II-A, dividing said Halifax Special Road and Bridge District in Volusia County, Florida, into three sub-districts and providing for a special tax levy in each of said sub-districts for the repair and maintenance of roads and bridges within each of said sub-districts not to exceed six mills on the dollar in each of said sub-districts and by adding thereto Section III-A providing that all of said tax levy shall be made upon all of the taxable property, including homesteads, as now provided by law, and providing that in the event any section, paragraph or sentence of said act shall be held unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, then the entire act shall be void and of no effect whatsoever and providing when said act shall take effect.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 942 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 Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 942 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 942 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further

waived and Senate Bill No. 942 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. 942 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 942 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 942 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 943—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Lloyd T. Everett.

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

By Senator Leaird—

S. B. No. 944—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the integration of territory into the City of Oakland Park, which territory is adjacent to the city limits of the City of Oakland Park as they now or may hereafter exist; providing for the procedure to be followed in order to integrate such territory; providing for the extension of municipal services into such integrated territory; providing for the participation of the residents of such integrated area in the government of the City of Oakland Park; providing for the extension of the corporate limits of the City of Oakland Park, and for the powers, duties and jurisdiction of the municipal government in the territory within such limits as extended; providing for a referendum election within said city for the approval or disapproval of this Act; and for an effective date hereof.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator King, on behalf of Senator Leaird who was presiding, moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 944 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 944 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 944 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. 944 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 944 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 944 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 945—A bill to be entitled An Act to validate all proceedings heretofore taken by the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County relative to the construction of the new jail and the construction of additions to and the repairing of the court house in said County; to validate court house and jail certificates of said County dated May 1, 1953, and to validate the building tax levied by the Board of County Commissioners pursuant to the authority of Section 135.01, Florida Statutes.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 945 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 945 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 945 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 945 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. 945 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 945 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 945 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 946—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 27055, Laws of Florida, 1951, providing for the payment by the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, of the necessary expenses for the operation of the small claims court for said county in an amount not to exceed \$3,000.00 from the general fund of said county: providing that the plaintiff shall deposit \$5.00 costs when he files his claim except the proceedings of garnishment, attachment, replevin and distress which costs shall be \$7.50.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 946 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 946 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 946 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. 946 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 946 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 946 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 947—A bill to be entitled An Act to create a commission and authorize the appointment of a commissioner to assist the judge of the court of record of Escambia County, Florida, in the performance of his duties, prescribing the powers and duties thereof and providing for the compensation of such commissioner.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 947 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 947 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 947 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. 947 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 947 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 947 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 948—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, Florida, as the governing authority of said Pinellas County, to acquire and hold title to land for park and parkway purposes which may be acquired by said board for the County of Pinellas, Florida; to provide for the acquisition of said lands and parkways by condemnation, the right and power of eminent domain being vested in said board for said purposes; declaring parks and parkway purposes to be a public county purpose.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 948 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 Houghton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 948 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 948 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 948 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. 948 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 948 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 948 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Rodgers—

S. B. No. 949—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing county commissioners to issue permits for discharging firearms within three hundred yards of public highways or adjacent premises in all counties of this state having a population of not less than one hundred thirteen thousand (113,000) and not more than one hundred twenty thousand (120,000) inhabitants according to the latest official census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 949 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 949 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 949 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. 949 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 949 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 949 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Black—

S. B. No. 950—A bill to be entitled An Act defining the meaning of the word "Livestock" prohibiting the owner or person having the custody and control of certain livestock from permitting and requiring them to prevent the running at large of livestock within any portion of Hamilton County, Florida; providing for impounding of livestock found running or roaming at large in violation of this Act; providing impounding fees for the collection thereof; providing for the sale and other disposition of impounding livestock; making it a misdemeanor to allow such livestock to run or roam at large in violation of this Act; making the owners or custodian of livestock running or roaming at large in violation of this act liable in damages for all injuries and damages caused either directly or indirectly by such livestock while roaming or running at large in violation of this act and providing a lien against such livestock for damages sustained by owners of property injured or damaged by livestock while running or roaming at large in violation of this Act; authorizing and empowering county commissioners of Hamilton County to construct and maintain such fences and cattle guards and impounding facilities as they may deem necessary to facilitate the enforcement of this Act and authorizing payment of expenses therefor out of the general revenue fund of Hamilton County but providing that such fencing provision shall in no manner delay or prevent the enforcement of this Act; providing for referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 950 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 950 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 950 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. 950 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 950 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 950 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Crary—

S. B. No. 951—A bill to be entitled An Act adding an additional Section to Chapter 271, Florida Statutes, the same to be known and designated as Section 271.09, and relating to the taking of fill material from submerged lands for filling in lands as authorized by said Chapter 271.

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

By Senator Fraser—

S. B. No. 952—A bill to be entitled An Act creating a conclusive presumption of the rejection or vacation of that portion of any platted street ending upon any inland body of water and lying within one platted block of any inland body of water in any subdivision of lands lying more than five miles outside of any municipality and where such body of

water is of a total area of less than five square miles wholly situate in any county of this State having a population of not less than 14,300 and not more than 14,700, and where such plat has been of record for more than twenty years next prior to March 1, 1953 and such portion of such street has remained unimproved by public authorities and unused for vehicular traffic during such twenty year period; prohibiting the expenditure of public monies, and creating a presumption of title to such portion of such street in the adjoining property owners; containing a saving clause and repealing conflicting laws.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 952 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 952 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 952 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. 952 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 952 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 952 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Fraser—

S. B. No. 953—A bill to be entitled An Act amending paragraph (2) of Section 561.20, Florida Statutes, relating to exceptions in the issuance of alcoholic beverage licenses to certain hotels and restaurants by providing how such licenses may be issued and providing that such licenses shall not be moved to a new location.

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

By Senators Connor and Johnson—

S. B. No. 954—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the widow of a county official retired under the provisions of the county officers and employees retirement system to receive fifty per cent of the benefits being received by the retired official at the time of his death, provided that they had been married for a period of thirty years or more and that said county official has died subsequent to the 1951 session of the Legislature and prior to the 1953 session of the Legislature; providing forfeiture of benefits upon remarriage; providing appropriation.

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

By Senator Connor—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 955—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to jail alai frontons, permitting the operation of same during certain summer months in counties where elections have already been held authorizing the operation of regular winter jail alai frontons and adopting certain provisions of Chapter 550 Florida Statutes relating to racing already in existence.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to

the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation and the Committee on Finance and Taxation, in the order named.

By Senator Johns—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 956:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE GIFT OF 50,000 GALLONS OF GRAPEFRUIT JUICE TO THE QUEEN OF ENGLAND.

WHEREAS, by public subscription a gift of fifty thousand (50,000) gallons of grapefruit juice is being made to Her Royal Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II of England of which the first truckload moved at 4:00 o'clock P. M., on May 22nd for shipment on the liner Queen Mary, and

WHEREAS, it is the custom for sovereign nations of the world to express their gratitude and good wishes at this royal ceremony, and

WHEREAS, the people of the State of Florida express their affectionate best wishes for a prosperous reign by divine grace, and

WHEREAS, the world is faced with a common enemy who seeks to destroy the freedoms which our people hold dear and for which our peoples fought to preserve, side by side, and

WHEREAS, God has blessed our country to be used as an instrument of His Divine Will and that a high representative of His Holy Church will crown her gracious majesty, and

WHEREAS, in consequence of the religious significance of this very sacred occasion the gift of the people of the State of Florida has been blessed by the Dean of the Diocese of South Florida, Priest of the Episcopal Church an autonomous branch of the Church of England, NOW THEREFORE

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

That this Legislature approves and favors the gift of fifty thousand (50,000) gallons of grapefruit juice to Her Royal Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II and the people of England from the people of the State of Florida. We hope that this gift from the Sunshine State will further cement a stronger brotherhood for defense and eternal peace.

