

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Tuesday, June 2, 1953

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The Senate convened at 10:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Monday, June 1, 1953.

The President in the Chair.

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

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

—36.

A quorum present.

Senators Fraser and Leaird were 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 Thursday, May 28, 1953, was further corrected as follows:

Page 1, column 2, strike out lines 20 to 33, both inclusive, counting from the bottom of the column and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"S. B. No. 885—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring it unlawful to sell, offer for sale, negotiate, provide, or arrange for the transportation of property over the public highways of this State, or to advertise or hold oneself out as doing any of such acts, unless such transportation is to be performed solely by a carrier or carriers holding a certificate of public convenience and necessity, permit, or certificate of registration of interstate authority from the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission authorizing the holder of such certificate, permit or certificate of registration to perform such transportation; providing certain exemptions; prescribing certain penalties for violating this act; providing for injunction; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and providing the effective date of this Act."

And as further corrected was approved.

The Senate daily Journal of Friday, May 29, 1953, was further corrected as follows:

Page 12, column 2, between lines 2 and 3, counting from the bottom of the column, insert the following:

"Which was agreed to."

And as further corrected was approved.

The Senate daily Journal of Saturday, May 30, 1953, was further corrected as follows:

Page 1, column 1, line 12, counting from the bottom of the column, strike out the figures "10" and "11" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "11" and "12".

Also—

Page 5, column 2, line 23, counting from the bottom of the column, strike out the word "than" and insert in lieu thereof the word "that".

Also—

Page 6, column 2, line 29 strike out the word "in" and insert in lieu thereof the word "of".

Also—

Page 8, column 1, between lines 4 and 5, counting from the bottom of the column, insert the name "Baker".

Also—

Page 9, column 1, line 9, counting from the bottom of the column, strike out "to amend" and insert in lieu thereof "amending".

Also—

Page 30, column 2, line 13, strike out the word "giving" and insert in lieu thereof the word "fixing".

Also—

Page 31, column 2, line 34, strike out the figure "14" and insert in lieu thereof the figure "13".

Also—

Page 31, column 2, line 35, strike out the name "Davis".

Also—

Page 31, column 2, between lines 47 and 48, insert the following:

PAIRING

The following Pair was announced by the Secretary in accordance with Senate Rule 12:

I am paired with Senator Boyle on Reconsideration of Senate Bill No. 496.

If he were present he would vote "No" and I would vote "Aye".

W. T. Davis
Senator 10th District

And as further corrected was approved.

The Senate daily Journal of Monday, June 1, 1953, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND CALENDAR PURSUANT TO SENATE RULE 66

June 2, 1953

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

Your Committee on Rules and Calendar, pursuant to Senate Rule 66, submits herewith the list of Bills to constitute the Special Order Calendar to be considered by the Senate beginning June 2, 1953:

- S. B. 156—Relating to travel expenses of state employees.
- S. B. 645—Relating to relief of Marshall W. Tatum, et ux.
- S. B. 484—Relating to relief of H. W. Connerly.
- S. B. 800—Relating to F. H. A. approved septic tanks.
- S. B. 832—Relating to county retirement system.
- S. B. 833—Relating to state retirement system.
- S. B. 880—Relating to payment of special assessments by special taxing units.
- S. B. 603—Relating to filing of State Road Department maps.
- S. B. 418—Relating to Motor Vehicle liability insurance by local governmental units.

- S. B. 842—Relating to inspection fees for elevators.
 S. B. 804—Relating to public schools; fraternities and sororities.
 H. B. 979—Relating to burglary.
 H. B. 64—Relating to relief of Mrs. Alyse Fields.
 H. B. 538—Relating to relief of J. G. Spicola.
 H. B. 1620—Relating to alcoholic beverage licenses.
 H. B. 1298—Relating to Circuit Judges; Fourth Judicial Circuit.
 H. B. 626—Relating to bedding inspection.
 S. B. 735—Relating to Crippled Children's Commission.
 H. B. 474—Relating to wine tax exemption.
 S. B. 763—Relating to county retirement system.
 H. B. 893—Relating to descent and distribution; adopted children.
 H. B. 103—Relating to Minimum Foundation Program.
 H. B. 689—Relating to state retirement system.
 H. B. 1501—Relating to sales tax exemption of livestock.
 H. B. 1198—Relating to documentary stamp tax exemption.
 S. B. 653—Relating to riparian rights.
 H. B. 1199—Relating to resisting arrest.
 H. B. 1132—Relating to arrests by highway patrolmen.
 S. B. 791—Relating to railroad employees fine.
 S. B. 624—Relating to taxation Game and Fresh Water Fish lands.
 S. B. 540—Relating to definition of an accident.
 S. B. 901—Relating to Pure Food and Drug Act.
 House Memorial 1768—Relating to Federal treaty making power.
 H. B. 1489—Relating to minor regulating board funds

Respectfully submitted.

Harry E. King
 Senator 7th District
 Chairman

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

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

S. B. No. 1098—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 409.17, Florida Statutes, relating to assistance to the blind.

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

S. B. No. 1092—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Masters in Chancery, adding Section 62.071, Florida Statutes; providing further compensation for extra-ordinary services.

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

S. B. No. 970—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Mrs. Izetta Ellzey of Levy County for the death of her husband, Atticus Haygood Ellzey.

—and recommends that the same pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was referred to the Committee on Pensions and Claims, under the original joint reference.

Senator Black, Chairman of the Committee on Livestock, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 1078—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 205, Florida Statutes, by adding a section providing for the license tax to be paid by any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of selling livestock, or agricultural products by or at public or private auction, and providing the effective date.

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

And the Bill contained in the preceding report, together with the Committee amendment attached thereto, was referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation, under the original joint reference.

Senator Douglas, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 538—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Joseph G. Spicola by providing for the reimbursement to him of salary and other compensation lost in consequence of his suspension from office by the Governor pursuant to Section 15 of Article IV of the Constitution of Florida; and making an appropriation therefor.

—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 Douglas, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 689—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize J. Ben Fuqua, Beulah Hunt, C. T. Tomlinson, Selby Bailey, J. D. Nash and Noah B. Butt, Henry M. Farrior and H. Isle Enzor upon contributing the full amount they would have been required to contribute to the state or county officers and employees retirement system as the case may be to receive credit for prior service to the state or county under such retirement system.

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

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

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

S. B. No. 804—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 242.46, Florida Statutes, prohibiting the establishment of fraternities, sororities or other secret societies in the public schools of Florida.

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

H. B. No. 126—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the deposit into the registry of court by the tenant of delinquent rentals and rentals accruing during the pendency of any action for possession by the landlord: to provide for notice of requirement for such deposit to the tenant: to provide for penalties for failure to make such deposits and otherwise to regulate such procedure.

H. B. No. 1752—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sub-section (1) of Section 11.22, Florida Statutes, relating to the employment of a director and personnel of the legislative reference bureau by the legislative council.

—and recommends that they do pass.

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

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

H. B. No. 392—A bill to be entitled An Act to protect against subversive activities by making it a crime to commit or advocate acts intended to effect the overthrow of the Constitution or Government of the United States or the Constitution or Government of the State of Florida or of any political subdivision thereof by violence or other unlawful means, or to attempt or conspire so to do, by defining subversive organizations and making them illegal, and providing for the enforcement of the provisions of said act, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.

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

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

Senator Dayton, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

H. B. No. 1730—A bill to be entitled An Act to appropriate the sum of twenty thousand dollars to finance the interim committee for study and report on retirement systems.

H. B. No. 1268—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 134.15, Florida Statutes, by providing an appropriation from the intangible tax fund an amount equal to five per cent of each contributing officer and employee's salary.

H. B. No. 63—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring certain blind and partially sighted persons who are licensed vending stand operators by the Florida Council for the Blind to be state employees and entitled to the benefits of the State Officers and Employees Retirement System; providing for an election of the benefits of this Act; that blindness shall not constitute a retirable disability for such employees as are contemplated by this Act and that participation in the State Officers and Employees Retirement System by subsequently employed or licensed vending stand operators shall be compulsory.

—and recommends that they do pass.

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

Senator Dayton, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 1566—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Section 112.061 (6) relating to travel allowance.

—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 Dayton, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 520—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to appropriation for the expenses of the Legislature and related activities; for expenses of the appropriation committee members; Committees on Interstate Cooperation; and other Special Committees appointed under authority of a resolution or bill to serve during the interim between session; amending Section 11.12 (2), Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

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

Senator Dayton, Chairman of the Committee on Appropria-

tions, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Concurrent Resolution:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1241—A House Concurrent Resolution relating to retirement systems, providing for a detailed study and recommendation to the 1955 session of a plan for reorganizing and improving existing State Retirement Systems.

—and recommends that the same pass.

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

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

H. B. No. 997—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 932.47, Florida Statutes, relating to criminal procedure; providing the time within which informations may be filed by state attorneys and trial thereon.

H. B. No. 1260—A bill to be entitled An Act to prevent juvenile delinquency by prohibiting the purchase, or receiving, by pawnbrokers, junk dealers, or other persons, firms, or corporations, from any minor child, any goods or forms of merchandise without parent, guardian, or adult relative being present and approving such sale; to exempt any such child working in any established place of business as an employee thereof, or selling goods or produce of the parent or guardian in connection with the business of such parent or guardian; to provide penalties for the violation hereof; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith; for all purposes reasonably incidental; and to provide that this law shall take effect sixty days after it shall have become a law.

H. B. No. 1257—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to court procedure; amending Sections 47.10, 48.03 (2), 48.08, 48.09, 48.10, 48.12, 48.15, 70.02, 70.03, 76.25, 77.04, 77.05, 78.05, 78.06, Florida Statutes, to conform to the common law and equity court rules; repealing Sections 48.14, 50.02, 50.03, 50.14, 50.15, 50.17, 50.19, 76.26 through 76.28, inclusive, 76.30, 76.38, 77.09 through 77.12, inclusive, 78.14 through 78.16, inclusive, all Florida Statutes; and providing the effective date of this Act.

—and recommends that they do pass.

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

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

H. B. No. 1258—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 15.03, Florida Statutes, relating to the seal of the State of Florida by incorporating therein a description of said seal.

—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 Dayton, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 1071—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Central Florida Agricultural Experiment Station; providing for an assistant soil chemist and an assistant horticulturist; making appropriations therefor.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

Senator Dayton, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 1270—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 121.15 Florida Statutes, by providing an appropriation from the intangible tax fund an amount equal to five per cent of each contributing officer and employee's salary.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

Senator Branch, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 1213—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that permits may be issued for summer dog racing periods in Monroe County, Florida without regard to the distance the track of the applicant will be from the track of any existing winter permit holder; and providing that summer dog race track meetings in Monroe County, Florida shall be held only during the period from June 1st to November 14th, both dates inclusive, in each year; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing when Act shall take effect.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

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

H. B. No. 416—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 74.01, Florida Statutes, relating to the contents of or annexations to the declaration of taking in eminent domain proceedings.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

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

H. B. No. 1000—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (3) of Section 941.23, Florida Statutes, relating to application for extradition.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

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

S. B. No. 120—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the cutting or removing of timber from uninclosed land; making certain acts a crime; providing penalties.

S. B. No. 221—A bill to be entitled An Act to require the State Board of Control to submit a schedule of certain fees and charges for institutions of higher learning with the legislative budgets and to prohibit an increase in such fees and charges.

S. B. No. 445—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 903.27, Florida Statutes, relating to bail providing for an extension of time in which to explain a breach of the undertaking.

—and recommends that the same do not pass.

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

ENGROSSING REPORTS

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

S. B. No. 816—A bill to be entitled An Act changing the name of Dade County to the City and County of Miami, providing, conferring and vesting in the County Commissioners additional powers and duties pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and particularly Section 11 of Article VIII adopted at the general election in 1942, extending the Commissioners' jurisdiction over the territory within the corporate limits of the City of Miami, establishing local government in the City and County of Miami, authorizing the creation of urban and rural districts for municipal taxation

and other purposes, requiring the County Tax Assessor to assess and the County Tax Collector to collect taxes therein, regulating the powers, duties and compensation of the officers and employees of the City and County of Miami, authorizing the Commissioners to pass ordinances, resolutions and regulations for the purpose of carrying out the powers granted to them and provide penalties for their violation, authorizing the Commissioners to levy taxes for municipal purposes, creating Police and Fire Departments, providing for airports, waterworks, zoning and other projects and for franchises for public utilities, establishing a Municipal Court and defining its jurisdiction, making the Clerk of the Circuit Court ex officio clerk thereof, and of the Commission, regulating arrests and warrants, providing for suits, including actions for tort, prescribing notice therefor and a period of limitations, authorizing contracts, bonds and certificates of indebtedness, providing for civil service and pensions for employees, prescribing the method whereby other municipalities may become a part of the City and County of Miami, providing for initiative and referendum, putting "home rule" in effect in the territory covered by this Act, carrying forward and reaffirming certain laws relating to Dade County or its Commissioners or to the City of Miami, and providing that the Commissioners shall perform the functions delegated to the City Commission in such laws, and for other purposes.

—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. 816, contained in the above report was referred to the Secretary of the Senate, as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk of the Senate, for enrolling

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

S. B. No. 690—A bill to be entitled An Act cancelling all taxes for the years 1952 and 1953 and directing the refund of taxes for the year 1952 and exempting from all future taxation certain leased real property possessed and used by a corporation not for profit so long as said property is devoted exclusively to the non-profit purposes of such corporation.

—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. 690, contained in the above report was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

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

S. B. No. 972—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to advertising and selling land for unpaid taxes in counties of the State of Florida having a population of more than one hundred and thirteen thousand (113,000) and less than one hundred fourteen thousand and eight hundred and fifty (114,850) according to the Federal Census of 1950, establishing advertising rates therefor, making the effective date of this Act retroactive to February 1, 1953, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

—begs leave to report that the Senate 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. 972, contained in the above report was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

ENROLLING REPORTS

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 3

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| S. B. No. 97 | S. B. No. 884 |
| S. B. No. 100 | S. B. No. 888 |
| S. B. No. 145 | S. B. No. 889 |
| S. B. No. 174 | S. B. No. 896 |
| S. B. No. 304 | S. B. No. 897 |
| S. B. No. 407 | S. B. No. 898 |
| S. B. No. 825 | S. B. No. 899 |
| S. B. No. 858 | S. B. No. 908 |
| S. B. No. 869 | S. B. No. 909 |
| S. B. No. 870 | S. B. No. 879 |
| S. B. No. 871 | S. B. No. 910 |
| S. B. No. 872 | S. B. No. 912 |
| S. B. No. 878 | S. B. No. 914 |

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on June 1, 1953.

Very respectfully,

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

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

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| S. B. No. 54 | S. B. No. 911 |
| S. B. No. 282 | S. B. No. 915 |
| S. B. No. 298 | S. B. No. 917 |
| S. B. No. 325 | S. B. No. 918 |
| S. B. No. 371 | S. B. No. 920 |
| S. B. No. 381 | S. B. No. 921 |
| S. B. No. 388 | S. B. No. 924 |
| S. B. No. 405 | S. B. No. 925 |
| S. B. No. 834 | S. B. No. 927 |
| S. B. No. 835 | S. B. No. 929 |
| S. B. No. 836 | S. B. No. 933 |
| S. B. No. 844 | S. B. No. 950 |

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on June 1, 1953.

Very respectfully,

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

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

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| S. B. No. 89 | S. B. No. 940 |
| S. B. No. 776 | S. B. No. 942 |
| S. B. No. 802 | S. B. No. 944 |
| S. B. No. 862 | S. B. No. 964 |
| S. B. No. 916 | S. B. No. 965 |

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| S. B. No. 935 | S. B. No. 968 |
| S. B. No. 936 | S. B. No. 974 |
| S. B. No. 938 | |

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on June 1, 1953.

Very respectfully,

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

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

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| S. B. No. 941 | S. B. No. 947 |
| S. B. No. 945 | S. B. No. 949 |
| S. B. No. 946 | |

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on June 1, 1953.

Very respectfully,

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

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

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| S. B. No. 649 |
| S. B. No. 746 |

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on June 1, 1953.

Very respectfully,

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

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

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| H. B. No. 1408 | H. B. No. 1450 |
| H. B. No. 228 | H. B. No. 1451 |
| H. B. No. 501 | H. B. No. 1452 |
| H. B. No. 919 | H. B. No. 1455 |
| H. B. No. 1033 | H. B. No. 1469 |
| H. B. No. 1109 | H. B. No. 1470 |
| H. B. No. 1259 | H. B. No. 1504 |
| H. B. No. 1338 | H. B. No. 1511 |
| H. B. No. 1409 | H. B. No. 1537 |
| H. B. No. 1447 | H. B. No. 1538 |
| H. B. No. 1448 | H. B. No. 211 |
| H. B. No. 1449 | H. B. No. 1196 |

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on June 1, 1953.

Very respectfully,

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

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

Committee Substitute for H. B. Nos. 93, 104, 199, 265 and 546

H. B. No. 239	H. B. No. 1550
H. B. No. 272	H. B. No. 1551
H. B. No. 311	H. B. No. 1552
H. B. No. 547	H. B. No. 1553
H. B. No. 667	H. B. No. 1556
H. B. No. 749	H. B. No. 1557
H. B. No. 801	H. B. No. 1558
H. B. No. 802	H. B. No. 1561
H. B. No. 803	H. B. No. 1562
H. B. No. 814	H. B. No. 1563
H. B. No. 895	H. B. No. 1564
H. B. No. 928	H. B. No. 1565
H. B. No. 958	H. B. No. 1568
H. B. No. 1233	H. B. No. 1569
H. B. No. 1234	H. B. No. 1570
H. B. No. 1249	H. B. No. 1572
H. B. No. 1318	H. B. No. 1575
H. B. No. 1487	H. B. No. 1577
H. B. No. 1525	H. B. No. 1579
H. B. No. 1542	H. B. No. 1581
H. B. No. 1544	H. B. No. 1584
H. B. No. 1545	H. B. No. 1592
H. B. No. 1546	H. B. No. 1593
H. B. No. 1547	H. B. No. 1594

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on June 1, 1953.

Very respectfully,

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

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

H. B. No. 1098

—begs leave to report same has been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on June 1, 1953.

Very respectfully,

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

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND CALENDAR

Senator King, Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, submitted the following Report:

Your Committee recommends the adoption of the following rule:—

"For the remainder of the session, the maker of a motion for reconsideration shall be allowed one minute to explain his motion and the motion shall not be debatable."

HARRY E. KING,
Chairman

Senator King moved the adoption of the foregoing Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

Which was agreed to and the Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MEMORIALS, BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Dayton—

S. B. No. 1119—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Dade City, Florida, a municipal corporation, to acquire, establish, operate and maintain a municipal library and providing for financing the same.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1119 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 Dayton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1119 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1119 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Dayton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1119 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. 1119 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1119 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1119 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 Dayton—

S. B. No. 1120—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the municipality of Dade City, Florida, to borrow, not to exceed \$50,000.00 for the purpose of obtaining right-of-way for roads or streets to be constructed by the State Road Department of Florida within the corporate limits of said city; authorizing said city to repay said sum so borrowed over a period not to exceed five (5) years with interest not to exceed 6% per annum; providing that this Act shall be supplemental and additional authority and power to any other borrowing power now or hereafter authorized by law; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith to the extent of such conflict and providing that this Act shall take effect immediately upon becoming a law.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1120 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 Dayton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1120 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1120 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Dayton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1120 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. 1120 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1120 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1120 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 Beall—

S. B. No. 1121—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County, Florida, to appropriate funds to defray the expense of the Escambia County Civil Service Board for the current fiscal year ending September 30, 1953.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1121 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. 1121 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1121 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1121 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. 1121 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1121 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1121 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 Connor—

Senate Resolution No. 1122:

A RESOLUTION IN MEMORIAM TO THE HONORABLE LEE COLUMBUS YEOMANS.