Which was read the first time in full.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 956 be read the second time in full and put upon its adoption.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 956 was read the second time in full.

The question was put on the adoption of the Concurrent Resolution.

Which was agreed to and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 956 was adopted, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Bronson, as Chairman of the Committee on Population, moved that the following bills be recalled from the Committee on Population and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading: Senate Bill No. 919; and House Bills Nos. 1151, 1455, 1358, 1396, 1395, 1391, 1400, 1401, 1409, 1348, 1426, 1436, 1445, 1441, 1413, 1411 and 1425.

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

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1190, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1190—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for permissive closing of banks, trust companies, or other banking organizations on any week day in counties having a population of not less than 27,000 nor more than 28,000 according to the last official census and providing the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1190 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1190 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1190 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. 1190 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1190 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1190 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1266, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1266—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the redistribution of all monies received by Okaloosa County, Florida, under the provisions of Chapters 550 and 551, Florida Statutes, relating to race tracks and jai alai frontons; repealing Chapter 27273, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951; and fixing the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1266 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1266 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1266 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. 1266 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1266 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1266 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1203, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1203—A bill to be entitled An Act validating and confirming overpayments of compensation to members of the board of public instruction in counties having a population of not less than 27,000 and not more than 28,000 according to the last official census, and providing the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1203 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1203 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1203 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. 1203 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1203 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1203 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1278, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1278—A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 24019, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1947, providing for the registration of all voters for primary and general elections to be held in the year 1948 in all counties having a population of not less than 16,000 and not more than 16,200 according to the 1945 State census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1278 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1278 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1278 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. 1278 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1278 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Clarke	Floyd	Johnson
Baker	Collins	Franklin	King
Beall	Connor	Fraser	Leaird
Black	Crary	Gautier (28th)	Lewis
Boyle	Davis	Gautier (13th)	Lindler
Bronson	Dayton	Hodges	McArthur
Carlton	Douglas	Houghton	Melvin

Morrow	Ripley	Shands
Pearce	Rodgers	Sturgis
Pope	Rogells	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1278 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1277, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1277—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 26395, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, prescribing compensation of members of the board of public instruction in counties having a population of not less than 15,600 and not more than 16,175 according to the last state census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1277 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1277 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1277 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. 1277 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1277 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1277 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1274, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1274—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 26367, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, authorizing payment of compensation to supervisor of registration for services in re-registration of voters in counties having a population of not less than 15,540 and not more than 16,220 according to the last regular preceding state census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1274 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1274 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1274 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. 1274 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1274 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1274 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1279, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1279—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 24058, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1947, relating to compensation of supervisors of registration in counties of not less than 16,100 and not more than 16,200 according to the last state census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1279 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1279 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1279 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. 1279 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1279 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1279 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1280, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1280—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 25555, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, authorizing construction and operation of stadium and athletic field at county seat in counties having a population of not less than 16,150 and not more than 16,200 according to the last state census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1280 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1280 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1280 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. 1280 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1280 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1280 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1275, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1275—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 25165, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, fixing compensation of members of Board of County Commissioners in counties having a population of not less than 16,000 and not more than 16,200 according to the official state census of 1945.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1275 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1275 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1275 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. 1275 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1275 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1275 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1276, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1276—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 19660, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, authorizing establishment of private game preserves in counties of not

less than 11,650 and not more than 11,680 according to the last state census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1276 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1276 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1276 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. 1276 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1276 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1276 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1506, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1506—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Okaloosa County, Florida; providing for the distribution of all road and bridge funds in said county; repealing laws in conflict herewith; and providing effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1506 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1506 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1506 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. 1506 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1506 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1506 passed, title as stated, and the action

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

Senator Black asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 921, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 921—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Town of Mayo, Lafayette County, Florida; amending Section 18 of Chapter 23399, Laws of Florida, 1945; by changing qualifications of electors, prescribing qualifications to conform to requirements of state and county electors.

Was taken up.

Senator Black moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 921 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 921 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Black offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 921:

At the end of (typewritten bill) add the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective only after the same shall have been ratified by a majority of the duly qualified electors of the Town of Mayo qualified to vote for Town Councilmen, which said election shall be held on the 2nd day of November, 1953 after due notice thereof pursuant to the Charter and Ordinance of said town."

Senator Black moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Black also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 921:

At the end of the title in (typewritten bill) change the period to a comma and add the following: "and providing a referendum therefor."

Senator Black moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Black moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 921, 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. 921, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 921, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 921 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Fraser asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1300, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1300—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing employment of clerical assistance by county tax assessors and county tax collectors of all counties having more than 6,200 and less than 6,400 inhabitants according to the most recent

official census; authorizing compensation for such clerical assistance from the county general fund; repealing Chapter 26649, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951; setting an effective date.

Was taken up.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1300 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1300 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1300 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. 1300 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1300 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1300 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Fraser asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1301, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1301—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing equalization of the official income of county tax collectors in all counties having not less than six thousand two hundred (6,200) and not more than six thousand four hundred (6,400) inhabitants, according to the most recent census; designating the fund from which to be paid; requiring that the sum of all equalization payments in any year shall be deducted from the maximum compensation allowed such tax collectors by existing law; fixing an effective date.

Was taken up.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1301 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1301 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1301 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. 1301 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1301 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Hodges	Morrow
Beall	Davis	Houghton	Pearce
Black	Dayton	Johnson	Pope
Boyle	Douglas	King	Ripley
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Rodgers
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rogells
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Shands
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1301 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Fraser asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1395, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1395—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the boards of county commissioners of all counties having more than 6,200 and less than 6,400 inhabitants; according to the most recent official census to employ a deputy clerk for the circuit court in such counties, to be paid from the county general fund; fixing maximum compensation for such clerk; repealing Chapter 22955, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1945; fixing an effective date.

Was taken up.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1395 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1395 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1395 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. 1395 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1395 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1395 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Fraser asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1396, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1396—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the boards of county commissioners of all counties having more than sixty-two hundred (6200) and less than sixty-four hundred (6400) inhabitants according to the most recent official census to employ a clerk of the county judge's court, to be paid from the county fine and forfeiture fund; fixing maximum compensation for the clerk; repealing Chapter 24195, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1947; fixing an effective date.

Was taken up.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1396 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1396 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1396 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. 1396 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1396 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1396 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Fraser asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1242, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1242—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 25572, Laws of Florida, 1949, relating to compensation of circuit court clerks in all counties having not less than six thousand two hundred (6,200) nor more than six thousand three hundred fifty (6,350) inhabitants according to the state census of 1945.

Was taken up.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1242 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1242 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1242 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. 1242 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1242 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1242 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Fraser asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1445, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1445—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any county having more than sixty-two hundred (6200) and less than sixty-four hundred (6400) inhabitants according to the most recent official census to request, and the Florida State Improvement Commission to finance the improvement of designated state roads if one end falls at the county line and the other intersects with another state road within the county; designating the

source of moneys upon which the financing may be based; fixing an effective date.

Was taken up.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1445 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1445 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Fraser moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1445 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. 1445 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1445 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1445 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator King asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1346, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1346—A bill to be entitled An Act for the protection of life, health and property, directly or indirectly connected with any or all electrical installations, authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners in a county having a population of more than 120,000 and less than 150,000 persons according to the last official Federal census, to adopt, amend and rescind codes of electrical trades; to appoint, inspect and charge and collect reasonable fees for permits, inspections and examinations; requiring examinations in certain cases involving electrical trades for which codes are adopted and for issuance, suspension and revocation of certificates of competency and renewals thereof, and for fees to be charged therefor; providing for appeal to the circuit court and limiting the time thereof in cases of suspensions and revocations of certificates of competency; making it unlawful to engage in business involving electrical trades for which codes are adopted or to practice such electrical trades in certain cases; providing for the appointment of electrical inspectors and electrical advisory committees to conduct examinations, make recommendations and act in an advisory capacity whenever necessary in the opinion of the Board of County Commissioners and making it a misdemeanor to violate any of the provisions of this Act or any codes, orders or resolutions promulgated pursuant thereto, providing effective date; and providing referendum.