WHEREAS, Lee Columbus Yeomans on the ninth day of September A.D. 1951, was called by his Maker and is now with the Supreme Authority, and

WHEREAS, his absence is a sad loss to the people of the State of Florida and his many friends, particularly his friends and past associates of the Florida Legislature, and

WHEREAS, this man who had been born in the State of Georgia, unselfishly and unstintingly devoted his life to Florida and the people of Florida, and

WHEREAS, he is held as an example for young men in the Legislature to follow, his courtesy, courage and integrity being used as a model of a southern gentleman and statesman, and

WHEREAS, today there is a great and growing need for the type of gentleman which this man represented, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That this Senate pause for one minute in its deliberations to pay a small tribute to the memory of the Honorable Lee Columbus Yeomans.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the pages of the journal and that copies of this resolution be furnished to his widow, Mrs. Vada Allen Yeomans and his son, Lee Calvin Yeomans.

Which was read the first time in full.

The question was put on the adoption of the Resolution.

Which was agreed to and Senate Resolution No. 1122 was adopted.

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 1123—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 98 of Chapter 15425, Laws of Florida, Special Acts, 1931, same being the city charter of the City of Pensacola; changing the hours that public offices are to be kept open.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1123 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. 1123 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1123 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1123 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. 1123 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1123 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1123 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 Floyd—

S. B. No. 1124—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide an optional method by petition and election for the creation

within any area of Franklin County, Florida, of service districts; dividing any such districts into commissioner precincts; to provide that any such district shall be a body politic and corporate for the purpose of exercising powers relating to public health and public safety; to provide for the government and administration of any such district and for appointment of a Board of Commissioners to prescribe the general powers, duties, privileges and liabilities of any such district and of its Board of Commissioners; to confer upon any such district the powers to lease, purchase, own and convey property not necessary for its use and to exercise the power of eminent domain; to authorize establishment of regulations by governing body of any such district and to provide for enforcement thereof; to authorize said district to set and collect service charges or assessments for special benefits, or both; to authorize any such district to borrow money and issue negotiable bonds, revenue certificates and other obligations; to authorize any such district to construct, maintain and finance certain public works projects, in any such district and to levy service charges against the owners and occupants of property benefited by said improvements to pay for the costs thereof; to authorize issuance of bonds by any such district and levying of service charges; to authorize any such district to receive and accept grants and to enter into contracts with any government agency or other public or private corporation or individual and for other purposes.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1124 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 Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1124 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1124 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1124 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. 1124 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1124 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1124 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 Floyd—

S. B. No. 1125—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the State Road Department and the Boards of County Commission in counties having a population of not less than five thousand four hundred (5,400) and not more than six thousand (6,000) according to the last federal census, to expend certain funds for the construction of certain waterway projects repealing conflicting Acts and providing an effective date of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1125 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1125 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1125 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. 1125 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1125 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1125 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 Floyd—

S. B. No. 1126—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to all counties having a population of more than five thousand five hundred (5,500) and less than six thousand (6,000) according to the latest official census; providing for allocation of race track funds received by such counties pursuant to Chapter 550, Florida Statutes; setting effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1126 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1126 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1126 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. 1126 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1126 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1126 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 Floyd—

S. B. No. 1127—A bill to be entitled An Act providing how monies paid to the Board of County Commissioners of Franklin County, State of Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, or any laws amendatory or supplemental thereto, or funds substituted therefor, shall be appropriated and spent and giving authority for the expenditure of said monies for each of the fiscal years, after the passage of this law, and repealing all laws in conflict with this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1127 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 Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1127 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1127 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1127 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. 1127 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1127 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1127 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 Floyd—

S. B. No. 1128—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide an optional method by petition and election for the creation within any area of Wakulla County, Florida, of service districts; dividing any such districts into commissioner precincts; to provide that any such district shall be a body politic and corporate for the purpose of exercising powers relating to public health and public safety; to provide for the government and administration of any such district and for appointment of a Board of Commissioners to prescribe the general powers, duties, privileges and liabilities of any such district and of its Board of Commissioners; to confer upon any such district the powers to lease, purchase, own and convey property not necessary for its use and to exercise the power of eminent domain; to authorize establishment of regulations by governing body of any such district and to provide for enforcement thereof; to authorize said district to set and collect service charges or assessments for special benefits, or both; to authorize any such district to borrow money and issue negotiable bonds, revenue certificates and other obligations; to authorize any such district to construct, maintain and finance certain public works projects, in any such district and to levy service charges against the owners and occupants of property benefited by said improvements to pay for the costs thereof; to authorize issuance of bonds by any such district and levying of service charges; to authorize any such district to receive and accept grants and to enter into contracts with any government agency or other public or private corporation or individual and for other purposes.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1128 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 Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1128 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1128 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1128 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. 1128 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1128 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1128 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 Floyd—

S. B. No. 1129—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring an election in Wakulla County for the purpose of deciding whether voting machines shall be used in the county.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1129 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1129 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1129 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. 1129 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1129 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1129 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 Floyd—

S. B. No. 1130—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide an optional method by petition and election for the creation within any area of Liberty County, Florida, of service districts; dividing any such districts into commissioner precincts; to provide that any such district shall be a body politic and corporate for the purpose of exercising powers relating to public health and public safety; to provide for the Government and administration of any such district and for appointment of a Board of Commissioners to prescribe the general powers, duties, privileges and liabilities of any such district and of its Board of Commissioners; to confer upon any such district the powers to lease, purchase, own and convey property not

necessary for its use and to exercise the power of eminent domain; to authorize establishment of regulations by governing body of any such district and to provide for enforcement thereof; to authorize said district to set and collect service charges or assessments for special benefits, or both; to authorize any such district to borrow money and issue negotiable bonds, revenue certificates and other obligations; to authorize any such district to construct, maintain and finance certain public works projects, in any such district and to levy service charges against the owners and occupants of property benefited by said improvements to pay for the costs thereof; to authorize issuance of bonds by any such district and levying of service charges; to authorize any such district to receive and accept grants and to enter into contracts with any Government agency or other public or private corporation or individual and for other purposes.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1130 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 Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1130 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1130 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1130 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. 1130 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1130 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1130 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 Johns—

S. B. No. 1131—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to all counties having a population of more than 11,425 and less than 11,800 according to the latest official census; fixing salary of members of the board of public instruction; setting effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator King, on behalf of Senator Johns, who was presiding, moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1131 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1131 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1131 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. 1131 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1131 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1131 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 Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 1132—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 197 of Chapter 22,408, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, entitled, "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of New Smyrna Beach, in Volusia County, Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of New Smyrna Beach, in Volusia County, Florida; to define its territorial boundaries, and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges; and to designate the first members of the City Commission to serve until the next general municipal election" so as to authorize and empower the City Commission of the City of New Smyrna Beach to sell, lease, encumber or otherwise dispose of marsh lands owned by said city; providing that the proceeds therefrom shall be used for capital improvements within said city and not otherwise; and providing for a referendum election hereon.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1132 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1132 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1132 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. 1132 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1132 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1132 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 Branch—

S. B. No. 1133—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of the Judges of Criminal Courts of Record in counties having a population of not less than 200,000 or more than 300,000 according to the last preceding federal census and wherein no court of crimes is established and prohibiting such judges from practicing law.

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

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 1134—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to

the government, powers and jurisdiction of the City of Tampa, Florida, authorizing and empowering the City of Tampa to vacate, close, discontinue and abandon any public street, road, alleyway, place or highway dedicated or acquired for travel, or any part or portion thereof, and renounce, disclaim or release any right of the City of Tampa and the public in and to any land delineated, dedicated or shown on any recorded map or plat as a street, road, alleyway, place or highway within the corporate limits of the City of Tampa, and to prescribe the method and procedure and legal effect thereof, and validating, ratifying and confirming the vacating, closing, discontinuing and abandonment of any such streets, roads, alleyways, places or highways heretofore done by ordinance or resolution or other act of the City of Tampa.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1134 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 Branch moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1134 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1134 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1134 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. 1134 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1134 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1134 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 Branch—

S. B. No. 1135—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Municipal Court of the City of Tampa, regulating the time in which motions for new trial may be filed therein, requiring the filing of motion for a new trial before an appeal can be taken from said court; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1135 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 Branch moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1135 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1135 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1135 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. 1135 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1135 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1135 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 Beall—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1136:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA BY ADDING THERETO AN ADDITIONAL SECTION TO ABOLISH THE COURT OF RECORD IN AND FOR ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND VEST ALL ITS JURISDICTION IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY; PROVIDE FOR ADDITIONAL JUDGES OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS IN SAID COURT AND COUNTY, AND FOR THEIR APPOINTMENT, COMPENSATION AND AUTHORITY; TO PROVIDE FOR SIX (6) TERMS OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY IN EACH YEAR; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT BY THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY OF COMMISSIONERS OF SAID COURT AND FOR THEIR DUTIES, AUTHORITY AND COMPENSATION.

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

That the following amendment to Article V of the Constitution of the State of Florida, to be added as an additional section to be appropriately numbered by the Secretary of State, be and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the General Election to be held on the First Tuesday after the First Monday in November, 1953, to wit:

Section—. (a) The Court of Record in and for Escambia County shall, from and after the taking effect of this amendment, be abolished and upon such abolition of said Court the Circuit Court of Escambia County, Florida, and the Judges thereof, in addition to their present jurisdiction, shall have in Escambia County jurisdiction of all criminal cases which shall arise in said County;

(b) There shall be two additional Judges of the Circuit Court of Escambia County in addition to the Circuit Judges of the Circuit in which said County is situated. The Judges of the Court of Record or the Judge and the Commissioner of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County holding office at the time of the taking effect of this amendment shall become such additional Circuit Judges and shall hold office until the time at which their respective terms of office expire. Thereafter such additional Judges of the Circuit Court of Escambia County: (1) shall be selected in the same manner as other Circuit Judges are selected, except that, if selected by election, they shall be selected by the qualified electors of Escambia County; (2) shall reside in Escambia County and shall, within such county, have all the powers and perform all the duties that are or may be provided or prescribed by the Constitution or by statute, and all statutes concerning Circuit Judges shall apply to them; (3) shall hold office for six (6) years and shall receive the same salary and allowances for expenses as other Circuit Judges, in Escambia County, but the same shall be paid by the County of Escambia out of the general revenue of said county, unless and until the Legislature provides otherwise by law.

(c) After the First Tuesday after the First Monday in January 1955, and until otherwise provided by law, applicable only to Escambia County, the Solicitor of the Court of Record

in and for Escambia County shall act as prosecuting attorney of the Circuit Court in and for Escambia County, Florida, for all criminal cases, including capital cases, and he shall be known as State Attorney for said county, and there shall be no other prosecuting officer for said Circuit Court in Escambia County, and thereafter said State Attorney shall hold office until the time at which his term as Solicitor of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County expires. Provided, however, that the State Attorney of the First Judicial Circuit in office at the time of the adoption of this amendment shall remain the State Attorney for the other counties of said First Judicial Circuit of Florida, for the balance of his term office, and he shall thereafter reside in and be elected by the qualified voters of such counties other than Escambia. Thereafter the State Attorney for Escambia County shall be selected in the same manner and for the same term as the Solicitor of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County is now selected except that if selected by election he shall be selected by the qualified electors of Escambia County. He shall reside in Escambia County and he shall within such County have all the powers and perform all the duties that are or may hereafter be provided or prescribed by the Constitution or by Statute, and until otherwise provided by law he shall be paid by the County of Escambia in the same manner and at the same rate of compensation as the Solicitor of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County is now paid and until otherwise provided by law he shall be allowed the same assistants and their compensation and the expenses of his office shall be as now or hereafter provided for by law.

(d) There shall be six (6) terms of the Circuit Court of Escambia County in each year, to be held at such times as may be prescribed by the Legislature.

(e) In the exercise of its jurisdiction to try misdemeanors the Circuit Court of Escambia County shall have the power to appoint a Commissioner or Commissioners who shall have authority to try, for the said Circuit Court and without a jury, any person charged with a misdemeanor. All defendants so tried shall have the right to a trial de novo by the said Court or a Judge thereof upon written application filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court. The County Judge of Escambia County, for the county at large, and the Justices of the Peace of said County, for their respective districts, may be appointed by the Circuit Court of Escambia County as Commissioners. The compensation and allowances of such Commissioners shall be fixed by the Legislature and shall be paid by Escambia County. After the appointment and qualification of a Commissioner or Commissioners of said Circuit Court all warrants for the arrest of persons charged with a misdemeanor shall be made returnable before a Commissioner of said Court and, unless a preliminary hearing before a committing magistrate be requested by a person arrested pursuant to any such warrant, the trial shall be had before the Commissioner as soon after the arrest as may be expedient. The Circuit Court of Escambia County shall have the right to prescribe, by court rule, the procedure before such Commissioner and where a Commissioner may sit and the manner in which each of such Commissioners shall transmit his records and judgments to the Clerk of the said Court.

(f) Upon the taking effect of this amendment the records of the Court of Record of Escambia County shall be delivered by the then Clerk of said Court to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Escambia County who shall become the official custodian of the said records; jurisdiction of all matters and causes then pending in said Court of Record shall vest in the Circuit Court of Escambia County, with power to dispose of the same, and the court recorder, bailiffs and other court officers (except the Clerk) of the said Court of Record shall become additional such officers of the Circuit Court of Escambia County, and shall be selected, paid, and perform duties as now provided for by law.

Which was read the first time in full.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Joint Resolution No. 1136 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Joint Resolution No. 1136 was read the second time in full.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Joint Resolution No. 1136 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Joint Resolution No. 1136 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Joint Resolution No. 1136 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Joint Resolution No. 1136 passed by the required Constitutional three-fifths 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 immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 1137—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and requiring supplemental compensation to circuit judges residing in counties of Florida having a population of more than 450,000 according to the last state or Federal census in the sum of \$5500.00 per annum for each judge, payable monthly by the County Commissioners of such county in lieu of existing laws relating thereto, and making same a county purpose.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1137 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1137 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1137 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. 1137 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1137 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1137 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 Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 1138—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 40 of Chapter 7672, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1917, entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Miami Beach, in the County of Dade and State of Florida, and to establish, organize and incorporate a city government for the City of Miami Beach, to define its territorial boundaries, to prescribe its jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of same, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances", relating to the method of electing members of the City Council of the City of Miami Beach by providing for primary and regular elec-

tions; providing that a candidate who receives a majority in the primary shall be declared elected; providing for a referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1138 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1138 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1138 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. 1138 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1138 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1138 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 Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 1139—A bill to be entitled An Act to fix the salary of judges of the civil court of record in all counties in this State having a population of more than 450,000, according to the last State or Federal Census, and having more than one judge of said court.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1139 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1139 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1139 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. 1139 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1139 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1139 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 Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 1140—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to

the office of County Solicitors of all Criminal Courts of Record in counties of the state, which now have or may hereafter have a population of four hundred thousand (400,000), or more, according to the last preceding federal or state census whichever may be the later, authorizing such County Solicitors to appoint Process Servers and providing for their number and compensations; providing for transportation facilities to be furnished Process Servers by the county; defining the duties and authority and restricting the activities of Process Servers appointed under the provisions hereof; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing for compensation of investigator now provided for by law; and providing the effective date of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1140 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1140 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1140 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. 1140 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1140 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1140 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 Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 1141—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that Chapter 18396, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, as the same may have been amended heretofore, and Chapter 27023, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951, pertaining to the offices of Chief Traffic Officer and Deputy Traffic Officers in counties having certain populations, shall not be effective in any county having a population in excess of four hundred thousand (400,000) according to the most recent official census; providing that this Act shall be effective if and when Chapter _____, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1953, otherwise identified as Senate Bill No. 816, as enacted by the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, becomes effective.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1141 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1141 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1141 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. 1141 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1141 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1141 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 Hodges—

S. B. No. 1142—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary of the County Superintendent of Public Instruction in all counties of this state having a population of not less than ten thousand five hundred (10,500) and not more than eleven thousand two hundred fifty (11,250) according to the latest official census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1142 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1142 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1142 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. 1142 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1142 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1142 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 the Committee on Rules and Calendar—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1143:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING.

Section 1. That the time for adjournment sine die of the Florida Legislature, 1953 Session, be and the same is hereby fixed at the hour of 12:00 o'clock noon, Friday, June 5, 1953, at which time the session of the Florida Legislature of 1953 shall be adjourned sine die.

Which was read the first time in full.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1143 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. 1143 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. 1143 was adopted, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Floyd—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1144:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CREATING A JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE TO STUDY AND REPORT ON SALT WATER CONSERVATION LAWS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING:

That a joint interim committee of four (4) members of the Senate to be appointed by the President thereof and four (4) members of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker thereof is hereby created. This joint committee shall study salt water conservation laws.

This committee shall present to the 1955 Session of the Legislature specific legislative bills which its study shows are necessary and desirable for the improvement of salt water conservation. This committee shall also report its findings of fact and make its recommendations concerning this problem affecting the State of Florida.

The committee shall hold hearings and shall receive the fullest cooperation of all State agencies called upon to aid it to perform its duties.

Which was read the first time in full.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1144 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. 1144 was read the second time in full.

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

Upon the adoption of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1144 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—23.

Baker	Connor	Houghton	Ripley
Beall	Crary	King	Rodgers
Boyle	Dayton	Lindler	Rogells
Bronson	Douglas	Melvin	Shands
Carlton	Floyd	Morrow	Tapper
Collins	Gautier (28th)	Pope	

Nays—5.

Clarke	Lewis	Pearce
Franklin	McArthur	

So Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1144 was adopted, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Davis—

S. B. No. 1145—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to all counties having a population of more than fourteen thousand (14,000) and less than fourteen thousand three hundred (14,300) according to the latest official census; providing for allocation of additional dog track taxes levied during 1953 Legislative Session, setting effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Davis moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1145 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1145 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Davis moved that the rules be further waived

and Senate Bill No. 1145 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. 1145 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1145 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1145 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 Douglas—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 1146—A bill to be entitled An Act allowing, as a claim against the State of Florida, the amount due to W. R. Faircloth, former tax collector of Holmes County, Florida, for loss of compensation in consequence of his suspension from office by the Governor of the State of Florida under Section 15 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Florida, and providing for the payment of said claim.

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

By Senator Douglas—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 1147—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Clarence Shaw, a resident and citizen of Destin, Okaloosa County, Florida, and providing an appropriation for his injuries, damages and losses sustained by him by reason of the negligent operation by the State Road Department of Bridge Number 34 on State Highway Number 30 at Fort Walton, Okaloosa County, Florida, and providing for the payment of the same.

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

By Senators Hodges, Fraser and Johns—

S. B. No. 1148—A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing residence requirements for candidates for office of circuit judges in judicial circuits having a population of not more than 100,000 and not less than 90,000 according to the last official census, and composed of six counties; and providing effective date of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1148 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1148 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1148 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. 1148 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1148 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Branch	Connor	Floyd
Baker	Bronson	Crary	Franklin
Beall	Carlton	Davis	Gautier (28th)
Black	Clarke	Dayton	Gautier (13th)
Boyle	Collins	Douglas	Hodges

Houghton	Lindler	Pearce	Rogells
Johnson	McArthur	Pope	Shands
King	Melvin	Ripley	Sturgis
Lewis	Morrow	Rodgers	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1148 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 Douglas—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 1149—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Amanda Oats, widow of Brack Oats, Jr., deceased, and George W. Oats, his son, and Peter James Oats, his son, all residents and citizens of Freeport, Walton County, Florida and providing an appropriation for damages and losses sustained by them by reason of the negligent operation of the State Road Department of Bridge Number 4 on State Highway Number 79 across the west end of West Bay at the Town of West Bay, Bay County, Florida, and providing for the payment of the same.

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

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 1150—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for an increase in the salary of the Municipal Judge of the City of Jacksonville, Florida, as provided by Section 46806, Florida Statutes 1951.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1150 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 Ripley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1150 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote

And Senate Bill No. 1150 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1150 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. 1150 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1150 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1150 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 Beall—

S. B. No. 1151—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the compensation of the Supervisor of Registration in counties of the State of Florida having a population of more than eighty-five thousand (85,000) and less than one hundred and twelve thousand and nine hundred (112,900) according to the federal census of 1950.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1151 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1151 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1151 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. 1151 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1151 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1151 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 Beall—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1152:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VIII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF FLORIDA RELATING TO COUNTIES AND CITIES BY ADDING THERETO A SECTION RELATING TO THE FEES AND COMPENSATION OF COUNTY OFFICERS OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY.

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

That the following amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of Florida, by adding a section to be designated by an appropriate section number of Article VIII, is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the next general election to be held in 1954, as follows:

Section All fees, revenues or other charges collected by the several county officers of Escambia County shall be paid into the general county fund of Escambia County subject to disbursement as provided by law. The Legislature shall provide by local or special legislation for the salaries, expenses and compensation to be paid the several county officers of Escambia County.

Which was read the first time in full.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Joint Resolution No. 1152 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Joint Resolution No. 1152 was read the second time in full.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Joint Resolution No. 1152 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Joint Resolution No. 1152 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Joint Resolution No. 1152 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Boyle	Clarke	Davis
Baker	Branch	Collins	Dayton
Beall	Bronson	Connor	Douglas
Black	Carlton	Crary	Floyd

Franklin	Johnson	Melvin	Rodgers
Gautier (28th)	King	Morrow	Rogells
Gautier (13th)	Lewis	Pearce	Shands
Hodges	Lindler	Pope	Sturgis
Houghton	McArthur	Ripley	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Joint Resolution No. 1152 passed by the required Constitutional three-fifths 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 immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By the Committee on Appropriations—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1153:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION GRANTING AUTHORITY TO PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE OF THE SENATE AND TO SPEAKER-DESIGNATE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO APPOINT MEMBERS OF THE RESPECTIVE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE TO MEET PRIOR TO 1955 SESSION; PROVIDING FOR REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES AND MILEAGE OF SUCH APPOINTEES DURING PRE-SESSION MEETINGS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING:

Section 1. That the president-designate of the senate and the speaker-designate of the house of representatives following the general election held prior to the next regular session of the legislature of 1955 are hereby given authority to appoint from among the elected members of the respective bodies of the Florida Legislature, a chairman and the members of the appropriations committee of each house for the purpose of holding pre-session committee meetings and working with the budget commission in studying and preparing appropriation bills for the 1955 session of the legislature.

Section 2. Each member of such appropriations committee so appointed shall be reimbursed by the comptroller for expenses, whenever on state business in pursuance of the duties and purposes for which such committees were appointed, seventeen and one-half dollars (\$17.50) per day or part of a day, and mileage, to the extent and amounts provided by Section 112.061 Florida Statutes, as approved by the chairman of the appropriations committee of which he is a member. The sums required to be paid by this resolution shall be paid from the legislative appropriation provided by Section 11.12, Florida Statutes, irrespective of the legislature not being in session. Per diem expenses are allowable without reference to the county or city of residence of the member, but mileage shall be allowed only for miles actually traveled. Meetings may be held at any place within the state and irrespective of whether such meetings are held as separate senate or house committees, a joint senate and house committee or with the budget commission.

Section 3. The president-designate of the senate and the speaker-designate of the house shall be ex-officio members of the respective appropriations committees and shall be reimbursed for their expenses while attending pre-session meetings.

Section 4. The president-designate of the senate and the speaker-designate of the house shall certify to the comptroller the names of members of the committees upon their appointment.

Which was read the first time in full.

Senator Dayton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1153 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. 1153 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. 1153 was adopted, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Franklin—

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1154:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RELATING TO A STUDY BY A JOINT COMMITTEE TO IMPROVE EFFICIENCY IN RECORDING THE PASSAGE OF LEGISLATION FOR USE BY THE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE.

WHEREAS, much confusion has existed in the Legislature of 1953 in the introduction of companion bills in the House and Senate and in the dual passage of companion bills due to lack of knowledge on the part of the Members of the House and Senate concerning the location of such bill which may have already been passed by one or the other branch of the Legislature while others are held in committees. This duplication of effort and duplication of committee consideration should be eliminated, NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING:

Section 1. That the President of the Senate shall appoint three (3) Members of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint three (3) Members of the House as a joint committee to make a study of the legislative procedure and recommend to the Legislature of 1955 a method of keeping a daily record of companion bills introduced and the location of such bills as enacted by either branch of the Legislature.

Section 2. The Members of this Committee shall draw no salary but shall be paid per diem and mileage from their residence to the place of any meeting and return as provided under the general law in Section 112.061, Florida Statutes.

Which was read the first time in full.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1154 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. 1154 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. 1154 was adopted, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 1155—A bill to be entitled An Act locating the boundary between the States of Florida and Alabama, as defined by the constitutions of each respective state, at the mouth of the Perdido River and adjacent thereto.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1155 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1155 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1155 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. 1155 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1155 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33.

Mr. President	Carlton	Franklin	Lewis
Baker	Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Lindler
Beall	Connor	Gautier (13th)	McArthur
Black	Crary	Hodges	Melvin
Boyle	Davis	Houghton	Morrow
Branch	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Bronson	Douglas	King	Pope

Ripley Rogells Tapper
Rodgers Shands

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1155 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following Communications from the Governor were received:

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
TALLAHASSEE
June 1, 1953

Honorable Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate,
State Capitol.

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have today filed in the office of the Secretary of State the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable Body, Regular Session 1953, same having remained in my office for the full Constitutional period of five days, and will become laws without my approval:

- S. B. NO. 84 RELATING TO RETIREMENT
- S. B. NO. 258 RELATING TO INSURERS
- S. B. NO. 259 RELATING TO ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE AGENTS
- S. B. NO. 269 RELATING TO JUNIOR COLLEGES
- S. B. NO. 272 RELATING TO FLORIDA STATE DAY
- S. B. NO. 305 RELATING TO PORTS, HARBORS AND AIR FIELDS
- S. B. NO. 313 RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
- S. B. NO. 625 RELATING TO SUPERVISOR OF REGISTRATION
- S. B. NO. 626 RELATING TO PALM BEACH COUNTY
- S. B. NO. 662 RELATING TO JACKSONVILLE
- S. B. NO. 663 RELATING TO JACKSONVILLE
- S. B. NO. 691 RELATING TO JACKSONVILLE
- S. B. NO. 723 RELATING TO COURT REPORTER
- S. B. NO. 731 RELATING TO SUPERVISOR OF REGISTRATION
- S. B. NO. 744 RELATING TO ZONING REGULATIONS
- S. B. NO. 749 RELATING TO SUPERVISORS OF REGISTRATION
- S. B. NO. 758 RELATING TO TAMPA
- S. B. NO. 762 RELATING TO ESCAMBIA COUNTY
- S. B. NO. 766 RELATING TO NEW PORT RICHEY
- S. B. NO. 774 RELATING TO GAME AND FRESH WATER FISH COMMISSION
- S. B. NO. 786 RELATING TO CORAL GABLES
- S. B. NO. 788 RELATING TO VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PERSONNEL
- S. B. NO. 789 RELATING TO PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
- S. B. NO. 793 RELATING TO CITY OF NEPTUNE BEACH
- S. B. NO. 805 RELATING TO PINELLAS COUNTY
- S. B. NO. 810 RELATING TO INVERNESS

Respectfully,

DAN McCARTY,
Governor.

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
TALLAHASSEE

June 1, 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:

S. B. No. 43—Relating to Insurance Agents and Solicitors

S. B. No. 122—Relating to Insurance Adjusters

Respectfully,

DAN McCARTY,
Governor

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
TALLAHASSEE

June 1, 1953

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

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that on May 29, 1953, I approved the following Act, which originated in your Honorable Body, Regular Session, 1953, and have caused same to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

S. B. No. 271—Relating to Judicial Council

Respectfully,

DAN McCARTY,
Governor

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
TALLAHASSEE

June 1, 1953

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

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that on May 29, 1953, I approved the following Act, which originated in your Honorable Body, Regular Session 1953, and have caused the same to be filed in the Office of the Secretary of State:

S. B. No. 881—Relating to Housing Authorities

Respectfully,

DAN McCARTY,
Governor

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
TALLAHASSEE

May 29, 1953

*Honorable Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
State Capitol*

Sir:

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

S. B. NO. 868 RELATING TO ESCAMBIA COUNTY

Respectfully,

DAN McCARTY
Governor

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

TALLAHASSEE

June 1, 1953

*Honorable Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
State Capitol*

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that I have today filed in the office of the Secretary of State the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable Body, Regular Session, 1953, same having remained in my office for the full Constitutional period of five days, and will become laws without my approval:

S. B. NO. 135 RELATING TO BOARD OF EDUCATION

S. B. NO. 408 RELATING TO INSTITUTIONAL ON-FARM TRAINING PROGRAM

Respectfully,

DAN McCARTY
Governor

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 Bills Nos. 1094 and 1100; and House Bills Nos. 1766, 1765, 1759, 1754, 1736, 1735, 1733, 1689, 1690, 1692, 1711, 1726, 1728, 1732, 1299, 1386, 1387 and 1388.

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

Senator Hodges asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 141, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 141—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the fencing of livestock in Levy County, Florida; providing the liability of the owner of livestock running at large or straying, the impounding and sale of such livestock; prescribing the duty of County Commissioners and Sheriffs hereunder; providing punishment for violation of the provisions hereof and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 141 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 141 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Hodges offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 141:

In Section 4, line 2, (typewritten bill) strike out the comma and insert in lieu thereof the following: "after due notice"

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 141:

In Section 16, line 2, (typewritten bill) add the following: "This Act shall become effective January 1, 1954"

Senator Hodges moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 141, 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. 141, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 141, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 141 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Lindler asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 789, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 789—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the fencing of livestock in Columbia County, Florida; providing the liability of the owner of livestock running at large or straying; the impounding and sale of such livestock, prescribing the duty of County Commissioners and Sheriffs hereunder; providing punishment for violation of the provisions hereof and repealing certain laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up.

Senator Lindler moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 789 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 789 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Lindler offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 789:

In Section 3, line 7, (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "fences" and insert in lieu thereof the word: "fenced".

Senator Lindler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Lindler also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 789:

In Section 5, line 19, page 4, (typewritten bill) after the word "claimed" insert the word: "by".

Senator Lindler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Lindler also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 789:

After Section 14, line last, (typewritten bill) insert the following:

"Section 15. Any person, firm or corporation owning land through which a county maintained road has or shall be constructed, said person, firm or corporation shall not be required to fence the land on both sides of said road, but shall only be required to construct and maintain cattle guards at each entrance where said county maintained road intersects the land."

"Section 16. The provisions of this act shall not apply to lands lying and being in Columbia County, Florida, designated in whole or in part as a National Forest."

"Section 17. No person in Columbia County who permits, without compensation, the public use of a private road shall be held liable for any injury to person or property by reason of a collision or in any other manner involving livestock by persons using any such private road."

Senator Lindler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Lindler also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 789:

In Sections 15, 16, line 1, (typewritten bill) strike out the figures 15 and 16 respectively and insert in lieu thereof the following: figures 18 and 19 respectively.

Senator Lindler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Lindler also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 789:

After Section 19, line last, (typewritten bill) insert the following:

"Section 20. This Act shall take effect January 1, 1954."

Senator Lindler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Lindler also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 789:

In title, line 6, (typewritten bill) after the word: "hereunder;" insert the words: "providing certain exceptions hereof;"

Senator Lindler moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Lindler moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 789, 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. 789, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 789, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 789 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Shands moved that House Bill No. 1145 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary "C" and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senator Shands asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1145, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1145—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 7.01, 7.04 and 7.12, Florida Statutes, redefining the

boundaries of Alachua County, Bradford County and Columbia County.

Was taken up.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1145 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1145 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1145 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. 1145 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1145 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1145 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 House Bill No. 1777, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1777—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary of the Superintendent of Public Instruction of Hernando County, Florida.

Was taken up.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1777 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1777 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Connor offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1777:

In Section 1, line 1 and following, (typewritten bill) strike out: All following the period following the section number and insert in lieu thereof the following: following the period after the section number 1 insert the following words "From and after July 1, 1953, the salary of the Superintendent of Public Instruction of Hernando County shall be set by the Board of Public Instruction of Hernando County at not less than fifty dollars (\$50.00) or more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per annum in excess of the highest paid instructional personnel in said county under the minimum foundation program; provided that it shall be the duty of said Board of Public Instruction to set said salary in accordance with the provisions of this Act."

Senator Connor 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. 1777, 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. 1777, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1777, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1777 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Franklin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1419, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1419—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and establishing the City of Fort Myers Beach, in Lee County, Florida: defining its boundaries, jurisdiction, powers and immunities: to provide its form of government, officers and election of officers: authorizing the assessment and levying of taxes therein for municipal purposes: providing for a referendum election before the Act shall take effect and other matters necessary in and to the administration of the affairs of such municipality.

Was taken up.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1419 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1419 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1419:

In Section 70, (mimeographed bill) strike out Section 70 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 70. The Election Board shall be composed of the following persons, to-wit: B. P. Glorieux, N. R. Scott, Hugh Wood, Jewell Ursoleo and Cyrilla Harby. Such persons shall be officers of the city for the purposes aforesaid, and shall organize themselves into their proper functions for carrying out the purposes for which such board exists. A majority of the board shall constitute a quorum.

Senator Franklin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Franklin also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1419:

In Section 71, (mimeographed bill) strike out Section 71 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 71. Until the first election of officers, which shall be February 2nd, 1954, as herein provided, the officers of the City of Fort Myers Beach shall be Paul L. Lewis, Mayor, Charles F. Green, Douglas G. Knapp, Donald Zimmer, Helen L. Kavanaugh, A. A. Hamel, Edward Pacelli, James S. Miller, Olen E. Bee, William P. Heasley as Aldermen, forming the City Council, provided that if either or any of the said officials fail, refuse or neglect to serve, then the City Council may by majority vote appoint some other resident of the city to fill the position of such person until the first election under this Charter.

Senator Franklin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Franklin also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1419:

In Section 72, mimeographed bill, strike out Section 72 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 72. This Act shall not become effective until and unless it is approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the City who are freeholders, as herein specified, voting at a referendum election for the ratification or rejection thereof, to be held on the third day of November, 1953. Such election shall be conducted by said Election Board as provided for the election of City officers.

Senator Franklin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Franklin also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1419:

In Section 74, mimeographed bill strike out Section 74 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 74. The Supervisor of Registration of Lee County shall keep registration books open and permit persons residing in the territory of the City as hereinbefore provided to register until midnight October 20, 1953. At the referendum election provided for in this Act, only qualified freeholders residing in the area of the City shall be permitted to vote. In determining who are freeholders, the Election Board shall be governed by the definition of a freeholder as determined by the Supreme Court of Florida as follows: "One who has an immediate beneficial ownership interest, legal or equitable, in the title to a fee simple estate in land may be regarded as a freeholder." The Election Board shall obtain from the Supervisor of Registration of Lee County, Florida, a list of all registered electors in the area of the City as shown by the registration books in the office of said Supervisor of Registration as of midnight October 20, 1953, and shall ascertain their qualifications as freeholders and shall prepare a list of persons entitled to vote in said referendum election and said list shall be posted in at least five conspicuous places in the area of said City on or before November 1, 1953. The Election Board shall cause to be prepared in plain white paper ballots to be voted at such referendum election and cause to be printed one and one-half times as many ballots as there are qualified electors and freeholders of the area composing said City entitled to vote at such election. The ballot shall be substantially in the following form:

"OFFICIAL BALLOT TO BE VOTED AT THE FORT MYERS BEACH REFERENDUM ELECTION"

"SHALL THE CHARTER OF FORT MYERS BEACH, FLORIDA, PASSED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF FLORIDA IN 1953 BE ADOPTED?"

"(To vote for the adoption of the Charter make a cross x before the word 'Yes'. To vote against the adoption of such Charter make a cross x before the word 'No'.)

.....YES

.....NO"

Senator Franklin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1419, 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. 1419, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1419, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1419 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Black asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1539, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1539—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of any county having more than 3,400 and less than 3,450 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 Black moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1539 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1539 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1539 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. 1539 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1539 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1539 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 Black asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1066, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1066—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for compensation for services, and salaries, expenses and duties of official circuit court reporters in all judicial circuits having a population of not less than fifty thousand (50,000) and not more than ninety thousand (90,000) according to the last state or federal census.

Was taken up.

Senator Black moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1066 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1066 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1066 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. 1066 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1066 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1066 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 Floyd asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 703, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 703—A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify payments of compensation to the tax collector and assessor of taxes, and members of the Board of Public Instruction of counties having a population of not less than 4,500 and not more than 5,500 for the period beginning October 1, 1949, and ending June 30, 1951.

Was taken up.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 703 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 703 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 703 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. 703 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 703 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 703 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 Floyd asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1618, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1618—A bill to be entitled An Act prohibiting the taking or attempted taking of fish from the salt waters of counties in Florida having a population not less than 4,500 and not more than 5,500 according to the latest federal census, by means of nets not conforming to the prescribed mesh sizes; prescribing mesh sizes; repealing local laws in conflict; providing a penalty and repealing conflicting laws.

Was taken up.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1618 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1618 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and

House Bill No. 1618 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. 1618 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1618 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1618 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 Houghton asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1690, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1690—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the compensation of the juvenile judge and the expenses of his office in each county having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 240,000 inhabitants, according to the last official census; providing who shall pay such compensation and expense money and repealing Chapter 270.53 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951.

Was taken up.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1690 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1690 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1690 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. 1690 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1690 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1690 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 Houghton asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1689, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1689—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of county judges in all counties of the State of Florida now or hereafter having a population of more than one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) inhabitants and not more than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants, according to the last preceding or any future fed-

eral census; providing additional compensation for said county judges and the manner, time and sources of payment of said additional compensation; defining the term "net income", and the effect of this law; providing for a portion of said compensation to be paid from the general revenue fund of such counties; making the same a county purpose; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict.