Was taken up.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1346 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1346 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1346 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. 1346 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1346 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1346 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator King asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1481, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1481—A bill to be entitled An Act providing a maximum number of duty hours for firemen in the City of Lakeland in Polk County, Florida; providing referendum.

Was taken up.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1481 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1481 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1481 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. 1481 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1481 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1481 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following Communication from the Governor was received:

STATE OF FLORIDA
 EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
 TALLAHASSEE
 May 23, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
 President of the Senate,
 State Capitol
 Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have today approved the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable Body, Regular Session, 1953, and have caused same to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

C-Sub for
 S. B. No. 140—RELATING TO CHAIN AND OTHER RETAIL STORES.

S. B. No. 736—RELATING TO MIAMI BEACH.

Respectfully,

DAN McCARTY,
 Governor

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 23, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
 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 Melvin—

S. B. No. 541—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide an increase in the Confederate pension of William Allen Lundy.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
 Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 541, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The President presiding.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 23, 1953.

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
 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. Ballinger of Leon and Sweeny of Volusia—

H. B. No. 535—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the State Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners to inspect and certify certain hospitals and colleges.

Also—

By Mr. Cross of Alachua—

H. B. No. 586—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to proceedings for payment of alimony or support for children; amending Subsection (1) of Section 65.16, Florida Statutes, providing for attorney's fees for proceedings for custody of children.

Also—

By Mr. McFarlin of Jackson—

H. B. No. 382—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to taxes on gasoline and like products; amending Section 208.45(2), Florida Statutes, providing an exemption on certain sales to the United States, by redefining the term "exclusive use by the United States of America, its departments, agencies and instrumentalities" and providing the effective date of this Act.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 535, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

And House Bill No. 586, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B".

And House Bill No. 382, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida.

May 23, 1953

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
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. Burke of Walton—

H. B. No. 460—A bill to be entitled An Act defining for the purpose of taxation in Florida, the term "real property" to include the subsurface ownership of any right, title or interest in the mineral and oil rights under lands; fixing an effective date; repealing conflicting laws.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 460, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation and the Committee on Oil and Natural Resources, in the order named.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida.

May 23, 1953

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
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. Conner of Bradford, Saunders of Clay, Rood of Manatee, Alexander of Liberty, McAlpin of Hamilton, Crowder and Surlis of Polk, Pruitt of Jefferson and Peoples of Glades—

H. B. No. 908—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Milk Commission; amending Sections 501.02, 501.03, 501.05, 501.09; by defining dairy farmer and redefining licensee; by adjusting the composition of the Milk Commission and terms of office of members; providing for compensation for attendance at meetings; providing for appointment of and compensation of administrator; by amending rule making powers of the commission; by providing for the raising of funds through license fees and other charges for the administration of this chapter, and the collection thereof; and by providing for the expenditure of collected funds.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 908, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 908 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

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

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida.

May 23, 1953

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
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. Ballinger of Leon and Sweeny of Volusia—

H. B. No. 536—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the profession of osteopathy; amending Sections 459.06, 459.09 and 459.21, Florida Statutes; improving professional standards of osteopathic physicians and surgeons by increasing educational requirements; adding subjects for examination; increasing the compensation of members of the State Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners.

Also—

By Mr. Alexander of Liberty—

H. B. No. 863—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for redemption and cancellation of certain outstanding tax sale certificates on lands in the State of Florida in which the State of Florida has an interest, prescribing the conditions for such redemption and cancellation, and the duties of the Comptroller of the State of Florida, and of clerks of the circuit court and Boards of County Commissioners of the several counties of the State of Florida in relation thereto.

Also—

By Messrs. Bollinger and Elliott of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 1408—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 320.083, Florida Statutes, 1951, defining an "Autorama", providing for all antique automobiles displayed and exhibited in an Autorama located in this State, or used for publicity purposes in connection therewith on the roads and highways of this State, and the owner of said Autorama, complying with the State motor vehicle laws relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles, and upon paying a fee for tags and the payment of an additional fee shall be issued by the State Motor Vehicle Commissioner a distinctive license plate with such letters and numerals as shall be selected by said Autorama; and that said distinctive license plate with letters and numerals shall be in lieu of the "T" license as provided in Section 320.08, Florida Statutes.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 536, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

And House Bill No. 863, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

And House Bill No. 1408, 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. 1408 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1408 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived

and House Bill No. 1408 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. 1408 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1408 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1408 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,
May 23, 1953.

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
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 Miss Pearce of Highlands and Mr. Surlis of Polk—

H. B. No. 1032—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 45.19, Florida Statutes, relating to the abatement of actions at laws or suits in equity for failure to prosecute such actions or suits.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1032, 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. 1032 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

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

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 22, 1953.

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in and adopted Senate Amendment No. 1 as amended by the House of Representatives to—

By Mr. Andrews of Holmes—

H. B. No. 608—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the construction, equipping, maintenance, and operation of a public hospital in Holmes County for a board of trustees of such hospital and their powers and duties; authorization of the acceptance of grants and gifts as well as Federal

aid; appropriation of certain monies distributed to Holmes County under Section 550.13, Florida Statutes; authorization of the borrowing of money by such board; and making of an appropriation to the Holmes County Medical Clinic and organized high school bands as prescribed by law.

Proof of publication attached.

Which Senate Amendment reads as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1—

Strike all of Sections 1 through 11, inclusive, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. There is hereby created a public, non-profit corporation, which is hereby designated as Holmes County Hospital Corporation, for the purpose of erecting, building, equipping, maintaining, and operating at Bonifay, within said Holmes County, a public hospital designed primarily and chiefly for the benefit of the citizens and residents of Holmes County, Florida, which said hospital shall be known as the Holmes County Hospital; and authority is hereby given to said corporation to build, erect, equip and maintain and operate a public hospital at Bonifay, in Holmes County, Florida, to be known as the Holmes County Hospital, such hospital to provide for as many as 18 beds, if practicable, and the said corporation is further hereby authorized, from time to time, when practicable, to extend, enlarge and otherwise increase the size and services to be rendered the public by said hospital. The said corporation is further authorized, when rooms and services are available without injury or deprivation to the citizens and residents of Holmes County, to extend hospitalization provided for by said hospital to patients from adjoining and other counties of Florida, upon the payment of the cost of such hospitalization as may be determined by the Trustees of the hospital corporation.

Section 2. The said Holmes County Hospital Corporation shall:

(a) Have perpetual existence.

(b) Shall issue no stock, nor pay any dividends, but shall be entirely a non-profit corporation, its earnings to be placed in its reserve fund, and used for hospital purposes.

(c) The said corporation shall be governed by a Board of five (5) Trustees, who shall be directors of said corporation, and who shall be appointed and serve for the periods as hereinafter provided, such Trustees to each be a citizen and resident of Holmes County, Florida, of good character and standing. No one shall be a Trustee of said corporation who is engaged in the practice of medicine or is interested in any drug business or who holds any of the following offices, to-wit: Clerk of the Circuit Court, Sheriff, County Judge, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Tax Assessor, Tax Collector, County Commissioner, Supervisor of Registration, Member of the Board of Public Instruction, or Deputy Sheriff. All Trustees of said corporation shall be appointed by the Governor of the State of Florida. The Trustees of said corporation shall be appointed for terms of one, two, three, four and five years, respectively, for their respective first terms, and as the term of each Trustee expires, his successor shall be appointed for a full term of five (5) years. Upon the death, resignation, removal or a Trustee no longer possessing the qualifications to serve as such, his unexpired term shall be filled by appointment for the remainder of the particular Trustees' term.