Was taken up.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1689 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1689 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1689 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. 1689 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1689 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1689 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 Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1387, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1387—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 25226, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, creating a small claims court in counties having a population of not less than 25,000 and not more than 27,900 according to the last state census, insofar as said chapter affects or applies to counties having a population of not less than 26,000 and not more than 27,600 according to the last official census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1387 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1387 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1387 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. 1387 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1387 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1387 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 Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1388, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1388—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 14511, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1929, regulating taking salt water fish in counties having a population of not less than 9,775 nor more than 9,800, according to the latest state census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1388 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1388 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1388 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. 1388 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1388 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1388 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 Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1386, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1386—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 16264, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1933, authorizing acceptance of certain county obligations in payment of taxes due in counties having a population of between 9,800 and 10,000 according to the 1930 federal census.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1386 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1386 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1386 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. 1386 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1386 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Beall	Boyle	Bronson
Baker	Black	Branch	Carlton

Clarke	Floyd	King	Pope
Collins	Franklin	Lewis	Ripley
Connor	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Rodgers
Crary	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	Rogells
Davis	Hodges	Melvin	Shands
Dayton	Houghton	Morrow	Sturgis
Douglas	Johnson	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1386 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 Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1587, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1587—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for a pension system for the police department employees of the City of Daytona Beach, Florida; creating a pension board for said department, providing pensions for retired and disabled employees of said police department of said city; creating a retirement fund and making provision for contributions into same by said employees of said city and for contributions into same by the city and for payments from same; providing for the investment of funds held in such retirement fund; and repealing all laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1587 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1587 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1587 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. 1587 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1587 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1587 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 Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1588, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1588—A bill to be entitled An Act to extend and enlarge the corporate limits of the City of Daytona Beach, a municipality in Volusia County, Florida, so as to include therein all lands and waters bounded on the north by the present city limits of the City of Daytona Beach, on the south by the southern boundary of Wilbur-By-The-Sea according to the plat thereof recorded among the public records in Volusia County, Florida, on the west by the center of the channel of the Halifax River on the east by the Atlantic Ocean: to prescribe the liability of the property within the annexed territory for municipal taxation; to give the said City of Daytona Beach, Florida, jurisdiction over the territory embraced in said extension, and providing that said Act shall not become operative or effective until ratified or ap-

proved at a referendum election to be called and held in the territory to be so annexed to said city in accordance with Section 21 of Article III of the Constitution of Florida.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1588 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1588 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1588 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. 1588 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1588 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1588 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 Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1638, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1638—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 19768, Special Acts of the Legislature of Florida of 1939, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Daytona Beach, in the County of Volusia, in the State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Daytona Beach, in Volusia County, State of Florida, to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges; and to provide for the appointment by the Governor of the first members of the City Commission"; adding a new section providing for the election of a mayor at large, and providing for his tenure, and duties and providing for a referendum.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1638 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1638 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1638 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. 1638 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1638 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Branch	Connor	Floyd
Baker	Bronson	Crary	Franklin
Beall	Carlton	Davis	Gautier (28th)
Black	Clarke	Dayton	Gautier (13th)
Boyle	Collins	Douglas	Hodges

Houghton	Lindler	Pearce	Rogells
Johnson	McArthur	Pope	Shands
King	Melvin	Ripley	Sturgis
Lewis	Morrow	Rodgers	Tapper

Nays—None

So House Bill No. 1638 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 Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1639, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1639—A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the size of dip nets for the taking of shrimp within the inland waters of Volusia County.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1639 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1639 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1639 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. 1639 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1639 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1639 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 Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1640, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1640—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the taking of bait shrimp in counties with a population of not less than sixty thousand (60,000) nor more than eighty thousand (80,000) according to the last preceding federal census.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1640 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1640 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1640 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. 1640 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1640 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1640 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 Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1754, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1754—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for liens in favor of operators of hospitals in counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than sixty thousand nor more than eighty thousand according to the last preceding Federal Census upon causes of action, suits, claims, counterclaims and demands accruing to patients therein, or their legal representatives, and upon judgments, settlements and settlement agreements, on account of injuries of such patients, for all reasonable charges for hospital care, treatment and maintenance necessitated by such injuries; providing for method of perfecting and enforcing such liens, and for the recovery of costs, and reasonable attorney's fees in any action enforcing such liens; requiring claims for lien to be recorded and fees for recording; providing that no release or satisfaction shall be valid as against lien unless lien-holder joins therein or executes release; providing that acceptance of release or satisfaction of any cause of action, suit, claim, counterclaim, demand or judgment and any settlement in absence of release or satisfaction of lien shall prima facie constitute impairment of such lien, and giving lien-holder right of action at law for damages on account of such impairment, and providing for recovery from one accepting release or satisfaction or making settlement; exempting from provisions of this Act matters within purview of Workmen's Compensation Act of this State.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1754 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1754 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1754 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. 1754 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1754 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1754 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 Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1755, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1755—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for liens in favor of operators of hospitals in Volusia County, Florida, upon causes of action, suits, claims, counterclaims and demands accruing to patients therein, or their legal representatives, and upon judgments, settlements and settlement agreements, on account of injuries of such patients, for all reasonable charges for hospital care, treatment and maintenance necessitated by such injuries; providing for method of perfecting and enforcing such liens, and for the recovery of costs and reasonable attorney's fees in any action enforcing such liens; requiring claims for lien to be recorded and fees for recording; providing that no release or satisfaction shall be valid as against lien unless lien-holder joins therein or executes release; providing that acceptance of release or satisfaction of any cause of action, suit, claim, counterclaim, demand or judgment and any settlement in absence of release or satisfaction of lien shall prima facie constitute impairment of such lien, and giving lien-holder right of action at law for damages on account of such impairment, and providing for recovery from one accepting release or satisfaction or making settlement; exempting from provisions of this Act matters within purview of Workmen's Compensation Act of this State.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1755 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1755 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1755 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. 1755 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1755 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1755 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 Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1586, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1586—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the acquisition or construction, financing and operation of racing and recreational facilities by the City of Daytona Beach and the County of Volusia, Florida, through the "Daytona Beach Racing and Recreational Facilities Authority" which is hereby created and established; providing for the appointment of the members of the Authority by the governing bodies of the City of Daytona Beach and the County of Volusia, Florida; authorizing and empowering said Authority to acquire, construct, reconstruct, improve, extend, enlarge, equip, repair, maintain and operate racing and recreational facilities within said County; prescribing the powers and duties of said Authority; providing for paying the whole or any part of the cost of such facilities by the issuance of revenue bonds payable solely from the revenues of such facilities; providing for the imposition and collection of rates, rentals, fees and charges for the use of such facilities and for the application thereof; granting to said Authority the power of acquiring necessary

real and personal property, and to exercise the power of eminent domain; authorizing the acceptance of grants and contributions in aid of the purposes of this act; and authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1586 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1586 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1586:

(Typewritten bill), add a new section reading as follows:

Section 14½. The terms "racing and recreational facilities", "race tracks" and "sporting events", used in this act shall not embrace or include but shall exclude all race track and jai alai fronton permits and permittees conducting pari-mutuel pools in this state; and the provisions of this act shall not apply to race tracks and jai alai frontons licensed and authorized to operate under Chapters 550 and 551 of the Florida Statutes and amendments thereto.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gautier (28th) also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1586:

Strike out the period at the end of the title and add the following: "; and providing that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to race tracks licensed to operate and to conduct pari-mutuel pools under Chapter 550 of the Florida Statutes, and providing that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to jai alai frontons licensed to operate and to conduct pari-mutuel pools under the provisions of Chapter 551 of the Florida Statutes."

Senator Gautier (28th) moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1586, 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. 1586, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1586, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1586 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Sturgis asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 603, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 603—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 177, Florida Statutes, by adding a section thereto to be numbered Section 177.16; requiring recordation of the official right of way maps of the State Road Department.

Was taken up.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 603 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 603 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 603 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. 603 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 603 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 603 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 Dayton presiding.

Senator Sturgis asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1501, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1501—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 212.07, Subsection (5), Florida Statutes 1951, by providing that sales of livestock by the producer shall be exempt from the tax imposed by Chapter 212, Florida Statutes 1951, although made by the producer at a livestock show or race meeting after registry of the livestock with a breeders or registry association.

Was taken up.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1501 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1501 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1501 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. 1501 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1501 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1501 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 unanimous consent Senator Sturgis withdrew Senate Bill No. 928.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 with amendments—

By the Committee on Citrus Fruits—

S. B. No. 513—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to citrus fruit and amending Section 601.15 Florida Statutes 1951 relative to the excise tax levied on citrus fruit by adding an additional sub-paragraph to said Section 601.15 to be designated (3) (aa) to remain in effect for a period of two years only providing for an additional excise tax on grapefruit of two cents per box and providing that this Act shall expire on July 31st, 1955.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the following in lieu thereof:

Section 1. That Chapter 601 Florida Statutes, be and the same is hereby amended by the addition of Section 601.151 to read as follows:

Section 601.151—Additional Tax on Grapefruit—There is hereby levied and imposed an additional excise tax of two cents per box upon each standard packed box of grapefruit grown in Florida.

Section 2. The Florida Citrus Commission is hereby authorized and directed, on or before September 1st, 1953 to issue and promulgate rules and regulations to create from the proceeds of this tax a \$100,000.00 reserve fund, each calendar year to be used exclusively to refund handlers, as a rebate for brand advertising for fresh grapefruit only, on a basis not to exceed \$1.00 for every \$2.00 spent in brand advertising. No handler shall receive in rebate during any year more than he has paid in such year in additional taxes levied by this Act.

The term "advertising" shall be restricted to point of sale material, price cards or other printed matter used in the display of fresh grapefruit and to newspaper, bill-board, magazine, radio or television advertising.

Section 3. If any part or parts of this Act should be held unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remaining part and provisions shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. This Act shall remain in full force and effect only until July 31st, 1955.

Section 5. This Act shall take effect August 1st, 1953

Amendment No. 2—

Strike out the title and insert the following in lieu thereof:

An Act relating to citrus fruit and amending Chapter 601, Florida Statutes, 1951, by the addition of a section to be designated Section 601.151 relative to the excise tax levied on grapefruit; providing for an additional excise tax on grapefruit of two cents per box for a period of two years; providing for a reserve fund of \$100,000.00 for rebate for brand advertising and providing that this Act shall expire on July 31, 1955.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 513, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House amendments thereto.

Senator Carlton moved that the Senate concur in House amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 513.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 513.

Senator Carlton moved that the Senate concur in House amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 513.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 513.

And Senate Bill No. 513, as amended, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 with amendments—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 991—A bill to be entitled An Act pertaining to each county having a population in excess of 400,000 according to the most recent official census; authorizing the Board of County Commissioners in each such county to adopt police regulations pertaining to traffic on, along and across certain public highways and toll roads in each such county; providing that such police regulations shall have the force and effect of law; providing for penalties for violations of such police regulations.

—which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 1., at the end thereof: insert the following: It is specifically provided however, that no such regulations pertaining to traffic on, along or across any State Road maintained by the State Road Department of Florida or to the speed of motor vehicles thereon or the parking of vehicles within the right-of-way thereof shall be effective unless and until approved in writing by such department. It is further provided that no such Board of County Commissioners may cause to be placed any stop signs or signals or other traffic control signs or signals within the right-of-way of any State Road maintained by the State Road Department of Florida without the written consent of such Department.

Amendment No. 2—

In the title, at the end thereof: insert the following: Provided, no such regulation pertaining to any State Road shall be effective unless approved in writing by the State Road Department of Florida.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 991, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House amendments thereto.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the Senate concur in House amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 991.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 991.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the Senate concur in House amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 991.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 991.

And Senate Bill No. 991, as amended, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 with Amendment—

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 1027—A bill to be entitled amending and or supplementing Section 6 of Chapter 27580, Special Laws of Florida, 1951, (Charter of the City of Gulfport, Florida) so as to give to the City of Gulfport certain additional legal powers and authority, viz:—to transport to and from and to incarcerate and enjoin in the jail or jails of the County of Pinellas and or any municipality or municipalities situate in the County of Pinellas, persons lawfully detained under arrest pending posting of bail, and or lawfully sentenced to serve jail sentences by the Municipal Court of the City of Gulfport; to contract with and enter into agreements with the County of Pinellas and or any municipality or municipalities situate in the County of Pinellas for the jailing, feeding, care and servicing of such prisoners; to make it lawful for Municipal Police or other proper officers of the City of Gulfport to conduct and transport to and from, and to enjoin in such jails outside the city limits of Gulfport such prisoners; and to protect said city and its officers from liability for carrying out such powers; and to empower the Gulfport Municipal Court to sentence prisoners convicted of violation of law to serve time in a jail located outside the Gulfport city limits.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Which Amendment reads as follows:

In the title, line 1, of the bill, before the words: amending and or supplementing insert the following: An Act

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 1027, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House amendment thereto.

Senator Houghton moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 1027.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 1027.

And Senate Bill No. 1027, as amended, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Johns—

S. B. No. 1088—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and chartering a municipality to be known as the City of Ralford, in Union County, Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, powers, franchises, privileges and jurisdiction.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 865—A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the Town of Bay Harbor Islands, in the County of Dade, in the State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the Town of Bay Harbor Islands, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges; providing a referendum.

Also—

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 1074—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court of Polk County, Florida, amending paragraphs (a) and (f) of Section 2, Section 3, Section 7, Section 12, paragraphs (b) and (d) of Section 14, of Chapter 20789, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1941, as amended by Chapter 27318, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951, by changing the age from eighteen years to seventeen years; providing for salaries of Judge and Chief Counselor; providing for expenses of said court and officers of this court.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 1088, 865 and 1074, contained in the above message, were 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,
June 2, 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 granted the request of the Senate and returns herewith—

By Senator Dayton—

S. B. No. 778—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 932.30, Florida Statutes, relating to the procurement of expert witnesses in felony cases upon motion of the State and to the compensation of such witnesses, so that the same shall also apply to the procurement and compensation of expert witnesses upon the motion of insolvent defendants in felony cases.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 778, contained in the above message, was read by title.

Senator Dayton moved that the rules be waived and the Senate immediately reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 778 passed the Senate on May 29, 1953.

The President put the question: "Will the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 778 passed the Senate on May 29, 1953?"

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

So the Senate reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 778 passed the Senate on May 29, 1953.

The question recurred on the passage of Senate Bill No. 778.

Pending roll call on the passage of Senate Bill No. 778, by unanimous consent Senator Dayton withdrew Senate Bill No. 778.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Crary—

S. B. No. 319—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 36.17, Florida Statutes, relating to the fees to be charged by County Judges.

Also—

By Senator Melvin—

S. B. No. 342—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 450.04, Florida Statutes, 1951, relating to child labor, by providing that the Florida Industrial Commission may grant waivers to relieve hardship; and making this Act effective July 1, 1953.

Also—

By Senators Melvin and Crary—

S. B. No. 417—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (4) of Section 440.09, Florida Statutes, 1951, known as "Workmen's Compensation Law," relating to payment of compensation to public employees entitled to payments from pension funds; and making this Act effective July 1, 1953.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bills Nos. 319, 342 and 417, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Beall—

S. B. No. 1083—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Pensacola to transfer funds with accumulated interest, currently on hand, in the "Industrial Facilities Fund" of the City of Pensacola, created by Chapter 18779, Laws of Florida, Special Acts 1937, to the "1950 Recreation Revenue Certificate Proceeds Account", to be used in the construction and equipping of the municipal auditorium and to transfer balances due to "Industrial Facilities Fund" to the general fund of said City; and repealing future levy of tax under said Chapter 18779, Laws of Florida, 1937.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Senator Beall—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 1089—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing but not requiring the Civil Service Board of the City of

Pensacola, Florida, to grant Jules Crawford Maxwell a re-hearing on the charges of which he stands convicted and dismissed before said board and authorizing said board if it shall be so disposed to hear and consider all evidence presented by the City of Pensacola and Jules Crawford Maxwell which are material to his guilt or innocence of said charges, and to render judgment in accordance herewith.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 1087—A bill to be entitled An Act excluding from the territorial limits of the City of New Smyrna Beach, in Volusia County, Florida, certain portions of its incorporated territory.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 1083, 1089 and 1087, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 Baker—

Senate Memorial No. 1075:

A MEMORIAL TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FROM FLORIDA REQUESTING THEM TO USE THEIR BEST EFFORTS TO OBTAIN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AN APPROPRIATION FROM THE CONGRESS FOR THE COMPLETION OF A SURVEY OF THE SUWANNEE RIVER BASIN, AS AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 205, PUBLIC LAW 516, OF THE EIGHTY-FIRST CONGRESS, 1950, KNOWN AS THE FLOOD CONTROL ACT OF 1950.

WHEREAS, an Interim Committee on Inland Waterways of the Florida Legislature, appointed pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 960 of the 1951 Legislature, has completed its labors and has recommended that this Legislature request the members of Congress from Florida to use their best efforts to obtain an appropriation from the Congress for the completion of the survey of the Suwannee River Basin, as authorized by Section 205, Public Law 516, of the Eighty-First Congress, 1950, known as the Flood Control Act of 1950; and

WHEREAS, the development of the Suwannee River Basin is of vital importance to the people of Florida in general and the residents of the Basin particularly; and

WHEREAS, the planning of the development of the Basin is in a large measure dependent upon the completion of the survey by the Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army heretofore authorized by the Congress, but for which funds have not been appropriated: NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING:

SECTION 1. That the Honorable Spessard L. Holland and the Honorable George A. Smathers, United States Senators from Florida, and the Honorable Courtney Campbell, the Honorable Charles E. Bennett, the Honorable Bob Sikes, the Honorable Bill Lantaff, the Honorable A. S. Herlong, Jr., the Honorable Dwight L. Rogers, the Honorable James A. Haley, and the Honorable D. R. Matthews, Members of the House of Representatives from Florida, be and they are hereby

respectfully requested by the 1953 Legislature of Florida to use their best efforts to obtain as soon as possible an appropriation from the Congress of the United States of America for the completion of the survey by the Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army, of the Suwannee River Basin, as authorized by Section 205, Public Law 516, of the Eighty-First Congress, 1950, known as the Flood Control Act of 1950.

SECTION 2. That a certified copy of this Memorial be furnished to each of the persons set out in Section 1 hereof.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Memorial No. 1075, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. 344—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 440.13, 440.14, 440.15-1, 440.16, 440.24, 440.25, 440.27, 440.28, 440.44, 440.48, 440.49, 440.51, and 440.54 of Chapter 440, Florida Statutes, 1951, known as "Workmen's Compensation Act," relating to medical services and supplies, average weekly wages, compensation, occupational diseases, enforcement and penalties, claims procedure, modification and review of orders, rehabilitation of injured employees, and organization of the Florida Industrial Commission; and making this Act effective July 1, 1953.

Also—

By Senator Johns—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 356—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 46.09, Florida Statutes, relating to the joinder of actions of a parent or guardian with the action of the child and the joinder of actions of husband and wife.

Also—

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 318—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 78 Florida Statutes 1951, and particularly Section 78.01 relating to actions of replevin.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bills Nos. 344, 356 and 318, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 Johns—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 363—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 768.01, Florida Statutes, relating to right of action for death due to wrongful act, negligence, carelessness or default based on both contract and tort.

Also—

By Senators Baker and Sturgis—

S. B. No. 283—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to compensation of jurors in all courts of the state; amending Section 40.24, Florida Statutes and repealing Section 41.08, Florida Statutes.

Also—

By Senator Davis—

S. B. No. 225—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to proof of damages after default entered against defendant by adding new section to Chapter 50, Florida Statutes, empowering judge to hear evidence and enter final judgment either in vacation or term time without a jury.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 363, 283 and 225, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 the Committee on Judiciary "A"—

S. B. No. 546—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 562.48, Florida Statutes, relating to minors patronizing dance halls where intoxicating beverages are sold and providing penalty for violation thereof.

Also—

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 92—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 205.15, Florida Statutes, relating to the exemption of certain persons from the payment of business or occupational license taxes, by repealing the provision exempting deaf and dumb persons.

Also—

By Senator Collins—

S. B. No. 196—A bill to be entitled An Act giving the power and authority to the State Budget Commission to make, or cause to be made under its supervision, a survey study and report of all State employment, compensation and pay scales, embracing all phases of sound personnel administration in State government, with the power and authority to put into effect the recommendations as made to the fullest extent possible, and to make specific recommendations to the 1955 regular session of the Legislature, and providing an appropriation therefor.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 546, 92 and 196, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Ripley—

S. B. No. 117—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to and providing for procedure in a default in the undertaking of bonds; prescribing the action to be taken for the enforcement thereof; and limiting the liability of sureties under such bonds to the penalties therein specified.

Also—

By Senator Sturgis—

S. B. No. 236—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to limitations of actions: providing an additional Section to Chapter 95, Florida Statutes; providing that provisions of existing law which bar actions not commenced within twenty years shall apply to actions by the State, or its agencies, or by any county or municipal corporation; and providing period after effective date of this Act in which State, its agencies, counties or municipal corporations may commence actions which would otherwise be barred by this Act.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bills Nos. 117 and 236, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Collins—

S. B. No. 275—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 394.23 Subsection (2) Florida Statutes 1951 providing for compensation for resident practicing physicians appointed on examining committees for mentally and physically incompetent persons; providing for a minimum and maximum of such compensation, and for certification by the county judge to the Board of County Commissioners for any such compensation exceeding the minimum; repeal of laws in conflict herewith, and providing for effective date thereof.

Also—

By Senator Melvin—

S. B. No. 270—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (2) of Section 650.02, Subsection (4) of Section 650.02, Subsection (6) of Section 650.02, paragraph (c) of Subsection (1) of Section 650.03, paragraph (b) of Subsection (1) of Section 650.05, Subsection (4) of Section 650.05, and Subsection (5) of Section 650.05, Florida Statutes, relating to coverage of certain officers and employees of the State and local governments under the old age and survivors insurance provisions of Title II of the Federal Social Security Act as amended, and making this Act effective July 1, 1953.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bills Nos. 275 and 270, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Ripley—

S. B. No. 14—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 398.02, 398.04, 398.17, 398.18, 398.22 and 398.24, Florida Statutes, relating to definitions of narcotic drugs, licenses for dealing in narcotic drugs, inspection of prescriptions and orders for, records and stocks of narcotic drugs, examination and commitment for treatment of drug addicts, punishments for violations of the Narcotic Drug Law and seizure and forfeiture of vehicles, boats and aircraft used in violating the uniform Narcotic Drug Law.

Also—

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 264—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 519.11, Florida Statutes, relating to wage assignments in discount credit consumer financing; to provide that assignments shall not be valid unless accepted by employer, and employer shall be compensated for paying over collectible amounts.

Also—

By Senator Pope—

S. B. No. 781—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the disposition of certain miscellaneous funds which are carried on the records of the State Treasurer, by transferring such funds into the General Revenue Fund of the State, and providing that same shall forever remain appropriated and available for refund to owners thereof upon presentation of just claims therefor, and providing the method and procedure for claimants to follow in securing refund of any amount of such funds due them.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bills Nos. 14, 264 and 781, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 King—

S. B. No. 959—A bill to be entitled An Act to incorporate the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Florida, and all subordinate or particular commanderies chartered thereby.

Also—

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 960—A bill to be entitled An Act to incorporate the most excellent Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Florida, and all subordinate or particular chapters chartered thereby.

Also—

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 961—A bill to be entitled An Act to incorporate the most illustrious Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of Florida, and all subordinate or particular councils chartered thereby.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 959, 960 and 961, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. 343—A bill to be entitled An Act amending and revising Chapter 450, Florida Statutes, 1951, relating to child labor, by rearranging and renumbering the sections, clarifying apparent conflicts, and consolidating related sections.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 343, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 the Committee on Governmental Reorganization—

S. B. No. 559—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to hotels, apartment houses, rooming houses, and restaurants; amending Chapter 509, Sections 510.04(3), 511.21 and 511.28, all Florida Statutes, by designating Hotel Commission as Hotel and Restaurant Commission; providing for an advisory council; prescribing method of elevator inspection; providing for compensation of inspectors and architects; prescribing liability for property of guests and tenants; repealing Chapter 26945, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951; and providing effective date of this Act.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 559, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 2, 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, with amendment, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the House of Representatives for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature—

By Senator Crary—

S. B. No. 115—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Charles R. King of Fort Pierce, Florida, and making an appropriation to compensate him for injuries resulting from an accident wherein the automobile in which Charles R. King was riding collided with a patrol car belonging to the Department of Public Safety of the State of Florida.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 2, lines 5, 6, 7, of the bill, strike out the words: "not otherwise appropriated, and the treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay said warrant out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated." and insert the following in lieu thereof: "appropriated to the Florida Highway Patrol, and the treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay said warrant out of funds appropriated to the Florida Highway Patrol."

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 115, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House amendment thereto.

Senator Crary moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 115.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 115.

And Senate Bill No. 115, as amended, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 2, 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 indefinitely postponed—

By Senator Ripley—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 977:

A JOINT RESOLUTION DESIGNATING SEPTEMBER 17TH OF EACH YEAR AS CONSTITUTION DAY.

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

That the 17th day of September of each year is hereby designated as "Constitution Day" in commemoration of the formation and signing on September 17th, 1787 of the Constitution of the United States; and the Governor of the State of Florida is hereby authorized to issue an annual proclamation calling on the public officials of the State of Florida to display the flag of the United States on all government buildings on such day and inviting the people of the State to observe the day in schools and churches and other suitable places with appropriate ceremonies.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the civil and educational authorities of the State of Florida and of the counties, cities and towns of Florida be, and they are hereby urged to make plans for the proper observance of this day and for the full instructions of citizens in their responsibilities and opportunities as citizens of the United States and of the State of Florida.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 2, 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 indefinitely postponed—

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.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 2, 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 indefinitely postponed—

By Senator Fraser—

S. B. No. 1023—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the nomination and election of County Commissioners of Baker County, Florida, and to provide for their nomination and election by the voters of said county at large and not by districts, and to prescribe where they shall reside, repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing for a referendum.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Boyle—

S. B. No. 346—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 171.04, Florida Statutes, relating to the contraction and extension of the territorial limits of municipalities; relating to the annexation of vacant and uninhabited areas and of areas owned solely by one individual person, firm or corporation; and providing that any area to be so annexed shall constitute a reasonably compact addition to the incorporated territory to which it is annexed.

Also—

By Senators Sturgis and Dayton—

S. B. No. 923—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sub-section (2) of Section 865.061, Florida Statutes, relating to purchase and sale of certain trees, shrubs and plants.

Also—

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 478—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize Max J. Mackler upon contributing the full amount he would have been required to contribute to the State officers and employees retirement system, to receive credit for prior service to the State under such retirement system.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bills Nos. 346, 923 and 478, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 Carlton—

S. B. No. 1080—A bill to be entitled An Act dedicating, designating and naming one of the lakes of the State of Florida, located between Sections 30 and 31, Township 33 South, Range 29 East.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 1080, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 the Committee on Welfare—

S. B. No. 621—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 409.111, Florida Statutes, to provide for the salary of the State Welfare Director and assistant director; providing the effective date of this Act.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 621, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 2, 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 with Amendment—

By Senator Melvin—

S. B. No. 231—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 443.03, 443.06, 443.07, 443.08, 443.09, 443.11, and 443.15, Florida Statutes 1951, known as the "Unemployment Compensation Law," relating to definitions, disqualification for fraud, re-determinations of claims, contribution rates, transfer of employment experience, terminations and election, Board of Review, and collection of contributions; and making this Act effective July 1, 1953.

Which Amendment reads as follows:

In Section 11, strike out all of Section 11 and renumber the bill accordingly.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 231, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House amendment thereto.

Senator Melvin moved that the Senate do not concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 231.

Which was agreed to and the Senate refused to concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 231.

Senator Melvin moved that the House of Representatives be requested to recede from the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 231.

Which was agreed to and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 2, 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 with Amendment—

By Senator McArthur—

S. B. No. 485—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 678.55, Florida Statutes, relating to issuance of warehouse receipts; regulating issuance of warehouse receipts and certificates issued by custodian of field warehouse; declaring certain acts relative thereto to be crimes; providing a sentence therefor; repealing laws in conflict herewith.

Which Amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, strike out the entire section and insert the following in lieu thereof:

Section 1. That Section 678.55, Florida Statutes, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

678.55—Issuance and transfer of Warehouse receipts for goods not in warehouse.

No warehouseman, or any officer, agent, or servant of a warehouseman, shall issue, or aid in the issuance of a warehouse receipt, and no person shall sell, assign, transfer, or pledge any warehouse receipt, except recognized lending agencies, unless he personally knows of his own knowledge that the goods for which such receipt is issued have been actually received and stored in such warehouse, and are under

the actual control of such warehouseman at the time of the issuance of such receipt, or at the time such warehouse receipt is sold, assigned, transferred, or pledged. Any person violating the provisions of this Section shall be deemed guilty of a crime and upon conviction, shall be punished for each such offense by imprisonment in the state prison not exceeding ten years or by a fine not exceeding \$5000.00.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 485, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House amendment thereto.

Senator McArthur moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 485.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 485

And Senate Bill No. 485, as amended, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing, 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,
June 2, 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 indefinitely postponed—

By Senator Franklin—

S. B. No. 113—A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Section 612.62, Florida Statutes, relating to the prohibition of the plea of usury by corporations.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 2, 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 indefinitely postponed—

By Senator Pope—

S. B. No. 958—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing St. Johns County, Florida, to construct roads or highways to be known as a part or parts of State Road No. 5 or U. S. Highway No. 1, State Road No. 207, and State Road A1A within the limits of said St. Johns County; authorizing and providing for the construction of any or all of said roads or highways by the State Road Department of Florida for and on behalf of said St. Johns County; providing for the payment of the cost of construction of any or all of said roads or highways by said St. Johns County from the proceeds of bonds to be issued by said St. Johns County, after approval of said bonds in an election to be held in said St. Johns County in which a majority of the qualified electors of said county who are freeholders in said County shall participate; providing for the issuance of said bonds; providing for the holding of said election under the direction of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida; authorizing the levy of taxes on all taxable property in said County for the payment

of such bonds, and for the maintenance of said roads or highways unless leased to the State Road Department of Florida; authorizing the State Road Department of Florida and St. Johns County to enter into an agreement for the leasing and purchasing of any or all of said roads or highways, to or by the State Road Department of Florida, and prescribing the powers and duties of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, and the State Road Department of Florida in relation to the foregoing; authorizing the County of St. Johns and said State Road Department to pledge surplus gasoline tax funds accruing to said county for bonds issued for said roads or highways or under such lease-purchase agreement.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Marshburn of Levy—

H. B. No. 1193—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to law enforcement officers; requiring the marking of their motor vehicles.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1193, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Mashburn and Stokes of Bay—

H. B. No. 1641—A bill to be entitled An Act permitting the State Road Department to construct a wayside park in St. Andrews State Park in Bay County, Florida, and to construct necessary access roads; providing extent of facilities; providing effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1641, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 2, 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 with amendment—

By Senator Sturgis—

S. B. No. 241—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sub-section (11) of Section 84.05, Florida Statutes, relating to mechanics' lien law; provides for surety bond or alternative method of payment for performance under a contract for the protection of owner, laborer, lienor, subcontractor, materialman and contractor; and properly made payments.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 6, of the bill, strike out the words: "shall require and" and insert the following in lieu thereof: "may require and in such event".

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 241, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House amendment thereto.

Senator Sturgis moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 241.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 241.

And Senate Bill No. 241, as amended, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 2, 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 with amendment—

By Senator Sturgis—

S. B. No. 244—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 84.15, Florida Statutes, relating to mechanics' lien law; provides for filing of single claims, of lien on projects or developments made under the same contract or contracts.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 18, of the bill, strike out the words: "and the entire proven claim shall be prorated equally to each unit in the project or development not previously released as hereinafter specified. In a case of this kind, proof of delivery, at the order of the purchaser, to any of such lots, parcels, or tracts, or other place designated by said purchaser, such as, but not limited to, a warehouse, concentration point, cutting or fabricating plant, or any other place so designated, of materials to be used in one or more of such improvements, shall be sufficient proof of delivery to support a lien on any one or all such lots, parcels or tracts so improved, unless properly released in writing by the lienor prior to adjudication." and insert the following in lieu thereof:

"In cases within the situation last above described, the entire claim shall be prorated equally between such lots, parcels or tracts of land and the improvements thereon not previously released in writing, and proof of delivery of materials at the order of the purchaser to any of such lots, parcels or tracts of land shall be sufficient to support a lien on any one or all of such lots, parcels or tracts of land so im-

proved. In the event the project consists of six or more improvements or one improvement costing more than \$50,000, and delivery of materials is to a place, other than the site of improvement, designated by the purchaser, such as, but not limited to, a warehouse, concentration point, cutting or fabricating plant, of materials ordered by the purchaser to be used on one or more of such improvements, there shall be filed and recorded with the clerk of the circuit court a notice, which same shall be dated, signed and acknowledged by both the seller and purchaser, substantially as follows:

Date.....

"TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that materials having a value of \$..... have been delivered by the undersigned vendor to..... (purchaser) at..... (address of delivery), said materials to be used for construction of improvements upon the following described property situated in..... County, Florida, to wit:

Vendor

Purchaser"

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 244, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House amendment thereto.

Senator Sturgis moved that the Senate do not concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 244.

Which was agreed to and the Senate refused to concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 244.

Senator Sturgis moved that the House of Representatives be requested to recede from the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 244.

Which was agreed to and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Smith of Indian River, Fee of St. Lucie, Cobb and Sweeny of Volusia, Stimmell of Martin, Floyd of Dade, Usina and Shepperd of St. Johns, Mahon and Westberry of Duval, Dekle of Taylor, Burke of Walton, Griner of Dixie, Fuqua of Manatee, Williams of Pasco, Marshburn of Levy, Papy of Monroe, Akridge and Burton of Brevard, Cook of Flagler, Jernigan of Escambia and Bollinger of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 691—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.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 691, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Oil and Natural Resources.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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, Smith of DeSoto, Fee of St. Lucie, Bedenbaugh of Columbia, Johnson and Gibbons of Hillsborough, Varn of Hernando, Cook of Flagler, Williams of Pasco, McLaren of Pinellas, and Cross of Alachua—

H. B. No. 503—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the addition of Subsection (3) to Section 317.44, Florida Statutes, relating to regulation of traffic on highways, same requiring certain dispositions to be made of unattended vehicles left standing on the highways or other places in violation of law by law enforcement officers.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 503, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Traffic.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Fascell and Okell of Dade and Williams of Seminole—

H. B. No. 281—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the granting of ex parte orders by Circuit Courts for the interception of telegraphic and telephonic communications upon oath of certain public officers and employees that evidence of violation of laws against setting up, conducting and operating lotteries, bookmaking, other gambling and fraud of public agencies may be obtained thereby; providing the maximum limitation on the existence of such orders and providing that evidence thus obtained may be admitted in any court of competent jurisdiction in this State.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 281, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 1953

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

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed Messrs. Okell and Fascell of Dade and Ayres of Marion as a conference committee on the part of the House to confer with a like committee on the part of the Senate to adjust the differences existing between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Amendment to—

By Messrs. Okell, Fascell and Floyd of Dade, Williams and Cleveland of Seminole, Johnson and Gibbons of Hillsborough, Ayres of Marion, Cobb of Volusia, Morgan, Westberry and Mahon of Duval, David of Broward, Murray of Polk, Land of Orange, Ballinger and Atkinson of Leon, Crews of Baker, Smith of Indian River, Usina and Shepperd of St. Johns, Elliott and Bollinger of Palm Beach—

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.

Which Amendment reads as follows:

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

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Senator Morrow moved that the President of the Senate appoint a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate to confer with the Committee on the part of the House of Representatives, to adjust the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on the Senate amendment to House Bill No. 303.

Which was agreed to and the President appointed Senators Morrow, Johnson and Beall as the Committee on the part of the Senate, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 the Committee on Judiciary—Criminal—

H. B. No. 1003—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to lotteries and gambling; providing for the forfeiture of vessels, vehicles, animals and other means of transportation used for or in connection with the violation of the statutes and laws of this state prohibiting or regulating lotteries and gambling in this state; providing for the forfeiture of gambling paraphernalia; providing for the proceedings for the forfeiting of such property; and otherwise providing for the more effective prosecution of such statutes and laws prohibiting and regulating lotteries and gambling in this state.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1003, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B".

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Okell, Floyd and Fascell of Dade—

H. B. No. 869—A bill to be entitled An Act defining the operation of a motor boat or vessel in a reckless or negligent manner providing for responsibility therefor, requiring municipalities of the State of Florida to conform hereto, describing the penalty for the violation hereof.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 869, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Pearce of Wakulla (by request)—

H. B. No. 1652—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 1, Chapter 26821, Acts of 1951 (being Section 30.23, Laws of Florida, 1951); providing for the payment of certain fees to sheriffs, only, for the commitment to jail of prisoners by whomever arrested.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1652, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B".

Senator Shands presiding.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 with amendment—

By Senator Dayton—

S. B. No. 963—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to all counties having a population of more than twenty thousand two hundred (20,200) and less than twenty-three thousand (23,000) according to the latest official census; setting salary of Boards of Public Instruction of such counties; setting effective date.

—which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 6, of the bill, strike out the figures twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2100.00) and insert the following in lieu thereof: eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800.00)

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And Senate Bill No. 963, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House amendment thereto.

Senator Dayton moved that Senate Bill No. 963, together with pending House amendment, be returned to the House of Representatives for the correction of an error.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Collins moved that House Bill No. 1453 be recalled from the Committee on Public Roads and Highways and referred to the Committee on Governmental Reorganization.

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,
June 1, 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 the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the House of Representatives for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature—

By Mr. Saunders of Clay—

H. B. No. 1271—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of St. Vincents Hospital.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1271, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Pensions and Claims.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 the Committee on Judiciary—Civil—

Committee Substitute for H. B. No. 1319—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 29.03 and 29.04, Florida Statutes, 1951, relating to compensation for services and salaries, expenses and duties of official circuit court reporters, and exempting certain counties from this Act, and including the Constitutional Court of Record in and for Escambia County.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1319, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 1319 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,
June 1, 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 the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the House of Representatives for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature—

By Mr. Mashburn of Bay—

H. B. No. 1377—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Elizabeth M. Dolfin by providing a refund of the overpayment made by Elizabeth M. Dolfin to the Teacher's Retirement System of Florida.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1377, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Pensions and Claims.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the House of Representatives for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature—

By Messrs. Floyd, Fascell and Okell of Dade—

H. B. No. 719—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Belcher Towing Company, a Florida corporation, and making an appropriation to compensate said corporation for losses sustained as a result of damage done to its barge known as Barge No. 11.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 719, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Pensions and Claims.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 the Committee on State Prisons & Convicts—

H. B. No. 1672—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Prison Farm; providing for certain articles to be manufactured at said prison.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1672, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1672 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,
June 1, 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. Cobb of Volusia—

H. B. No. 1721—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and establishing the "Daytona Beach Racing and Recreational Facilities District" in Volusia County, Florida; creating the Daytona Beach Racing and Recreational Facilities Commission to manage and control said district; providing for the appointment of the members of said commission by the governing bodies of the City of Daytona Beach and the County of Volusia, Florida; authorizing and empowering said commission to acquire, construct, reconstruct, improve, extend, enlarge, equip, repair, maintain and operate racing and recreational facilities within said district; prescribing the powers and duties of said commission; providing for paying the whole or any part of the cost of such facilities by the issuance of bonds payable from the revenues of such facilities and, to the extent necessary, ad valorem taxes; providing for the imposition and collection of rates, rentals, fees and charges for the use of such facilities and for the application thereof; granting to said commission the power to acquire necessary real and personal property, and to exercise the power of eminent domain; authorizing the acceptance of grants and contributions in aid of the purposes of this Act; authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds; and prescribing the powers and duties of the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County in relation to the foregoing; providing for referendum, and providing that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to race tracks licensed to operate and to conduct pari-mutuel pools under Chapter 550 of the Florida Statutes, and providing that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to jai alai frontons licensed to operate and to conduct pari-mutuel pools under the provisions of Chapter 551 of the Florida Statutes.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1721, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1721 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1721 was read the second time by title only.

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

waived and House Bill No. 1721 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. 1721 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1721 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1721 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 reconsidered the vote by which it 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, equipment, 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 reason-

able 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 for 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 years, 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 (\$1,000.00) 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 has further amended Senate Amendment No. 1— which amendment reads as follows:

House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Amendment No. 1—

In Section 11 of Senate Amendment No. 1, strike out all of Section 11, and insert the following in lieu thereof:

Section 11. This Act shall not become effective until ratified by a majority of the qualified electors of Holmes County voting on the question, which question shall be submitted to the qualified electors at the next general election. Should a majority of all the qualified electors voting on the question in such election vote (yes) and favorably to this Act, then this Act shall become effective immediately; should a majority of the qualified electors voting on the question in said election vote (no) and unfavorably to this Act, then this Act shall be null and void and of no force and effect.