(d) The said corporation may contract and be contracted with, and may sue and be sued, but said corporation shall not be liable for any negligence of any of its officers, agents or employees, including doctors, surgeons and nurses who may be engaged in work at or about said hospital, and shall not be liable for any tort committed by any officer, agent or employee of said corporation.

(e) The Trustees of said corporation shall have the complete charge and management of the building, erecting, equipping, maintenance and operation of the Holmes County Hospital which it is proposed shall be built by said corporation, and all business and property of said corporation, to the same extent and with the same general powers usually given to directors of a private corporation; and a majority of said Trustees shall at any regular or called meeting constitute a quorum; and they shall have power to adopt by-

laws, and rules and regulations for the government of the corporation and the government and management of the proposed hospital; to employ and discharge all persons who may be employed by said hospital or by said corporation, and to fix their wages and salaries; to receive and disburse for hospital purposes as herein authorized all public moneys appropriated to and paid over to the said Holmes County Hospital Corporation, and to accept gifts and donations for hospital purposes, including grants of land and donations of money and other property, and when deemed by them necessary and advisable they may sell such property as may be donated and which is not needed for hospital purposes; to employ and discharge such doctors, surgeons, nurses, internes, etc., as in their judgment may be needed for the proposed Holmes County Hospital. The said Trustees shall further have the power to prescribe the maximum charges or fees to be made to patients in said hospital by doctors, nurses, and to change and modify the same from time to time, and to determine what patients shall be admitted and what classes of diseases, injuries or ailments shall be treated or administered to at said hospital, and what classes of patients shall be admitted to said hospital as charity patients to be given surgical, medical or other treatment without charge to the patient, and to determine the order of priority of certain classes of patients to charity or free hospitalization; provided, however, that all cases of acute appendicitis, acute hernia, and personal injuries requiring immediate surgical attention or emergency medical treatment, when the patients are citizens and residents of Holmes County, shall be admitted to said hospital and given hospital treatment, including surgical, medical and nursing care and attention without any fee or charge being required to be paid in advance, and those patients who are themselves unable financially, or who belong to families who are financially unable to pay for such hospitalization shall be given such hospitalization free of charge. The said Trustees shall have the further power to establish such reasonable charges to be made to patients or their families or to persons legally responsible for the treatment of such patients, with the exceptions hereinbefore provided, as the Trustees shall determine necessary and proper for the maintenance and operation of the said hospital, and for the accomplishment of the maximum good to the people of Holmes County in hospitalization; and the said hospital corporation shall have power to sue for and collect all amounts which may reasonably be charged to patients, or others responsible for them.

Section 3. The said Trustees shall give bond for the faithful handling and accounting of all moneys received by them for said corporation, and for the lawful disbursement thereof, in a sum or sums sufficient to indemnify the said Holmes County Hospital Corporation against all losses, such bond or bonds to be made payable to the Holmes County Hospital Corporation, and the premiums for said bonds to be paid as a hospital expense. Should the Trustees elect one of their number as Treasurer for said hospital, in which event the said Treasurer shall receive and disburse all hospital moneys belonging to said Holmes County Hospital Corporation, on the order of the Board of Trustees, then and in that event the said Treasurer shall give the bond aforesaid. The amount of said bond, and the sufficiency thereof, shall be determined by the Comptroller of the State of Florida in all events.

Section 4. The said Trustees shall serve the said corporation without compensation, but they shall be reimbursed for their reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in attending the affairs and business of said corporation.

Section 5. The said Holmes County Hospital shall be open to all schools of medicine and surgery which are recognized and licensed to practice in the State by the laws of the State of Florida, and no duly licensed practitioner of medicine or of surgery, licensed by the laws of the State of Florida, shall be denied admission to or the right to practice on any patient admitted to said hospital when requested by said patient or another in authority representing such patient, such persons so requesting him assuming responsibility for the compensation of such practitioner, and the expenses incidental to his practice, provided the practitioner be himself duly licensed by the laws of the State of Florida to engage in the practice undertaken; provided, however, that the Board of Trustees shall have the right and power to select, or designate, the class of surgeons or doctors who shall perform operations

and/or administer medical treatment to all patients who are treated and cared for as charity patients, in whole or in part.

Section 6. During each fiscal year, after the aggregate sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) accruing to the credit of Holmes County, Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, and Chapter 550.13, Florida Statutes, and all laws supplemental or amendatory thereto, has been distributed within Holmes County, Florida, in compliance with the provisions of Chapter 24237, Laws of Florida Acts of 1947, and Chapter 27085, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951, all further moneys accruing to the credit of Holmes County, Florida, under the provisions of said Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, and Chapter 550.13, Florida Statutes, and all laws supplemental or amendatory thereto, shall during each fiscal year be paid to the said Holmes County Hospital Corporation, and by said corporation used for the purposes for which said corporation is herein created.

Section 7. Authority is hereby granted to the said Holmes County Hospital Corporation to erect, equip, maintain and operate the said Holmes County Hospital with funds appropriated for hospital purposes by the provisions of this Act, and such other funds as said corporation may receive from any other source; and the said hospital corporation shall be and hereby is authorized to enter into a contract or agreement with any State or Federal agency for the erection of said hospital, whether said agreement or contract be under the provisions of the Hill-Burton Act of the Federal Government, or some other legislation, and said corporation is further authorized to use so much of the funds appropriated and allocated to the said Holmes County Hospital Corporation by the provisions of this Act as may be necessary to pay the sponsor's contribution, if said hospital be built under the provisions of some State or Federal program whereby financial contributions are made by said governmental agency to said construction.

Section 8. The Trustees of said Holmes County Hospital Corporation are hereby authorized to borrow sufficient funds to commence planning and immediate construction of the said Holmes County Hospital, and for the purpose of evidencing said loan to issue its certificates of indebtedness and to pledge as security for the payment thereof the monies appropriated by Section 6 of this Act, provided, however, that said pledge of future revenues shall not run for a period of time greater than six years and shall not pledge more than the monies received by said corporation for the then next five consecutive fiscal years. Said certificates of indebtedness shall be sold by said corporation only at a public sale, and there sold only to the bidder offering the most attractive interest rate for the same.

Section 9. The Trustees of said Holmes County Hospital Corporation may elect one of their number as Chairman of the Board of Trustees, or as President of the hospital corporation, and such Chairman or President shall exercise such powers with respect to the affairs of the corporation as may be given him by the Board of Trustees.

Section 10. All property which may be acquired or owned by the said Holmes County Hospital Corporation shall be exempt from taxation of every kind.

Section 11. This Act shall take effect upon its becoming a law.

Section 12. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

Section 13. If any part, section, paragraph or provision of this Act should be held unconstitutional, it shall not affect the constitutionality of the remainder of this Act, it being hereby declared to be the express legislative intent that any such unconstitutional part, section, paragraph or provision of this Act did not induce its passage and that without the inclusion of such unconstitutional part or parts of this Act, the Legislature would have enacted the valid and constitutional portions thereof.

And House Amendments to Senate Amendment No. 1 read as follows:

House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Amendment No. 1:

In Section 2, paragraph C, of the amendment, strike out the

words: "No one shall be a trustee of said corporation who is engaged in the practice of medicine or is interested in any drug business or who holds any of the following offices, to-wit: clerk of the circuit court, sheriff, county judge, superintendent of public instruction, tax assessor, tax collector, county commissioner, supervisor of registration, member of the board of public instruction, or deputy sheriff." and insert the following in lieu thereof: "The following persons shall comprise the first board of trustees: P. S. Kelly, Clyde R. Brown, L. H. Paul, M. D., B. W. Saunders, J. A. Cornelison."

House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Amendment No. 1—

In Section 5, of the amendment, strike out all of the section and insert the following in lieu thereof:

Section 5. In the management of such hospital no discrimination shall be made against any medical doctors, commonly known as M. D.'s, duly licensed to practice materia medica in the State of Florida, and all such regular medical doctors shall have equal privileges in treating patients in said hospital. The patient shall have the right to employ at his or her own expense, his or her own medical doctor, and when acting for any patient in such hospital, the medical doctor employed by such patient shall have exclusive charge of the care and treatment of such patient, and nurses therein as to such patient to be subject to the direction of said medical doctor, subject always to such general rules and regulations as shall be established by the Board of Trustees under the provisions of this Act. The said Board of Trustees shall organize a staff of medical doctors composed of every practicing medical doctor in the County in which said hospital is located and each such medical doctor shall hold his position on said staff so long as he complies with the rules and regulations laid down by the Board of Hospital Trustees, and it shall be the duty of the said staff to organize in a manner prescribed by the said Board so that there shall be a rotation of service among the members of said staff to give proper medical and surgical attention to the indigent sick, injured or maimed who may be admitted to the said hospital for treatment and no member of said staff, nor any other medical doctor who attends such indigent patient shall receive any compensation for his services.

House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Amendment No. 1—

In Section 6 of the amendment strike out all of section and insert the following in lieu thereof:

Section 6. All funds distributed to Holmes County from racing and other taxes as provided by section 550.13, Florida Statutes, for the fiscal year, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957 shall be deposited by the Comptroller and State Treasurer to the credit of the Holmes County Hospital Board of Trustees, who shall disburse such monies solely for the purposes herein set forth. Provided, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) of said funds shall be distributed by the Trustees to the Holmes County Medical Clinic, one thousand dollars (\$1,000) to the organized bands as prescribed by law and thirty seven thousand and five hundred dollars (\$37,500.00) to the Board of Public Instruction of Holmes County from the proceeds of race track taxes distributed to Holmes County. After the initial appropriation for the fiscal years 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957 there is hereby appropriated the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) per annum from the funds allocated to Holmes County under authority of Section 550.13, Florida Statutes, which shall constitute a reserve fund for the maintenance and operation of said hospital.

And respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

And the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 608, which amendment reads as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 2—

Strike all of the Title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the establishment of a public hospital in Holmes County, Florida and creating the Holmes County Hospital Corporation to provide for the building, maintenance and operation of said public hospital; to

provide for the appointment of Trustees for said hospital corporation and to fix their powers and duties; appropriation of certain monies distributed to Holmes County under the provisions of Chapter 550.13, Florida Statutes; authorizing the borrowing of money by said Trustees; authorizing the acceptance of aid in constructing and maintaining such hospital."

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 608, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with Senate amendments Nos. 1 and 2, and House amendments to Senate amendment No. 1.

Senator Douglas moved that the Senate do not concur in House amendment No. 1 to Senate amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 608.

Which was agreed to and the Senate refused to concur in House amendment No. 1 to Senate amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 608.

Senator Douglas moved that the Senate do not concur in House amendment No. 2 to Senate amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 608.

Which was agreed to and the Senate refused to concur in House amendment No. 2 to Senate amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 608.

Senator Douglas moved that the Senate do not concur in House amendment No. 3 to Senate amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 608.

Which was agreed to and the Senate refused to concur in House amendment No. 3 to Senate amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 608.

Senator Douglas moved that the House of Representatives be requested to recede from House amendments Nos. 1, 2 and 3 to Senate amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 608.

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

SPECIAL AND CONTINUING ORDER

Pursuant to the motion made by Senator King on May 23, 1953, and the hour having arrived, the Senate took up for consideration Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397 as a Special and Continuing Order of Business.

Committee Substitute for H. B. No. 397—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsections (2), (8), (10) and (12) of Section 550.16 and Subsection (1) of Section 550.26, Florida Statutes, relating to pari-mutuel pools at dog race tracks and horse race tracks; by levying on every licensee conducting dog races, another additional tax on the total contributions to pari-mutuel pools conducted and made each day on dog racing, which said tax includes the three per cent pari-mutuel tax provided by Section 550.09, Florida Statutes, and the two per cent "Old Age Assistance Tax" provided by Section 550.16, Florida Statutes, and is levied on a graduated scale in accordance with a schedule set forth in this Act; by providing that dog racing at "matinees" and dog racing at night shall be considered and taxed separately in regard to the tax hereby levied; by providing that sixty per cent of the additional tax hereby levied shall be distributed equally among the sixty-seven counties of this State in the same manner that said three per cent tax is distributed to such counties, and that forty per cent of said tax shall be deposited in the "Old Age Assistance Tax Fund"; by prescribing the taxes that shall be included in the maximum commission of licensees on a pari-mutuel pool on dog racing; by providing when and where the tax hereby levied shall be paid; and by increasing the tax, herein described and known as the "breaks tax", on pari-mutuel pools at dog race tracks in order to make the "breaks tax" at dog tracks conform with the "breaks tax" levied on such pools at horse race tracks.

Was taken up.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397:

In Section 2, (typewritten bill) strike out all of Section 2.

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation also offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397:

In Section 3, line 1, (typewritten bill) strike out all of Section 3. and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall take effect July 1, 1953."

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation also offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397:

In Title, lines 2 and 3, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "and Subsection (1) of Section 550.26"

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation also offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397:

In Title, lines 33 to 39, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "; and by increasing the tax, herein described and known as the "breaks tax", on pari-mutuel pools at dog race tracks in order to make the "breaks tax" at dog tracks conform with the "breaks tax" levied on such pools at horse race tracks." and insert in lieu thereof the following: a period.

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator McArthur offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397:

In Section 1, Sub-section 8, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "\$2,500 plus 8% of excess over \$50,000." and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$2,500 plus 6½% of excess over \$50,000."

Senator McArthur moved the adoption of the amendment.

A roll call was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator McArthur to Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397, the vote was:

Yeas—14.

Mr. President	Clarke	Houghton	McArthur
Baker	Dayton	Johnson	Shands
Beall	Floyd	Lewis	
Boyle	Hodges	Lindler	

Nays—23.

Black	Davis	King	Ripley
Bronson	Douglas	Leaird	Rodgers
Carlton	Franklin	Melvin	Rogells
Collins	Fraser	Morrow	Sturgis
Connor	Gautier (28th)	Pearce	Tapper
Crary	Gautier (13th)	Pope	

So the amendment failed of adoption.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 397 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Boyle requested that Senate Bill No. 490 be recalled from the Committee on Labor and Industry, having been in said Committee more than ten days, and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

And it was so ordered, under the rules.

Senator Franklin moved that Senate Bill No. 782 be recommitted to the Committee on Corporations.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

SPECIAL AND CONTINUING ORDER

Pursuant to the motion made by Senator Connor on May 23, 1953, and the hour having arrived, the Senate took up for consideration House Bill No. 1089 as a Special and Continuing Order of Business.

H. B. No. 1089—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the conservation of natural resources in the salt waters of the State of Florida; repealing Chapters 373, 374, and 375 and all sections from and including 371.02 through and including Section 371.31, Florida Statutes, relating to such salt water natural resources; enacting a new Chapter 370 relating to such resources; providing for penalties and appropriations.

Was taken up.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1089 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1089 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 6(1), line 3 and following, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: ". . . "that ply in or operate in" . . . and insert in lieu thereof the following: ". . . equipped to take salt water products from . . ."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 2 (7)(b), line 23 (typewritten bill) strike out the words: ". . . for 50% of the value thereof . . ." and insert in lieu thereof the following: ". . . for one dollar (\$1.00) . . ."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 6(6), line 5 and following, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "as a condition precedent the appli-

cant for such license shall secure a certificate from the county judge as to his place of residence." and insert in lieu thereof the following: "provided that this tax shall not apply to employees or crewmen who take but do not sell salt water products."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 7 (5), lines 8 and 9, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "... or any Conservation Agent ..."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 11(2), line 14 and following, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "... catfish, rough, ten inches from end of nose to fork of tail; crappie, or speckled perch, rough, eight inches from end of nose to fork of tail; bream, six inches from end of nose to fork of tail; ..."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Pending further consideration of House Bill No. 1089, as amended, Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and the time of adjournment be extended until final roll call on House Bill No. 1089, as amended.