And the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment No. 1, as further amended.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

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 amendment No. 1 and House amendments thereto.

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 Senate do not concur in

House amendment No. 4 to Senate amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 608.

Which was agreed to and the Senate refused to concur in House amendment No. 4 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, 3 and 4 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 immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. Mitts and Sheppard of Lee—

H. B. No. 1826—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the Supervisor of Registration in and for the County of Lee, State of Florida, and fixing the effective date of said Act and repealing all laws and parts of laws, general, local or special, in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1826 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1826, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1826 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1826 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1826 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. 1826 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1826 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1826 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Washburne and Bartholomew of Sarasota—

H. B. No. 1828—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 2 of Chapter 8838, Laws of Florida Special Acts of 1921, said Act being An Act to organize and establish a County Court in and for Sarasota County, Florida; to prescribe the terms thereof; to provide for the appointment of a Prosecuting Attorney, and fixing the compensation of the Judge and the Prosecuting Attorney.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1828 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1828, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Land and Keezel, of Orange—

H. B. No. 1803—A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the government of the City of Orlando; authorizing any police officer of said city to pursue across the city limits line and arrest where apprehended in Orange County any person suspected of having committed an offense against the ordinances of the City of Orlando provided such pursuit is continuous after having originated within the limits of said city; defining hot pursuit; authorizing any police officer of the City of Orlando to continue a hot pursuit beyond the limits of said city.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1803 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1803, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1803 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1803 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1803 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. 1803 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1803 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1803 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1804—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 9 of Chapter 6739, Laws of Florida, 1913, providing for the recall of the Mayor-Commissioner and City Commissioners of the City of Orlando; setting forth the method by which and the number of petitioners required to call a recall election; providing the procedure for calling and holding a recall election.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1804 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1804, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1804 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1804 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1804 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. 1804 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1804 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1804 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. Shaffer and Petersen of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 1833—A bill to be entitled An Act defining "milk" and certain "milk products", "milk producer", "pasteurization", etc., in Pinellas County, prohibiting the sale of adulterated and/or misbranded milk and milk products, requiring permits for the sale of milk and milk products, regulating the inspection of dairy farms and milk plants, the examination, grading, labeling, placarding, pasteurization, regarding distribution, and sale of milk and milk products, providing for the publishing of milk grades, the construction of future dairies and milk plants, providing penalties for the violation of this Act and repealing all laws or parts of law in conflict therewith.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1833 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1833, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. McLaren, Shaffer and Petersen of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 1820—A bill to be entitled An Act providing the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County with the power and authority within said county, to keep platted subdivision roads and roads designated for public use, open to the public for said public use, providing for the policing

of said subdivision and/or public roads, providing for the power to adopt rules and regulations regarding the use of said roads, and providing for penalties for failing to comply with said rules and regulations and/or for failing to keep open said roads and declaring the purposes of this Act to be proper public and county purposes.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1820 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1820, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1820 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1820 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1820 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. 1820 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1820 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1820 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1805—A bill to be entitled An Act regulating the government of the City of Orlando; requiring actual notice to said city, its officers, agents or employees of the existence of a defect in a sidewalk as a condition to municipal liability, or in the alternative proof of existence of such defect for a period of not less than twelve months; fixing an effective date.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1805 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1805, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1805 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1805 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1805 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. 1805 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1805 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1805 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1817—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County to expend public funds for a public law library in Orange County, and to employ library personnel therefor.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1817 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1817, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1817 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1817 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1817 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. 1817 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1817 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1817 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Pruitt of Jefferson—

H. B. No. 1823—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Jefferson County, Florida; validating certain fees heretofore paid to the prosecuting attorney in cases which were nolle prosequi; setting effective date.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1823 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1823, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1823 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1823 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1823 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. 1823 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1823 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1823 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1801—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City Council of the City of Orlando to assess real estate for the value of municipal improvements; defining municipal improvements; providing when the total cost of such improvements may be assessed against abutting real estate; providing the procedure for the making of such assessments and the effect thereof.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1801 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1801, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1801 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1801 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1801 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. 1801 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1801 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1801 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Akridge of Brevard—

H. B. No. 1810—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of Article V of Chapter 13963, Laws of Florida, 1929, to provide that all public franchises shall be granted only by ordinance, shall be for no longer a period than thirty years; and to authorize the city of Cocoa to appropriate money and levy taxes for the purpose of supporting and maintaining hospitals, clinics and other facilities within or without the city for the care of humans or animals, and to provide for the expenditure of said money either directly or through other bodies organized for said purposes.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1810 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1810, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1810 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1810 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1810 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. 1810 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1810 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1810 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Washburne and Bartholomew of Sarasota—

H. B. No. 1807—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 40, 152, 153, 154, 155, 157, 158, 159 and 165, and to repeal Section 164 of the charter of the City of Sarasota, Florida, as said charter is set forth in Chapter 23529, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1945, as portions of same have been amended by Chapter 26219, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1949, and by Chapter 27884, Laws of Florida Special Acts of 1951, said Chapter 23529 being "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Sarasota, in the County of Sarasota, in the State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Sarasota, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges," relating to the appointment of extra patrolmen; relating to members of police and fire departments, stating which are constituted civil service employees; and governing appointment and discharge of chiefs of police and fire departments; relating to creation of civil service board; relating to civil service board's power to recommend code of rules and regulations; relating to examinations to be given by civil service board; relating to responsibility of chiefs of departments; relating to the powers and duties of the City Commission with respect to employees and civil service; providing for repeal of said Section 164; and repealing all provisions of the city charter in conflict therewith.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1807 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1807, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1807 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1807 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1807 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. 1807 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1807 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1807 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. Akridge of Brevard—

H. B. No. 1811—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sub-section (q) of Section 3 of House Bill No. 508, enacted into law by the Legislature during its regular 1953 session, said House Bill No. 508 being entitled "An Act to abolish the present Municipal Corporation of the City of Canaveral in Brevard County, Florida, created by Chapter 19715, Special Laws of 1939 and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known as City of Canaveral Harbor, in Brevard County, Florida, and to fix the boundaries and provide for the government, powers and privileges of the said city, means for exercising the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of ordinances," for the purpose of providing that regulatory power with respect to rates and charges for gas or electricity shall not be exercised by the City of Canaveral Harbor during the effectiveness of Chapter 26545, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951, or any other law investing a state agency or commission with such power; to provide for the effective date of this Act.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1811 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1811, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1811 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1811 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1811 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. 1811 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1811 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1811 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. Pittman of Santa Rosa—

H. B. No. 1812—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Santa Rosa County, Florida, solely, or in conjunction with the cities of Jay and Milton to purchase and operate equipment for fighting and suppressing fires throughout Santa Rosa County.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1812 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1812, 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. 1812 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1812 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1812 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. 1812 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1812 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1812 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Surles of Polk—

H. B. No. 1813—A bill to be entitled An Act to restrict sewage disposal permits by the State Board of Health and

county health authorities as to bodies of water partly or wholly within the City of Lakeland, Florida, and providing for the expiration of any permits in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1813 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1813, 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. 1813 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1813 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1813 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. 1813 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1813 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas 36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1813 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Moody, Johnson and Gibbons of Hillsborough—

H. B. No. 1809—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the government, jurisdiction, powers, officers and boards of the City of Tampa, Florida; and providing for the addition by the election board (Board of Elections) for the City of Tampa, Florida, of any territory heretofore or hereafter integrated into and made a part of the City of Tampa under or pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 26270, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1949, as amended by Chapter 27932, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1951, either to one of the seven existing (Representative) districts created pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 23552, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1945, to which it is contiguous, or if the corporate limits of the City of Tampa shall be extended by An Act passed at the regular Session of the Legislature of the State of Florida in the year 1953 annexing additional territory to said city, to any of the districts created pursuant to such

annexation Act, to which it is contiguous, and that the City Election Board (Board of Elections) for the City of Tampa shall have power to determine to which of such districts the territory so integrated into and made a part of the City of Tampa, Florida, shall be added; prescribing the effect of the addition of any such integrated territory to any (Representative) district created under any Act passed at the regular Session of the Legislature of the State of Florida in the year 1953; and ratifying all such additions of integrated territory heretofore made, and the qualification or election of any candidates for City Representative therefrom.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1809 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1809, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1809 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1809 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1809 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. 1809 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1809 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1809 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1802—A bill to be entitled An Act validating pensions for employees or dependents of deceased employees of the City of Orlando not otherwise provided for by an established pension program; authorizing pensions for employees or dependents of deceased employees not otherwise provided for in an established program, and otherwise regulating the government of the City of Orlando.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1802 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1802, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1802 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1802 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1802 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. 1802 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1802 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1802 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1785—A bill to be entitled An Act amending the first paragraph only of Section 7 of Chapter 25673, Acts of 1949, such Chapter being An Act authorizing the Town of Apopka City to construct, acquire and operate a sewer system, by providing that any municipal corporation, private corporation, board, body or person that ceases supplying or selling water for use on premises after the receipt of the notice of delinquency in compliance with the provisions of such Section 7 shall be relieved of all liability of any kind whatsoever to the owner, tenant, or occupant of such premises as a result of such ceasing to supply or to sell water for use on such premises, and by further providing that the Town of Apopka City may shut off the supply of water to premises and be so relieved of all such liability as a result of shutting off the supply of water to the premises.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1785 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1785, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1785 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1785 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1785 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. 1785 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1785 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1785 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Webb of Washington—

H. B. No. 1750—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Washington County, Florida; earmarking a portion of the race track funds distributed to such county pursuant to Chapter 550, Florida Statutes, for use of the Washington County school bands and other public school music purposes.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1784—A bill to be entitled An Act extending the city limits of the Town of Apopka City in Orange County, Florida, so as to include additional territory therein, either owned by the said city, or the Board of Public Instruction of Orange County, Florida, or public property used for streets or roads, and providing an effective date therefor.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1787—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Town of Apopka City, in Orange County, Flor-

ida, to construct, curb, open up, pave, hard surface, widen and extend streets, and sidewalks, to issue bonds for the payment of such public improvements, to fix millages and levy and assess taxes for the payment thereof and for interest thereon and for sinking funds in connection therewith; and providing for elections on bonds issues hereunder.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1750 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1750, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Tapper moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1750 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1750 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tapper moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1750 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. 1750 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1750 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1750 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1784 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1784, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1784 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1784 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1784 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. 1784 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1784 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1784 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1787 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1787, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1787 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1787 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1787 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. 1787 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1787 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1787 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Medlock of Lafayette—

H. B. No. 1808—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to distribution of race track funds allocated to Lafayette County; providing for payment of such funds to the county jail and veterinarian fund; the Board of County Commissioners and the County Board of Public Instruction.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1808 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1808, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1808 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1808 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1808 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. 1808 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1808 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1808, passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. McLaren, Shaffer and Petersen of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 1821—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 20066, Acts of 1939, Laws of Florida, which is An Act authorizing Pinellas County, Florida, its Board of County Commissioners to enlarge its water supply and distribution system and prescribing the procedure therefor and the financing thereof by providing for the right of eminent domain for water and water system expansion purposes; by providing for the establishment, fixing and collection of fees, rentals or other charges for the facilities and services of said water system; by providing for the powers of the Board of County Commissioners to finance said system by issuing bonds or revenue certificates to finance the cost of the construction, acquisition or improvement of such undertaking, said bonds or revenue certificates to be payable from the fees, rentals or other charges received from such water system and to pledge such fees for the bonds or revenue certificates authorized by this Act; providing for the terms and conditions of bonds or revenue certificates issued pursuant to this Act and of the rights and remedies of the holders thereof; authorizing the discontinuance of the services and facilities of such water system for the nonpayment of fees, rentals or other charges therefor; providing for receiver of such undertakings on default of the Board of County Commissioners in the payments of such bonds or revenue certificates issued to finance said water system or of covenants with bond holders in connection therewith; providing for covenant of the State of Florida with respect to the rights of holders of bonds issued pursuant to this Act; providing for the lease of said under-

takings or any part thereof by the Board of County Commissioners and the terms and conditions thereof; providing for the sale of bonds issued pursuant to this Act and the manner thereof; providing the power to contract with any person, firm, corporation or municipal corporation or governmental body relative to the subject matter of this Act; and providing for additional powers of the Board of County Commissioners to enter into agreements and contracts relative to the acquisition of a source or sources of the supply of said water system: providing for the effective date of this Act.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1821 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1821, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1821 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1821 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1821 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. 1821 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1821 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1821 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. McLaren, Shaffer and Petersen of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 1819—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing Pinellas County through its Board of County Commissioners to construct bridges or causeways or any combination thereof between the mainland of Pinellas County and any island or islands within or without the territorial limits of Pinellas County, and between any of said islands or causeways or in any other location deemed advisable by the board; and said board has the power and authority in the construction of

causeways to construct, acquire, improve and develop additional fills and filled in land suitable for private or public use, to acquire and develop approaches to said bridges or causeways, providing for powers of condemnation in connection with the foregoing; providing for the vesting of title in said county to all or any part of all property constructed or acquired under the provisions of such law; authorizing said county to purchase or otherwise acquire all or any part of any island or islands so acquired; authorizing the sale, lease or other disposition by said county of any property, lands, or rights in lands so acquired; authorizing said county to construct and/or supervise the construction of streets, alleys, and sidewalks, and to construct and/or supervise the construction of water, sewer and other public utility facilities in and on said bridges, causeways, approaches and property acquired hereunder; authorizing the issuance of obligations including revenue certificates and revenue bonds by the county for the purpose of paying all or any part of the costs of all the foregoing; providing for the payment of such obligations from revenues to be derived from the operations of such facilities, from revenues to be derived from the imposition of any tolls or charges imposed by said county for the use of any such causeway or bridge or both, from revenues to be derived from said county from the sale, rental or use of any property acquired by the county hereunder, and from any other revenues of the county available for such purposes, or from any combination of the foregoing sources, of revenues; making certain provisions with respect to payment and security of obligations so issued hereunder and with respect to all of the foregoing; and empowering said county to enter into any contracts or obligations consistent herewith and in connection with the accomplishment of any of the above described objectives; and validating and confirming any contracts, conveyances or obligations heretofore entered into by said county in connection with the accomplishment of said objectives; providing for the effective date hereof.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1819 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1819, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1819 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1819 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1819 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. 1819 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1819 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1819 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Land and Keezel of Orange—

H. B. No. 1818—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the employment and compensation of secretaries to each of the Circuit Judges of the Ninth Judicial Circuit, on active duty residing in the County of Orange, and providing that the compensation of such secretaries shall be paid by the County of Orange out of the general fund of such county.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1818 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1818, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1818 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1818 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1818 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. 1818 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1818 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1818 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Campbell of Okaloosa—

H. B. No. 1776—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize and empower the judges of the First Judicial Circuit of Florida, to conduct hearings in chancery, in chambers, at their discretion within the corporate limits of the Town of Fort Walton, Okaloosa County, Florida, at such place or places as the said judges shall designate; providing an exception and providing the effective date of this act.

Also—

By Mr. Dowda of Putnam—

H. B. No. 1744—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Town of Crescent City, a municipality in Putnam County; defining its authority to levy and assess occupational license taxes, classify and define occupations, collect license taxes, and revoke licenses; fixing license taxes until such time as the town council shall, by ordinance, fix them; prescribing the method of filling vacancies in town council; providing that removal of residence beyond corporate limits by municipal officer vacates his office; fixing an effective date.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Mr. Rood of Manatee—

H. B. No. 1746—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Manatee County, Florida, creating a commission to make and control the budgets of receipts and expenditures of the Board of County Commissioners, Board of Public Instruction, County Welfare Board, Parental Home Board and all other boards, commissions and officials of such county situate therein authorized to raise and expend moneys for county purposes.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1776, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1744 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1744, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1744 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1744 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1744 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. 1744 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1744 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1744 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1746 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1746, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1746 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1746 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1746 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. 1746 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1746 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1746 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Mitts and Sheppard of Lee—

H. B. No. 1741—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and establishing a fire control district in North Fort Myers, which is located in Lee County, Florida, north of the Caloosahatchee River and extending north to the Charlotte County line, providing for the creation and appointment of a fire control board, defining its duties, powers and authority, providing for the raising of funds within such district by taxation on all the property within such districts and the method of levying, collecting and disbursing such funds, and providing for a referendum.

Also—

By Messrs. David and Burwell of Broward—

H. B. No. 1714—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the South Broward Hospital District of Broward County, Florida, calling for a referendum election on increasing the Board of Commissioners of such district.

Also—

By Messrs. David and Burwell of Broward—

H. B. No. 1715—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the title to Chapter 25709, Acts of 1949, to amend Section 3 of said Chapter, and to add thereto two sections, all relating to the acquisition of county playgrounds, parks, beaches, recreational centers, and other recreational facilities by Broward County, Florida, levying taxes therefor, and to authorize the issuance of bonds by said county payable from such taxes or the revenues of the facilities acquired thereby, or both such taxes and revenues.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1741, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1741 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1741 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1741 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. 1741 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1741 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1741 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

And House Bill No. 1714, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1715 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1715, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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—

H. B. No. 1815—A bill to be entitled An Act to abolish all justice of the peace districts in Highlands County, Florida;

providing for a referendum election in connection therewith to be held at the General Election of 1954; and providing that this Act shall be of no force and effect if as result of court action now pending or hereafter instituted the effect of final judicial determination shall be that such justice of the peace districts were abolished by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 27592, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1951, and vote of the electors of said Highlands County, Florida, on said Act at the 1952 General Election.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1815 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1815, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1815 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1815 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1815 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. 1815 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1815 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1815 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Surlles of Polk—

H. B. No. 1814—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2A of Chapter 10754, Laws of Florida, as passed in 1925 regular Session of the Florida Legislature, and approved June 8, 1925, as amended by Chapter 14172, Special Acts of 1929 Legislature of Florida, and as changed or altered by subsequent Legislative Acts and/or amendments of said 1925 Act, including Chapter 21334 Special Acts of the 1941 regular session and Chapter 25965 of the 1949 regular session, and also Chapter 26445 of the 1949 extraordinary Session of the

Legislature of the State of Florida, relating to the creation and establishment of the City of Lakeland, Florida; describing the territorial boundaries of said city.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1814 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1814, 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. 1814 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1814 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1814 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. 1814 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1814 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bili No. 1814 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. McLaren, Shaffer and Petersen of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 1762—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to constables and deputy constables in all justice of peace districts in all counties having a population of not less than 150,00 and not more than 240,000 inhabitants according to the last official census; fixing a yearly compensation for constables; fixing yearly allowance for expenses in the management, operation and function of said offices, and for the purchase of equipment and supplies; and providing for payment of said expenses by authorizing the withholding and disbursal of funds collected and received by said constables or by requisition to the county commission; providing that all fees collected shall be trust money and properly deposited in a public depository and the unexpended balance delivered monthly to the general fund of the counties; providing for a report to the county commission on all fees collected or credits

earned; providing for certification and approval of monthly expenditures; empowering county commission to appoint one deputy constable for each of said constables under certain conditions and to fix their annual salary and expenses; providing for the powers, duties, responsibilities and dismissal of said deputy constables; repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

By Mr. Dowda of Putnam—

H. B. No. 1749—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of certain county officials in the counties of the State of Florida having a population of not more than 24,000 according to the last Federal census, with a board of bond trustees having administrative duties; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing effective and expiration dates.

Also—

By Mr. Akridge of Brevard—

H. B. No. 1742—A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 11374, Acts of 1925, relating to petitions for road and bridge improvements and assessment of taxes therefor in counties having a population of not less than 20,100 nor more than 24,900 by the latest census as affecting counties of a population of not less than 23,640 nor more than 24,500 by the latest official census.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1762, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Population.