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

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 11(2), line 19, (typewritten bill) strike out the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: a comma followed by the words "... provided that not more than ten per cent by weight of fish possessed, may be less than the aforesaid size limits."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 11 (5) (a) (typewritten bill) strike out all following the paragraph letter (a) and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"It is unlawful for any person, firm or corporation after five days from the beginning of the closed season, to receive, possess or have in his possession any fresh or freshly salted, frozen or cured mullet or mullet roe. Provided that the Board of Conservation shall establish by regulation a permit or permits to be issued by the Director of Conservation for the purpose of permitting the storage or transportation of frozen mullet in possession at the beginning of said closed season."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 13 (1), line 5 (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "... 1st day of April and the 15th day of August ... " and insert in lieu thereof the following: "... 15th day of April and the 15th day of October ... "

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 13 (2), line 1 and following, (typewritten bill) strike out the Subsection 13 (2) from and including the number two.

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 16, (typewritten bill) insert the following: After Sub Part 38 in Subsection 16 insert the following as an additional Sub Part:

"(38) Division of oyster culture within the state board of conservation.—There is hereby created a division of the state board of conservation which shall be designated as the division of oyster culture to be administered by a director to be employed by the board, and who shall serve under the supervision of the supervisor of conservation. The director of the division of oyster culture shall be an experienced, qualified and recognized aquatic biologist. The duties of the director, division of oyster culture, shall be to protect all oyster beds, oyster grounds and oyster reefs from damage or destruction resulting from improper cultivation, propagation, planting or harvesting; to control the pollution of the waters over or surrounding oyster grounds, beds or reefs, and to this end the state board of health is hereby authorized and directed to lend its cooperation to the director, to make available to him its laboratory testing facilities and apparatus, and to do and perform all acts and things within its power and authority necessary to the performance of his duties."

Senator Floyd moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Pending further amendment of House Bill No. 1089, Senator King moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which was agreed to and the Senate recessed at 1:02 o'clock P.M., until 2:00 o'clock P.M., pursuant to the Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar adopted by the Senate on May 21, 1953.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 2:00 o'clock P.M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	Crary	Johnson	Pope
Baker	Davis	King	Ripley
Beall	Douglas	Leaird	Rodgers
Black	Floyd	Lewis	Rogells
Boyle	Franklin	Lindler	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Clarke	Hodges	Morrow	
Connor	Houghton	Pearce	

—34.

A quorum present.

Senator Branch was excused from attendance upon the session.

Senators Collins, Dayton and Fraser, Conference managers on the part of the Senate, were excused from attendance upon the session in order to attend a meeting of the Conference Committee on the Appropriations Bill.

By permission the following Reports of Committees were received:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Leaird, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 850—A bill to be entitled An Act permitting county Boards of Public Instruction in the State of Florida to secure and keep in force insurance covering liability for property damage or bodily injury or death resulting therefrom to all persons and property by reason of the ownership, maintenance, operation or use of any motor vehicle being used for and in the interest of its public schools or

in the furtherance of a public school activity; and providing further that it shall be part of any policy contract issued pursuant hereto between the insurance company and the named insured that the insurance company shall not be entitled to the benefit of the defense of governmental immunity of the named insured by the reason of the reasonable exercising of a governmental function of any suit brought against the insured but the insured to waive its immunity against liability to the extent of the liability insurance carried by such school board.

—and recommends that the same pass.

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

Senator Melvin, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 661—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the registration and certification of all persons engaged in inspectional duties in the field of environmental sanitation relative to the public health; providing for the appointment of a Sanitarian's Registration Advisory Board; providing for the formulation by rule of minimum standards and qualifications for sanitarians and provisions for examinations and certification; providing for examination and certification fees and for annual dues and further providing for a penalty and revocation of license for violations of this chapter.

—and recommends that the same pass.

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

Senator Leaird, Chairman of the Committee on Education, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

H. B. No. 239—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 235.33, Florida Statutes, relating to the percentage of contract prices to be retained until final inspection and acceptance on contracts for construction of school buildings.

H. B. No. 895—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to schools; amending Section 236.07, Florida Statutes, by adding Subsection (10) to provide for the continuance in Rank III of teachers holding certain types of certificates issued prior to October 1, 1939.

H. B. No. 272—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to schools; amending Section 242.05(2), Florida Statutes, relating to the minimum foundation program fund, by revising the index of taxpaying ability formula so that property reassessments will not influence the amount of State funds received for public schools and providing for the proportionate reduction of State Foundation Program Fund in counties not meeting the required financial effort specified by Section 236.07(8), Florida Statutes.

—and recommends that they do pass.

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

ENGROSSING REPORTS

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with House amendments, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 281—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to election laws, amending Section 101.36, Florida Statutes, by providing and setting out requirements to be followed in the use of voting machines by counties which have adopted such machines; providing for the use of such machines by cities and granting authority to County Commissioners to permit such use when requested by municipalities; validating elections heretofore held in any municipality in accordance with this Act and providing the effective date of this Act.

—begs leave to report that the House amendments have been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 281, contained in the above report was referred to the Secretary of the Senate, as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk of the Senate, for enrolling.

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with House amendments, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 668—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the several Boards of County Commissioners of each county in the State of Florida having a population according to the latest official census of not less than 150,000 inhabitants nor more than 225,000 inhabitants and wherein a law library has been established and is being maintained out of the Law Library Fund provided for by Chapter 25606 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, to pay, in the sole discretion of said commissioners, out of any moneys available in the General Revenue Fund or the Fine and Forfeiture Fund a reasonable amount for the services of a librarian or librarians of said law libraries to be appointed and employed by the said Boards and declaring such expenditure to be a proper county purpose.

—begs leave to report that the House amendments have been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 668, contained in the above report was referred to the Secretary of the Senate, as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk of the Senate, for enrolling.

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with House amendments, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 811—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 15 of Chapter 8274, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1919 entitled: "An Act to legalize the City Government of Inverness, Florida, to fix the corporate limits, and to provide a common seal therefor, and to grant a charter to said municipality."

—begs leave to report that the House amendments have been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 811, contained in the above report was referred to the Secretary of the Senate, as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk of the Senate, for enrolling.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 417, which passed the Senate on May 23, 1953, be immediately certified to the House of Representatives.

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

Senator Tapper moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return House Bill No. 1098 to the Senate for further consideration.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Ripley asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1341, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1341—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of Article V of Chapter 24387, Laws of Florida, 1947, Special Acts (The Charter of the Town of Baldwin, Florida), the same being "an act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Baldwin in Duval County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the Town of Baldwin, in Duval County, Florida; to legalize and validate the ordinances of said Town of Baldwin, and official acts thereunder; and to fix and provide its territorial limits, jurisdiction, privileges, functions, and powers, and the jurisdiction and powers of its officers and to validate and confirm certain bonds to be sold by the Town of Baldwin", to provide for the granting of public

utility franchises by ordinances adopted by the town council, for the effective period of such franchises, and for terms and conditions relating thereto; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing for the effective date of this act.

Was taken up.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1341 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1341 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1341 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. 1341 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1341 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Crary	Johnson	Pope
Baker	Davis	King	Ripley
Beall	Douglas	Leaird	Rodgers
Black	Floyd	Lewis	Rogells
Boyle	Franklin	Lindler	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Clarke	Hodges	Morrow	
Connor	Houghton	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1341 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Douglas asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1025, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1025—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to all counties having a population of more than fourteen thousand three hundred and fifty (14,350) and less than sixteen thousand nine hundred (16,900) according to the latest official census; providing for compensation of the superintendent of public instruction and the members of the board of public instruction of such counties.

Was taken up.

Senator Douglas moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1025 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1025 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Douglas moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1025 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. 1025 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1025 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Crary	Johnson	Pope
Baker	Davis	King	Ripley
Beall	Douglas	Leaird	Rodgers
Black	Floyd	Lewis	Rogells
Boyle	Franklin	Lindler	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Clarke	Hodges	Morrow	
Connor	Houghton	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1025 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

H. B. No. 1089—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the conservation of natural resources in the salt waters of the State of Florida; repealing Chapters 373, 374, and 375 and all sections from and including 371.02 through and including Section 371.31, Florida Statutes, relating to such salt water natural resources; enacting a new Chapter 370 relating to such resources; providing for penalties and appropriations.

Which was pending further amendment at the hour of recess, having been read the second time by title, and amended, at the morning session, this day, was taken up, as a Special and Continuing Order of Business.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 11 (5), (typewritten bill) strike out Line 5 and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Between the 10th day of December of any year and the 20th day"

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Subsection 11 (2), line 18, (typewritten bill) strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the following: Add a period follow with the words "and waters west of the Withlacoochee River to the Aucilla River eleven inches."

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Leaird, President Pro Tempore, presiding.

The Committee on Game and Fisheries also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In the title, line 7, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: ". . . and appropriations . . ."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator McArthur offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Section 3, (typewritten bill) at end of Sect. 3 add the following: "Provided, however, this shall not repeal any special Acts creating industrial areas in salt waters of Nassau County."

Senator McArthur moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ripley offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1089:

In Section 3, line 12 (typewritten bill) change period to comma and add: "nothing herein contained shall affect the pulp mills emptying refuse or waste materials into the St. Johns River in Duval County."

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1089, 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. 1089, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1089, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

Mr. President	Connor	Hodges	Morrow
Baker	Davis	Houghton	Pearce
Beall	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Boyle	Floyd	King	Rodgers
Bronson	Franklin	Leaird	Rogells
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Shands
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	Tapper

Nays—2.

Melvin Ripley

So House Bill No. 1089 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senators Collins, Dayton and Fraser resumed their seats in the Senate Chamber.

Pursuant to the motion made by Senator Bronson on May 23, 1953, and the hour having arrived, the Senate took up for consideration House Bills Nos. 418, 419, 420, 421, 451, 452, 453, 774, 909, 910 and 1114 as a Special and Continuing Order of Business.

H. B. No. 418—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Lonnie A. Davis for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Black moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 418 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 418 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 418 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. 418 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 418 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pearce
Beall	Davis	Johnson	Pope
Black	Dayton	King	Ripley
Boyle	Douglas	Leaird	Rodgers
Bronson	Franklin	Lewis	Rogells
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Shands
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	
Collins	Hodges	Melvin	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 418 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 419—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of William L. Crowe for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 419 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 419 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 419 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. 419 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 419 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Hodges	Morrow
Beall	Davis	Houghton	Pearce
Black	Dayton	Johnson	Pope
Boyle	Douglas	King	Ripley
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Rodgers
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rogells
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Shands
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 419 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 420—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Curtis Jones for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 420 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 420 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 420 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. 420 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 420 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Hodges	Morrow
Beall	Davis	Houghton	Pearce
Black	Dayton	Johnson	Pope
Boyle	Douglas	King	Ripley
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Rodgers
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rogells
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Shands
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 420 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 421—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Alvin R. Sheats for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 421 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 421 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 421 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. 421 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 421 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Morrow
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Pearce
Beall	Davis	Johnson	Pope
Black	Dayton	King	Ripley
Boyle	Douglas	Leaird	Rodgers
Bronson	Floyd	Lewis	Rogells
Carlton	Franklin	Lindler	Shands
Clarke	Fraser	McArthur	Sturgis
Collins	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 421 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 451—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Ralph Hallauer for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 451 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 451 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 451 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. 451 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 451 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Morrow
Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Black	Douglas	King	Pope
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Rogells
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 451 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 452—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. D. Gilliard for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 452 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 452 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 452 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. 452 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 452 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Black	Clarke	Crary
Baker	Bronson	Collins	Dayton
Beall	Carlton	Connor	Douglas

Floyd	Houghton	Lindler	Pope
Franklin	Johnson	McArthur	Ripley
Fraser	King	Melvin	Rodgers
Gautier (28th)	Leaird	Morrow	Rogells
Gautier (13th)	Lewis	Pearce	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 452 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 453—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Arndt Brothers for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 453 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 453 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 453 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. 453 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 453 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Morrow
Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Black	Douglas	King	Pope
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Rogells
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 453 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 774—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Minnie L. Hancock for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 774 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 774 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 774 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Morrow
Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Black	Douglas	King	Pope
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Rogells
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 774 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 909—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Andrew Bell for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 909 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 909 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 909 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. 909 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 909 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Morrow
Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Black	Douglas	King	Pope
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Rogells
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 909 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 910—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of the Florida Sausage Co., Inc. for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 910 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 910 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 910 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. 910 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 910 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Morrow
Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Black	Douglas	King	Pope
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Rogells
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 910 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected

to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 1114—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Lonnie A. Davis for the slaughter and burning of swine by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1114 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1114 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1114 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. 1114 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1114 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Morrow
Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Black	Douglas	King	Pope
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Rogells
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1114 passed, title as stated, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Johns asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 368, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 368—A bill to be entitled An Act setting the salary of the chairman and members of the State Road Department by amending Subsection (1) of Section 341.03, Florida Statutes.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 368 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 368 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 368 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. 368 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 368 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Crary	Hodges	Morrow
Baker	Davis	Houghton	Pearce
Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Ripley
Black	Douglas	King	Rodgers
Bronson	Floyd	Leaird	Rogells
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Shands
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Sturgis
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Tapper
Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	

Nays—1.

Pope

So Senate Bill No. 368 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Connor asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 412, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 412—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to short term fishing licenses for nonresidents and amending Subsection (2) of Section 372.57, Florida Statutes.

Was taken up.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 412 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 412 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 412 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. 412 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 412 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

Mr. President	Davis	Hodges	Melvin
Baker	Dayton	Houghton	Morrow
Beall	Douglas	Johnson	Pearce
Black	Floyd	Leaird	Rodgers
Clarke	Franklin	Lewis	Rogells
Connor	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Shands
Crary	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	Tapper

Nays—6.

Bronson	King	Ripley
Carlton	Pope	Sturgis

So Senate Bill No. 412 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

SPECIAL AND CONTINUING ORDER

Pursuant to the motion made by Senator King, Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, on May 21, 1953, and the hour having arrived, the Senate took up for consideration House Bills on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading as a Special and Continuing Order of Business.

House Bill No. 177 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

House Bill No. 305 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Douglas moved that House Bill No. 84 be recommended to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

H. B. No. 638—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 741.04, Florida Statutes, relating to the issuance of marriage licenses.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 638 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 638 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 638 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. 638 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 638 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Davis	Houghton	Morrow
Baker	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Black	Douglas	King	Pope
Bronson	Franklin	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Fraser	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Rogells
Collins	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	Shands
Crary	Hodges	Melvin	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 638 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Gautier (13th) withdrew Senate Bill No. 459.

House Bill No. 583 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

H. B. No. 196—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Homestead Exemptions; amending Section 192.16, Florida Statutes, relating to the filing of Homestead Exemption claims by adding Subsection (3) to provide a penalty for giving false information in said Homestead Exemption claims.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 196 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 196 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 196 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. 196 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 196 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Morrow
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Pearce
Beall	Davis	King	Pope
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Ripley
Bronson	Douglas	Lewis	Rodgers
Carlton	Franklin	Lindler	Rogells
Clarke	Fraser	McArthur	Shands
Collins	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 196 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 833—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 580.15, Florida Statutes, relating to commercial feeds and providing a reporting system.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 833 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 833 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 833 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. 833 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 833 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—29.