And House Bill No. 1749, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Population.

And House Bill No. 1742, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Population.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Duncan and Boyd of Lake—

H. B. No. 1767—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for and permit all counties having a population of more than 36,000 and less than 36,400 according to the latest official census the permissive closing of banks, trust companies and other financial organizations on Saturday or Wednesday and providing that as to all banking transactions Saturday or Wednesday shall be a legal holiday as to banks or other financial institutions closing under this law, and providing for the repeal of all laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

By Messrs. Surles, Murray and Crowder of Polk—

H. B. No. 1748—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the county tax collector (in all counties in the State having a population of not less than 120,000 nor more than 140,000 by the latest official census) to establish branch offices in certain cities and providing for payment of maintenance expense thereof.

Also—

By Mr. Campbell of Okaloosa—

H. B. No. 1757—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and regulating the taking of shrimp and prawn for bait purposes, from the salt waters of counties in the State of Florida having a population not less than 27,000 and not more than 28,500 according to the latest Federal census; providing a penalty for violation.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1767, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Population.

And House Bill No. 1748, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Population.

And House Bill No. 1757, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Population.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 2, 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. Cobb of Volusia—

H. B. No. 1839—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Volusia County, Florida, to levy taxes upon all taxable property in the Halifax Special Road and Bridge District to be used solely for the repair and maintenance of the roads and bridges within said Special Road and Bridge District; and to provide that one half of the amount realized from such taxes on the property in incorporated cities and towns in said Special Road and Bridge District shall be turned over to said cities and towns at their election, or used by the Board of County Commissioners for the repair and maintenance of such roads and bridges within incorporated cities and towns in said Special Road and Bridge District as their governing body may direct by resolution, and providing for a referendum.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1839 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1839, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Stewart of Hendry—

H. B. No. 1743—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the powers of the Boards of County Commissioners in counties of the State of Florida having a population of more than 6,000 and less than 6,100 according to the last State or Federal census, authorizing said boards to make purchases not to exceed \$500.00 without obtaining bids.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1743, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Population.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Griner of Dixie—

H. B. No. 1796—A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing the annual salary of the Sheriff, County Judge and Superintendent of Public Instruction in Dixie County; repealing certain laws in conflict herewith; and providing that this Act shall be retroactive to January 1, 1953.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1796 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 1796, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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. Moody, Johnson and Gibbons of Hillsborough and McLaren, Shaffer and Petersen of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 1665—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of state attorneys and assistant state attorneys and stenographers in each judicial circuit of the State of Florida, which embraces and includes a county having a population of more than one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) and less than three hundred thousand (300,000) according to the last official census, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1665, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Population.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 2, 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. McLaren and Shaffer of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 1747—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the establishment and creation of fire control districts in certain parts of Pinellas County, Florida; providing for the levying of taxes for the payment of costs and expenses; providing for a referendum thereon within districts; providing for election and appointment of commissioners to administer said districts; prescribing duties, authority, and functions of said commissioners; determining that establishment and maintenance of said districts confers special benefits on lands within said districts for which ad valorem taxes may be assessed and collected; providing for allowance of contracts between districts and municipalities, firms and individuals for fire protection; providing for the inclusion by referendum therein of certain municipalities; providing for the levying of taxes for the payment of costs and expenses; and providing for a referendum thereon within districts; providing for a referendum for the approval or disapproval of this Act.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Bill No. 1747, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1747 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote

And House Bill No. 1747 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1747 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. 1747 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1747 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1747 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 respectfully requests the return of—

By Mr. Bryant of Marion—(By Request)—

H. B. No. 404—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 768.01, Florida Statutes, relating to right of action for death due to wrongful act, negligence, carelessness or default based on both contract and tort.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Senator King moved that the request of the House of Representatives, as contained in the foregoing message, be granted.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 404 was ordered returned to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 respectfully requests the return of—

By Messrs. Ballinger and Atkinson of Leon—

H. B. No. 361—A bill to be entitled An Act giving the power and authority to the State Budget Commission to make, or cause to be made under its supervision, a survey study and report of all state employment, compensation and pay scales, embracing all phases of sound personnel administration in State Government, with the power and authority to put into effect the recommendations as made to the fullest extent possible, and to make specific recommendations to the 1955 regular Session of the Legislature and providing an appropriation therefor.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

Senator Collins moved that the request of the House of Representatives, as contained in the foregoing message, be granted.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 361 was ordered returned to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 respectfully requests the return of—

By Mr. Campbell of Okaloosa—

H. B. No. 1757—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and regulating the taking of shrimp and prawn for bait pur-

poses, from the salt waters of counties in the State of Florida having a population not less than 27,000 and not more than 28,500 according to the latest federal census; providing a penalty for violation.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Senator Melvin moved that House Bill No 1757 be recalled from the Committee on Population.

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

Senator Melvin moved that the request of the House of Representatives, as contained in the foregoing message, be granted.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 1757 was ordered returned to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Senate Amendment to—

By Mr. Costin of Gulf—

H. B. No. 1509—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring the City Commission of the City of Port St. Joe in Gulf County, Florida, to acquire property and develop a cemetery; providing for care, handling and disposition, earmarking municipal gas tax funds; providing for financing; providing referendum.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 3, (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "condemn" and insert in lieu thereof the following "purchase".

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Senate amendments to—

By Messrs. Murray, Surlis and Crowder of Polk—

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 579—A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT OF ARTICLE III OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA RELATING TO THE LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT BY STRIKING THEREFROM SECTIONS 2 AND 4 THEREOF PERTAINING TO SESSIONS OF THE LEGISLATURE AND ELIGIBILITY AND REMUNERATION OF LEGISLATORS AND INSERTING IN LIEU THEREOF SECTIONS NUMBERED 2 AND 4 RESPECTIVELY, PERTAINING TO THE SAME GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER.

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

That the following amendment of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida relating to the legislative de-

partment, be and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for approval or rejection at the next general election to be held in 1954, that is to say that Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida be amended by striking therefrom present sections 2 and 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the following sections to be numbered 2 and 4 respectively:

Section 2. Regular and extra sessions.—The regular sessions of the Legislature shall be held biennially, commencing on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in April, A. D. 1887, and on the corresponding day of every second year thereafter, but the Governor may convene the same in extra session by his proclamation. Regular sessions of the Legislature may extend to sixty days, but no special session convened by the Governor shall exceed twenty days. The regular sixty-day biennial session of the Legislature may be extended not exceeding thirty days by a majority vote of both houses. Any such extension need not be for consecutive days, and recesses therein may be taken by joint action of both houses; provided, however, that no such extended session may extend later than the first day of the month of September following the regular biennial session. During any such extended session, no additional proposed legislation shall be introduced unless consent is first obtained by a two-thirds vote of the members of the house into which it is sought to be introduced.

Section 4. Legislators, salaries, etc. The pay of members of the Legislature shall be One Thousand Two Hundred (\$1,200.00) Dollars annually until otherwise provided by law, but the amount thereof shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which any senator shall have been elected. The Legislature shall also provide for subsistence and travel costs of members, but the amount thereof shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which any senator shall have been elected. Until such time as new subsistence regulations become effective, according to the provisions of this section, the allowances now existing shall remain in effect.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 2, line 9-20, (typewritten bill) after "twenty days": Strike out the balance of Section 2, beginning with "The regular sixty-day" and ending with "into which it is sought to be introduced," and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"The regular sixty-day biennial session of the Legislature may, by a three-fifths vote of the membership of both houses, be extended not exceeding a total of thirty days which need not be consecutive. Recesses in such extended session shall be taken only by joint action of both houses. No extended session may last beyond September 1st following the regular biennial session. During such extended session, no additional proposed legislation shall be introduced unless consent is first obtained by a two-thirds vote of the members of the House into which it is sought to be introduced."

Amendment No. 2—

In Section 4, line 1-13, (typewritten bill) after "Section 4. Legislators, salaries, etc." strike out the balance of the Section and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Senators and members of the House of Representatives shall be duly qualified electors in the respective counties and districts for which they were chosen. The compensation of legislators shall be twelve hundred (\$1,200.00) dollars each year and shall be paid in monthly installments of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars each. During the time the Legislature is in session each legislator shall receive per diem and travel expenses as provided by law, but such may not exceed the allowances for such expenses provided for other state officials under general law."

—and passed, as amended, by the required Constitutional three-fifths vote of all members elected to the House of Representatives for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 2, 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 Senate amendment to—

By the Committee on Governmental Reorganization—

Committee Substitute for H. B. No. 165—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to purchases of goods, supplies or materials by any county officer, board, bureau or department and any municipality and any district having the power to make purchases from public funds and authorizing such purchases under any state contract.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 7, (typewritten bill) after "under any state contract", insert the following: (if the terms of such contract permit)

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 Senate amendment to—

By the Committee on Motor Vehicles and Carriers—

H. B. No. 986—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to motor vehicle title certificates; amending Chapter 319, Florida Statutes; providing for a revised procedure under certain circumstances in the issuance of certificates of title and handling and noting of liens and satisfactions thereof and fixing an effective date.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 10, engrossed bill, at the end of Section 8, add the following paragraph:

"When the application for a certificate of title is made by an heir or heirs of a previous owner who died intestate it shall not be necessary to accompany the application with an order of a probate court, provided the applicant files with the Motor Vehicle Commissioner an affidavit that the estate is not indebted and the surviving spouse, if any, and the heirs, if any, have amicably agreed among themselves upon a division of the estate. If the previous owner died testate the application shall be accompanied by a certified copy of the Will, if probated and an affidavit that the estate is solvent with sufficient assets to pay all just claims, and if the Will is not being probated then by sworn copy of the Will and an affidavit that the estate is not indebted."

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

June 1, 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 Senate Amendments to—

By Mr. Andrews of Holmes—

H. B. No. 1416—A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a municipal corporation in Holmes County, Florida, to be known as the Town of Westville, defining its boundaries and providing for its government, jurisdiction and powers.

—which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

Strike out all of Section 25 of the typewritten bill, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 25. There is hereby appointed an election commission consisting of those persons named in Section (4), as members of the town council who shall, within not less than thirty (30) nor more than sixty (60) days after this Act is filed in the office of the Secretary of State, call and hold a referendum election in the territory described in Section 1 of this Act, at which time there shall be submitted to all the qualified electors in said area the question of whether or not this Act shall become effective. Notice of said election shall be published one time at least twenty (20) days prior to said election in some local newspaper having a general circulation in the said area affected. If a majority of those electors voting, vote in favor of this Act becoming effective then it shall take effect immediately, otherwise to be of no force and effect. The Supervisor of Registration of the county shall prepare a list of all registered voters of the territory described in Section 1 of this Act, according to the records of his office and deliver same to the above named election commission on the fifth day immediately preceding the date of the election and only those persons whose names appear or should appear on such list will be eligible to vote at said election. Any resident of said area wishing to qualify as a candidate for member of the town council to fill the two seats which will become vacant on January 1, 1954 and which shall also be voted on at this referendum election, shall, not later than 10 days prior to election date, file his name with one of the members of the election commission named hereinabove and pay a qualifying fee of ten dollars (\$10.00) which shall be used by the election commissioners to defray the cost of such election. All such candidates qualifying shall have their names placed on the ballot at said election as such candidates. If this Act becomes effective as a result of said election, the two candidates for membership on the town council receiving the two highest number of votes cast for that office shall be declared elected for two year terms beginning on January 1, 1954. The election commission shall appoint substitutes to serve on the polls for any member of the commission who is a candidate. Within five (5) days after said election the said board of election commissioners hereby appointed shall meet and certify the results of said election to the Secretary of State, whereupon if the results of the election are that this Act shall take effect then those persons named in Section 4 hereof shall immediately assume the duties of their offices, otherwise this Act shall be of no force or effect. Said election shall be held in substantially the same manner as county elections.

Amendment No. 2—

In line 5 of the title of the typewritten bill change the period to a semicolon and insert the following:

Providing referendum.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Senate Amendment to—

By Messrs. McLaren, Shaffer and Petersen of Pinellas—

H. B. No. 1380—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the office of Public Works Director for Pinellas County, pro-

viding for the appointment of said Public Works Director by the Board of County Commissioners for Pinellas County, prescribing his powers, duties and fixing his salary.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 6, page 4, line 20, (typewritten bill) strike out the word and figure: "Section 6"

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Senate Amendment to—

By Mr. Bryant of Marion—

H. B. No. 324—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Board of Control; amending Section 240.11, Florida Statutes, providing for an executive secretary and an educational secretary; providing an effective date.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 18, (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "shall" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "may".

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Senate Amendment to—

By Mr. Cross of Alachua—

H. B. No. 990—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the sale and conveyance of Murphy Act lands (lands acquired by the State by virtue of Chapter 18,296, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937) to the former owner, or those claiming by, through or under such former owner; providing the terms, conditions and procedure for such sales and conveyances; preserving certain liens encumbering said lands; and repealing conflicting laws.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 4, line 3, (typewritten bill) after comma (,) strike out the words: but shall be in as near the form used for conveyances under Section 192.38 as may be, and shall specifically provide that the title passes subject to all mortgages and liens against the original owner and his successors in title operative against the land, and insert the following: period (.)

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Senate Amendment to—

By the Committee on Claims & State Pensions—

H. B. No. 1231—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 121.16 and 121.17, Florida Statutes, relating to state

officers and employees retirement system by excepting members of the Department of Public Safety.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 2, line 5 (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "of this state, not" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "of the Florida Statutes, nor".

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Senate Amendment to—

By Mr. Crews of Baker—

H. B. No. 984—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the County Superintendent of Public Instruction in all counties of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 6,200, nor more than 6,400, according to the last official census.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 5, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "\$6,000 per annum"

and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"5,200 per annum".

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
June 1, 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 Senate Amendments to—

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.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 2, Page 4, line 18, (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "Two" and insert in lieu thereof the following: the word "three".

Amendment No. 2—

(Typewritten bill) After all of Section 3 of the bill insert the following:

"Section 4. Section 501.09, Florida Statutes, shall be amended by adding Subsection thereto, to be numbered (6), which shall read as follows:

Section 501.09 Issuance, revocation, etc. of licenses to milk dealers:

(6) For the privilege of continuing in or engaging in the business of producing milk, or acting as a Dairy Farmer under the provisions of this act, there is hereby imposed upon every Dairy Farmer a tax in an amount equal to one-tenth of one cent upon each gallon of class I milk produced, as defined by the commission, by each such Dairy Farmer, and delivered to the platform of the distributor and/or producer-distributor during each calendar month. The amount of such tax shall be deducted by the distributor and producer-distributor from the monies due to the Dairy Farmer, and by such distributor and/or producer-distributor remitted to the commission at the time that the monthly reports are required to be filed by the distributors and producer-distributors with the commission, as provided by this chapter; and in event the Dairy Farmer acts as his own distributor he shall remit the said tax to the commission at the time that the monthly reports are required to be filed by the distributor or producer-distributor with the commission, as provided by this chapter."

Renumber all sections which follow accordingly.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

**SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR PURSUANT TO
SENATE RULE 66**

Senator Clarke asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1566, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1566—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Section 112.061 (6) relating to travel allowance.

Was taken up.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1566 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1566 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Clarke moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1566 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. 1566 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1566 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Baker	Collins	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Beall	Connor	Hodges	Morrow
Black	Crary	Houghton	Pearce
Boyle	Davis	Johnson	Pope
Branch	Dayton	King	Ripley
Bronson	Douglas	Lewis	Rogells
Carlton	Franklin	Lindler	Shands
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1566 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 unanimous consent Senator Clarke withdrew Senate Bill No. 156.

Senator Collins asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 147, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 147—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Marshall W. Tatum and Mary Cathrine Tatum, and providing an appropriation for damages sustained by reason of injury of Mary Cathrine Tatum by falling off a certain State Road Department bridge or culvert on Road 4 near

Tallahassee, Florida, due to negligence of the State Road Department.

Was taken up.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 147 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 147 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 147 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. 147 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 147 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Baker	Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow
Beall	Connor	Hodges	Pearce
Black	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Boyle	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Branch	Dayton	King	Rogells
Bronson	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Carlton	Franklin	Lindler	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 147 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.

By unanimous consent Senator Collins withdrew Senate Bill No. 645.

S. B. No. 484—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of H. W. Connerly of Duval County, Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 484 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 484 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 484:

In Section 1, line 5, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "three thousand five hundred (\$3,500.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "two hundred fifty (\$250.00)"

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 484, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 484, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 484, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

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

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 484 passed, as amended, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1953 Session of the Florida Legislature, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

S. B. No. 800—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to septic tanks; providing for use of metal tanks and the conditions prerequisite for the use thereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 800 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 800 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 800 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. 800 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 800 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—24.

Black	Crary	Johnson	Pearce
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Pope
Branch	Franklin	Lindler	Rodgers
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Rogells
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Shands
Clarke	Houghton	Morrow	Tapper

Nays—3.

Davis	Dayton	Ripley
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So Senate Bill No. 800 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 Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1269, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1269—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sub-sections (1) and (4) of Section 134.02 and Sections 134.03, 134.05 and 134.12, Florida Statutes, relating to county officers and employees retirement system; to include day laborers; permitting credit for certain services; providing collecting procedure for delinquent payments; providing optional retirement benefits; broadening investment of funds; limitation where shortage exists.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1269 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1269 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1269 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. 1269 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1269 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

Beall	Clarke	Floyd	King
Black	Collins	Franklin	Lewis
Boyle	Connor	Gautier (28th)	Lindler
Branch	Dayton	Houghton	McArthur
Bronson	Douglas	Johnson	Melvin

Morrow Pope Rodgers Shands
Pearce Ripley Rogells Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1269 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 unanimous consent Senator Melvin withdrew Senate Bill No. 832.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1250, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1250—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsections (1) and (4) of Section 121.02, and Sections 121.03, 121.05, 121.12 and 121.14, Florida Statutes, relating to State Officers and Employees Retirement System; to include day laborers; permit credit for certain services; providing optional retirement benefits; broadening investment of funds; clarifying limitation where shortage exists.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1250 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1250 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1250 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. 1250 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1250 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Pope
Black	Douglas	King	Ripley
Boyle	Floyd	Lewis	Rodgers
Branch	Franklin	Lindler	Rogells
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Shands
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Collins	Hodges	Morrow	
Connor	Houghton	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1250 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 unanimous consent Senator Melvin withdrew Senate Bill No. 833.

S. B. No. 880—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring that the placing of sidewalks, the making of street improvements, sanitary improvements and the like are proper and necessary parts of school plants and of the properties of other state boards or agencies when such facilities specially benefit such properties within the meaning of the laws governing special assessments and in the case of school plants such facilities and improvements are necessary for the safety and health of the students and others using such school plants and facilities: authorizing and directing all county Boards of Public Instruction in the State of Florida and all other boards and agencies in said state having the control and disposition of tax derived money, to expend and distribute such portion of the public school funds or the funds of any such other boards or agencies, as may be necessary for the purpose of paying off and discharging lawfully imposed encumbrances upon school properties and other properties under the control of other boards or agencies whenever such encumbrances have been lawfully imposed thereon by reason of special or local assessments for street improvements, sidewalk improvements, sanitary improvements and other like improvements; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; declaring that this Act shall take effect upon its becoming a law.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 880 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 880 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Cities and Towns offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 880:

In Section 2, line 6, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "and directed".