Mr. President	Connor	Johnson	Pope
Beall	Douglas	King	Ripley
Black	Franklin	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Fraser	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	
Clarke	Hodges	Morrow	
Collins	Houghton	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 833 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 832—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 576.07, Florida Statutes, relating to commercial fertilizer and providing a reporting system.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 832 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 832 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 832 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. 832 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 832 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—26.

Mr. President	Douglas	Leaird	Ripley
Beall	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Black	Fraser	Lindler	Rogells
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Shands
Carlton	Houghton	Morrow	Tapper
Connor	Johnson	Pearce	
Davis	King	Pope	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 832 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Black withdrew Senate Bills Nos. 471 and 472.

H. B. No. 883—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the manufacture, distribution, sale, or transportation of insecticides, fungicides, rodenticides, and other pesticides (and devices); regulating traffic therein; providing for registration and examination of such materials, imposing penalties and for other purposes.

Was taken up in its order.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Beall offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 883:

Immediately following Sub-section E of Section 7, page 14, of the typewritten form insert the following Sub-section:

"F. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to apply to any person duly licensed or certified under Chapter 482, Florida Statutes (The Florida Structural Pest Control Act) in their performing any structural pest control, or other operation

for which they are licensed or certified under said Statutes, and providing further, that licensees under Chapter 482 would not be required to register pesticides sold at retail if such pesticides are registered with the Department of Agriculture under the Florida Pesticide Act."

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

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

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

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Morrow
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Pearce
Beall	Dayton	King	Pope
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rodgers
Bronson	Franklin	Lewis	Rogells
Carlton	Fraser	Lindler	Shands
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Tapper
Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	

Nays—2.

Hodges Ripley

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

By unanimous consent Senator Black withdrew Senate Bill No. 404.

H. B. No. 330—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 72.34, Florida Statutes, 1951, relating to the adoption of an adult, whether married or single, by an adult married couple, or the survivor thereof, prescribing the jurisdiction of circuit courts with reference thereto and providing the procedure therefor.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 330 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 330 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 330 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. 330 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 330 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Baker	Douglas	King	Pope
Bronson	Franklin	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Fraser	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Rogells
Connor	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	Tapper
Crary	Hodges	Melvin	
Davis	Houghton	Morrow	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 330 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Davis moved that House Bill No. 195 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 195 was indefinitely postponed.

H. B. No. 76—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to motor fuels, definitions; amending Section 207.01, Subsection (5), Florida Statutes, defining distributor.

Was taken up in its order.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 76 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 76 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Beall	Crary	Hodges	Morrow
Black	Davis	Houghton	Pearce
Boyle	Dayton	Johnson	Pope
Bronson	Douglas	Leaird	Ripley
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Fraser	Lindler	Rogells
Collins	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Tapper

Nays—None.

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

H. B. No. 303—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to changing the names of persons, amending Section 69.02, Florida Statutes, providing for change of procedure and requiring sworn petition setting forth certain facts.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 303 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 303 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 303:

In Section 1, (typewritten bill) strike out paragraphs (2), (3) and (4), and re-number the remaining paragraphs consecutively.

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 303, 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. 303, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 303, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Crary	Johnson	Pope
Beall	Davis	King	Ripley
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rodgers
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Rogells
Bronson	Fraser	Lindler	Shands
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Sturgis
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Collins	Hodges	Morrow	
Connor	Houghton	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 303 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 39—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 741.07, Florida Statutes, relating to persons authorized to solemnize matrimony by adding a provision validating Quaker marriages.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 39 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 39 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 39 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. 39 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 39 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

Mr. President	Connor	Hodges	Morrow
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Pearce
Beall	Davis	Johnson	Pope
Boyle	Dayton	King	Ripley
Bronson	Douglas	Leaird	Rodgers
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Rogells
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 39 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1285, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1285—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the clerk of the circuit court in and for Okaloosa County, Florida, to station a deputy clerk of the circuit court in and for Okaloosa County, Florida, at such place or places as he shall designate, in the Town of Fort Walton, Florida, for the purpose of accepting for recording and filing, instruments, documents, and pleadings, providing that the stationing of the said deputy in the Town of Fort Walton shall be at the discretion of the clerk of the circuit court in and for Okaloosa County, Florida; and providing that the filing of any instrument, document or pleading with the said deputy in the Town of Fort Walton shall have the same force, effect and protection of law as if same had been filed in the circuit court in the court house at Crestview, Florida.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1285 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1285 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1285:

Strike out all of Section 3 and then re-number subsequent Section.

Senator Melvin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Melvin also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1285:

In title of bill, line 11, after the word "Florida" strike out semi-colon, insert a period, and then strike out all subsequent words in title.

Senator Melvin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1285, 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. 1285, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1285, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1285 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1164, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1164—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the County Commissioners of Okaloosa County, Florida, on behalf of Okaloosa County, to use or lease portions of Santa Rosa Island as may be owned by Okaloosa County or in which it may have a proprietary interest for purposes as the County Commissioners shall deem to be in the public interest; authorizing Okaloosa County to purchase, construct, extend, own, maintain, insure and operate, either itself or by contract with others, bridges, boats, car ferries, ports, harbors, airports, board walks, sea walls, breakwaters, bulkheads, causeways, wharves, docks, piers, yacht basins, jetties, utilities of all kinds, public ways, buildings and places of all kinds for assembly, entertainment, health, welfare and recreation of the public lodging and eating places of all kinds, transportation systems, office and store buildings, warehouses, depots, stations and all other kinds of business or commercial properties; authorizing the county commissioners to acquire, own, lease and dispose of real and personal property, to borrow money and issue negotiable revenue bonds or certificates, to charge tolls, rentals and other charges, to advertise, to adopt and enforce building codes, rules and regulations to promote health and safety and for the regulation of the use of the said island and all improvements, projects and things thereon, to contract with the Federal Government or the State of Florida or their agencies or political subdivisions, to execute contracts and leases; authorizing and requiring the county commissioners to delegate and vest all the power and authority herein granted to the county commissioners of Okaloosa County in a board to be known as Okaloosa Island Authority, except such power and authority as cannot be lawfully delegated and the power and authority to issue revenue bonds or certificates and to acquire property by condemnation; providing for the creation, organization, powers, authority and duties of the Okaloosa Island Authority; authorizing the county commissioners to appropriate, and to cause to be raised by taxation or otherwise, monies sufficient to carry out the purposes of this Act; authorizing the county commissioners to delegate and vest the same powers and authority in Okaloosa Island Authority with respect to any

parks, playgrounds, beaches, recreational areas or other land, whether now owned or hereafter acquired, as is authorized to be delegated or vested with respect to Santa Rosa Island; granting right to use lands to State of Florida; declaring bonds or revenue certificates of Okaloosa County issued pursuant to this Act to be legal investments for fiduciaries; prescribing manner and limitations for filing notice of claims and suits thereon against the authority of Okaloosa County; requiring the authority to file annual statements and to pay surplus funds to general fund of Okaloosa County; exempting the property from ad valorem taxes; appropriating certain race track funds accruing to Okaloosa County, for use in said Okaloosa Island Authority; making the county attorney the attorney for the Okaloosa Island Authority; and providing the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1164 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1164 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1164:

In Section 2, line 5 of Sub-section 3, (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "lessor" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "lessee"

Senator Melvin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Melvin also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1164:

In Section 3, page 7, (typewritten bill) at the end of Sub-section (b), after the period add the following: "any vacancy in membership on said authority shall be filled by appointment by the Governor."

Senator Melvin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1164, 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 No. 1164, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1164, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Carlton	Fraser	McArthur	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1164 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The hour of adjournment having arrived a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 5:00 o'clock, P. M., until 10:00 o'clock, A. M., Tuesday, May 26, 1953, pursuant to the Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar adopted by the Senate on May 21, 1953.