Senator McArthur moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 880, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 880, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 880, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Beall	Crary	Houghton	Pearce
Black	Dayton	Johnson	Pope
Boyle	Douglas	King	Ripley
Branch	Floyd	Lewis	Rodgers
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Rogells
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Shands
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Connor	Hodges	Morrow	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 880 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Pope asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 657, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 657—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the procurement of public liability or property damage insurance, or both, to cover motor vehicles operated by counties, county boards of public instruction, governmental units, departments, boards or bureaus of the State of Florida, including tax or other districts, political subdivisions, public and quasi-public corporations, other than incorporated cities and towns, of the several counties and the state; authorizing the expenditure of public monies for premiums for such insurance coverage; waiving governmental immunity for liability for claims to the extent of any such insurance coverage; and fixing the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 657 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 657 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sturgis offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 657:

In (typewritten bill) add a new section reading: "The provisions hereof shall not apply to Marion County." And number the same and renumber the remaining sections.

Senator Pope moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 657, 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. 657, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 657, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

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

Nays—1.

Hodges

So House Bill No. 657 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

By unanimous consent Senator Pope withdrew Senate Bill No. 418.

The President presiding.

Senator Melvin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1334, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1334—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 399.06, Florida Statutes, 1951, relating to elevators, by repealing the Subsection requiring payment of fees for inspections and certificates.

Was taken up.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1334 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1334 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1334 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. 1334 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1334 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1334 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 unanimous consent Senator Melvin withdrew Senate Bill No. 842.

S. B. No. 804—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 242.46, Florida Statutes, prohibiting the establishment of fraternities, sororities or other secret societies in the public schools of Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 804 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 804 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 804:

In Section 1, at the end of the first Section, add following section to be known as Section 2.

"Section 2. This Act shall take effect upon becoming a law."

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ripley also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 804:

In Section 1, strike out last paragraph and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Provided further that this law shall not be construed to relate to any junior organization or society sponsored by the Knights of Pythias, the Oddfellows, the Moose, the Woodmen of the World, the Knights of Columbus, the Elks and the Masons."

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ripley also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 804:

In title, Strike out Title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 242.46, Florida Statutes, relating to secret societies prohibited in public schools, exempting from the provisions thereof junior organizations sponsored by the Knights of Pythias, the Odd Fellows, the Moose, the Woodmen of the World, the Knights of Columbus, the Elks and the Masons."

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 804, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 804, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 804, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

Mr. President	Crary	Hodges	Pearce
Baker	Dayton	Houghton	Pope
Black	Douglas	King	Ripley
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Rodgers
Carlton	Franklin	McArthur	Rogells
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Shands
Connor	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Tapper

Nays—1.

Lewis

So Senate Bill No. 804 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

H. B. No. 979—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to robbery and providing penalties therefor; repealing Section 813.01, Florida Statutes, relating to robbery by person armed, and Section 813.02, Florida Statutes, relating to robbery by person unarmed; and providing the effective date hereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 979 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 979 was read the second time by title only.

Pending further consideration of House Bill No. 979, Senator King moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which was agreed to and the Senate recessed at 12:59 o'clock, P. M., until 2:30 o'clock, P. M., this day, pursuant to the motion made by Senator King, Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, and adopted by the Senate on June 1, 1953.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate reconvened at 2:30 o'clock P. M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the Chair.

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

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

—35.

A quorum present.

Senators Fraser, Leaird and Sturgis were excused from attendance upon the session.

By permission the following Reports of Committees were received:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

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

H. B. No. 1453—A bill to be entitled An Act amending paragraph (e) of Subsection (6), and Subsection (14), of Section 420.06, Section 420.08 and Section 420.12, Florida Statutes, all relating to the Florida State Improvement Commission; by prescribing certain restrictions, as herein provided, on the authority of said commission to acquire, construct, extend, add to or improve certain buildings and facilities, to finance the acquisition or construction of certain buildings and facilities, and to acquire or construct certain roads and bridges; authorizing said commission to acquire and/or construct certain road and bridge projects in certain counties under certain conditions referred to herein; requiring moneys of the commission to be deposited in the state treasury and that certain securities be delivered to the State Treasurer.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 511—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsections (11) and (12) of Section 500.15, Florida Statutes, relating to the misbranding of drugs.

—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 Baker, Chairman of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

H. B. No. 663—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to elections; amending Section 98.091, Florida Statutes; providing extra compensation of personnel for overtime services where the permanent registration system is adopted by cities.

H. B. No. 1124—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to registration books for permanent registration system, by amending Subsection (3) of Section 98.051, Florida Statutes; providing when books shall close.

—and recommends that they do pass.

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

Senator Franklin, Chairman of the Committee on Oil and Natural Resources, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

Committee Substitute for H. B. No. 395—A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the intentional allowance of the escape of certain phosphate mining waste into Peace River and its tributaries; requiring phosphate mines to maintain settling pools sufficient to prevent escape of said waste; authorizing certain State agencies and counties to institute suits to enjoin violation of Act; prescribing penalties for violation of this Act and providing the effective date.

—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 Douglas, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bills:

Committee Substitute for H. B. No. 1133—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of J. D. Odom, Jr. for financial loss resulting from a quarantine imposed by the State Livestock Sanitary Board.

H. B. No. 1099—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Quinn J. Borland for the slaughter and destruction of 267 hogs by the State Livestock Sanitary Board as a quarantine measure.

—and recommends that they do pass.

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

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

H. B. No. 947—A bill to be entitled An Act imposing a license tax upon permanent attractions of a scientific, historical, botanical or zoological nature, outdoor amusements and exhibits of a permanent nature.

H. B. No. 1465—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to tax on cigarettes; amending Section 210.04 (9), Florida Statutes, relating to construction; exemptions, and collection of cigarette taxes.

—and recommends that they do pass.

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

Senator Branch, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 989—A bill to be entitled An Act to require all persons operating dog tracks to provide totalizer machines in his racing establishment.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

Senator Branch, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 935—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the issuance of a permit and license for dog racing tracks in counties having a population of not less than one hundred fifty-seven thousand (157,000) and not more than two hundred forty thousand (240,000) according to the latest federal census; without regard to the distance between said tracks and other dog or horse tracks and excepting the provisions of this Act from the applicability of Sections 550.05 and 550.06, Florida Statutes; prescribing the manner of issuing said permit and license, the periods during the summer months when said dog track shall operate, and the laws, rules and regulations to which it shall be subject, and prescribing the conditions under which it may be revoked; providing for a referendum.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

Senator Branch, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 955—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Jai 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 Jai Alai Frontons and adopting certain provisions of Chapter 550 Florida Statutes relating to racing already in existence.—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

Senator Branch, Chairman of the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 552—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to racing and repealing Section 550.081, Florida Statutes, providing period of operation of horse race tracks where three (3) horse race tracks are located within a radius of one hundred (100) air miles of each other.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

Senator Douglas, Chairman of the Committee on Pensions and Claims, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 1135—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for indemnity and reimbursement in certain cases for domestic animals destroyed by orders of the State Livestock Sanitary Board or which are lost after such orders but before actual destruction; placing a limit on such indemnity and reimbursement; and providing an appropriation therefor.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

ENGROSSING REPORT

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

S. B. No. 599—A bill to be entitled An Act creating the State Governmental Reorganization Council, providing for its composition and appointment of members; authorizing said council to review the laws, jurisdiction, powers, duties and functions of certain State agencies and departments, to determine what changes, consolidations and reorganizations should be made to accomplish greater efficiency and economy; defining the powers and duties of said council, and making an appropriation therefor.

—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. 599, contained in the above report, was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND CALENDAR

Senator King, Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, submitted the following Report:

Your Committee on Rules and Calendar recommends that the Senate adopt the following schedule of Sessions—

Wednesday, June 3, 1953, 10:00 o'clock, A. M., to 1:00 o'clock, P. M.; 2:30 o'clock, P. M., to 5:30 o'clock, P. M., and from 8:00 o'clock, P. M., to 10:00 o'clock, P. M.

Thursday, June 4, 1953, 10:00 o'clock, A. M., to 1:00 o'clock, P. M.; 2:30 o'clock, P. M., to 5:30 o'clock, P. M., and from 8:00 o'clock, P. M., to 10:00 o'clock, P. M.

Senator King moved the adoption of the foregoing Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and the Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar was adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

H. B. No. 979—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to robbery and providing penalties therefor; repealing Section 813.01, Florida Statutes, relating to robbery by person armed, and Section 813.02, Florida Statutes, relating to robbery by person unarmed; and providing the effective date hereof.

Which was pending consideration at the hour of recess, having been read the second time by title at the morning session this day, was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 979 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. 979 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 979 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—15.

Mr. President	Connor	Johnson	Pope
Baker	Douglas	McArthur	Shands
Beall	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Bronson	Houghton	Morrow	

Nays—11.

Boyle	Davis	Hodges	Pearce
Carlton	Dayton	Lewis	Ripley
Clarke	Franklin	Lindler	

So House Bill No. 979 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 Dayton presiding.

Senator Hodges moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return House Bill No. 1763 to the Senate for further consideration.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

H. B. No. 64—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Mrs. Alyse Fields for the death of her husband, James R. Fields, while employed as a Florida wildlife officer; providing for the payment by the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission of the State of Florida, of compensation due Mrs. Alyse Fields for the death of her husband, James R. Fields.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Tapper moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 64 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 64 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tapper moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 64 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. 64 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 64 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

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

Nays—1.

Pope

So House Bill No. 64 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 immediately.

H. B. No. 538—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Joseph G. Spicola by providing for the reimbursement to him of salary and other compensation lost in consequence of his suspension from office by the Governor pursuant to Section 15 of Article IV of the Constitution of Florida; and making an appropriation therefor.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 538 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 538 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 538 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. 538 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 538 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—27.

Mr. President	Collins	Gautier (13th)	Melvin
Baker	Connor	Hodges	Pearce
Black	Davis	Houghton	Ripley
Branch	Dayton	Johnson	Rodgers
Bronson	Douglas	King	Shands
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	

Nays—1.

Pope

So House Bill No. 538 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 immediately.

By unanimous consent Senator Gautier (13th) withdrew Senate Bill No. 296.

H. B. No. 1620—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, and that certain licenses must be counted in the quota limitations of Subsection (1).

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1620 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1620 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1620 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. 1620 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1620 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—27.

Baker	Davis	Houghton	Pearce
Branch	Dayton	Johnson	Pope
Bronson	Douglas	King	Ripley
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Rodgers
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Shands
Collins	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	Tapper
Connor	Hodges	Melvin	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1620 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

H. B. No. 1298—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsection (1) of Section 26.051, Florida Statutes, by increasing the number of additional Circuit Judges for the Fourth Judicial Circuit from one to two.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1298 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1298 was read the second time by title only.

Senator McArthur moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1298 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. 1298 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1298 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

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

Nays—1.

Ripley

So House Bill No. 1298 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 Gautier (13th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Joint Resolution No. 757, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 757—A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING TO AMEND ARTICLE V OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA RELATING TO THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

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

That the following Amendment to Article V of the Constitution, State of Florida, is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of this State for ratification or rejection at the next general election to be held in the year 1954 A.D., that is to say: A new section shall be added to said Article V to be designated Section 16b, reading and providing as follows:

Section 16b. When and as the business of the office of the County Judge requires, in any county having a population of more than 125,000 according to the last official census of Florida, the Legislature may provide for one or more additional County Judges who shall be elected by the qualified electors of such county at the time and places of voting for other county officers and such additional County Judges or Judges, shall hold said office for four years and said Judge's or Judges' compensation shall be provided for by law, and he or they shall have and exercise all the powers and perform all the duties that are or may be provided or prescribed by the Constitution or Statutes for County Judges, and all laws relating to the County Judge shall apply to said additional County Judge or Judges.

Provided, however, that any law enacted by the Legislature providing for additional county judges shall require a referendum thereon, and such law shall not become effective until it is ratified by a majority of the voters of the County affected who participate in said election.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and House Joint Resolution No. 757 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Joint Resolution No. 757 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Joint Resolution No. 757 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

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

Nays—None.

So House Joint Resolution No. 757 passed by the required Constitutional three-fifths 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 immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Franklin moved that House Joint Resolution No. 858, reported unfavorably by the Committee on Constitutional Amendments on May 28, 1953, be removed from the table and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senator Franklin asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Joint Resolution No. 858, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 858—A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VIII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA RELATIVE TO ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY FOR TAXES BY ADDING THERETO AN ADDITIONAL SECTION TO PROVIDE THAT IN THE COUNTY OF MONROE, STATE OF FLORIDA, THE COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR SHALL ASSESS THE PROPERTY OF THE COUNTY FOR THE PURPOSE OF LEVYING STATE, COUNTY, SCHOOL AND MUNICIPAL TAXES LEVIED BY THE STATE, COUNTY, COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD, SCHOOL DISTRICTS, SPECIAL TAX SCHOOL DISTRICTS, PORT DISTRICTS, DRAINAGE DISTRICTS, AND ANY OTHER TAXING DISTRICTS, AND MUNICIPALITIES OF THE COUNTY.

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

That the following amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Florida relative to the assessment of all taxes in the County of Monroe, State of Florida, by adding thereto an additional section to be numbered by the secretary of state, be and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1954, as follows:

Section From and after January 1, 1956, the county tax assessor in the County of Monroe, State of Florida, shall assess all property for all state, county, school and municipal taxes to be levied in the county by the state, county, county school board, school district, special tax school districts, port districts, drainage districts, and any other taxing districts, and municipalities of the county.

The Legislature shall at the legislative session in 1955 and from time to time thereafter, enact laws specifying the powers, functions, duties and compensation of the county tax assessor, designated in the first paragraph of this section, and shall likewise provide by law for the extension on the assessment roll of the county tax assessor of all taxes levied by the state, county, county school board, school districts, special tax school districts, port districts, drainage districts, and any other taxing districts and municipalities whose taxes may be assessed by the county tax assessor pursuant to the first paragraph of this section.

Was taken up and read the second time in full.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Joint Resolution No. 858 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Joint Resolution No. 858 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Joint Resolution No. 858 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Collins	Gautier (13th)	Pope
Baker	Connor	Hodges	Ripley
Beall	Crary	Houghton	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Johnson	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lindler	Shands
Branch	Floyd	McArthur	Tapper
Bronson	Franklin	Melvin	
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Joint Resolution No. 858 passed by the required Constitutional three-fifths 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 immediately, by waiver of the rule.

The President presiding.

H. B. No. 626—A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the sale and renovating of bedding; to provide for the registration, proper labelling and inspection thereof; to provide for the administration and enforcement thereof by the State Board of Health and authorizing and empowering said board to adopt regulations necessary to carry out the provisions thereof; to provide a penalty for the violation thereof and to repeal acts and parts of acts in conflict therewith.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 626 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote

And House Bill No. 626 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 626 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. 626 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 626 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

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

Nays—1.

Beall

So House Bill No. 626 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 unanimous consent Senator Branch withdrew Senate Bill No. 562.

S. B. No. 735—A bill to be entitled An Act to promote the convenience of the public and applicants for treatment by the Florida Crippled Children's Commission by providing that hereafter applicants for treatment of crippled children by the Florida Crippled Children's Commission, as authorized under Chapter 391, General Laws of Florida, shall not be required to have such application approved by a county judge or a judge of the Juvenile Court, but providing that an affidavit of the applicant for such treatment, made a part of, or attached to, the application for same, containing a state-

ments of legal eligibility to receive such treatment, as authorized by law, shall be deemed sufficient; for all other purposes reasonably incidental; authorizing any officer or employee of the Florida Crippled Children's Commission, designated by same, to act as ex-officio notary public to receive and execute any such affidavits for such purpose; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith; that this Act shall take effect sixty days after it shall become a law.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 735 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 735 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 735 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. 735 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 735 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—26.

Mr. President	Collins	Gautier (28th)	Pope
Baker	Crary	Gautier (13th)	Ripley
Beall	Davis	Hodges	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Houghton	Rogells
Bronson	Douglas	Lindler	Tapper
Carlton	Floyd	McArthur	
Clarke	Franklin	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 735 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

H. B. No. 474—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (2) of Section 561.46, Florida Statutes, relating to beverage law; excise tax on wines manufactured in Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 474 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 474 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 474 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. 474 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 474 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 474 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

S. B. No. 763—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize certain persons, upon contributing the full amount they would have been required to contribute to the County Officers and Employees Retirement System, to receive credit for prior service under such retirement system.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 763 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 763 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 763:

In Section 1 (typewritten bill), after last name add the names: J. T. Rouse, Duval County; Henry Farris, Washington County.

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Franklin offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 763:

At end of Section 1, add: R. J. Wells, Alachua County; Alto Hires, Hendry County; H. I. Enzor, Okaloosa County; S. L. Moore, Wakulla County; E. H. Floyd, Franklin County; R. H. Stovall, M.D., Broward County.

Senator Franklin moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 763, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 763, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 763, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—25.

Mr. President	Davis	King	Ripley
Baker	Dayton	Lewis	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Lindler	Rogells
Boyle	Floyd	McArthur	Tapper
Bronson	Franklin	Melvin	
Carlton	Hodges	Morrow	
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	

Nays—1.

Pope

So Senate Bill No. 763 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

H. B. No. 103—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the minimum foundation program fund; amending Subsections (4) and (5) of Section 236.07, Florida Statutes, relating to the procedure for determining the annual apportionment to counties from said fund, by increasing the amount to be included for transportation and prescribing amount to be used for obtaining instructional materials.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 103 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote

And House Bill No. 103 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 103 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. 103 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 103 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

Mr. President	Collins	Hodges	Pearce
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Black	Dayton	Johnson	Ripley
Boyle	Douglas	King	Rodgers
Bronson	Floyd	Lindler	Rogells
Carlton	Franklin	McArthur	Shands
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 103 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

H. B. No. 689—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize J.

Ben Fuqua, Beulah Hunt, C. T. Tomlinson, Selby Bailey, J. D. Nash, Noah B. Butt, Henry M. Farrior and H. Isle Enzor upon contributing the full amount they would have been required to contribute to the State or County Officers and Employees Retirement System as the case may be to receive credit for prior service to the State or County under such retirement system.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 689 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 689 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 689:

In Section 1, line 4 (typewritten bill), after the comma following the name "J. Ben Fuqua," insert the following: "R. H. Stovall, M. D., E. H. Floyd, S. L. Moore".

Senator Floyd 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. 689:

In Section 1, line 4 (typewritten bill), after the word "contribution," insert the words: "J. T. Rouse" and "E. A. Fleming".

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 689:

In the title of the bill, in the first line of the title, after the comma following the name "J. Ben Fuqua," insert the following: "R. H. Stovall, M. D., E. H. Floyd, S. L. Moore."

Senator Floyd moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Tapper offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 689:

In title of Bill in first line of the title after the comma following the name J. Ben Fuqua add: Henry M. Farrior, Washington County, Gerald M. Pontoon, St. Johns County, R. J. Wells, Alachua County.

Senator Tapper 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. 689:

In Title, line 1, (typewritten bill) after the word: "authorize", insert the following words: "J. T. Rouse and E. A. Fleming".

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 689, 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. 689, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 689, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—27.

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

Nays—1.

Pope

So House Bill No. 689 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

H. B. No. 1198—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 201.08, Florida Statutes, 1951, relating to excise tax on promissory notes, written obligations to pay money, assignment of wages, etc. by prescribing quarterly payment of tax on gross amount of instruments in connection with sales made under retail charge account services; and providing effective date of this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1198 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1198 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1198 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. 1198 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1198 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—27.

Mr. President	Collins	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	King	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	Lewis	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Lindler	Rogells
Bronson	Floyd	McArthur	Shands
Carlton	Franklin	Melvin	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1198 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

S. B. No. 653—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to riparian rights; in reference to submerged bottoms not filled in and made land; conveyance or lease of the riparian land; riparian rights not to be assessed for purposes of taxation; relating to tax liens against riparian rights; cancelling said liens and restoring said rights to original status; and directing the clerks of the Circuit Courts or other taxing officers in reference thereto.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 653 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 653 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Crary offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 653:

In (typewritten bill) at the end of Section 1 add the following:

Navigable waters in this state shall not be held to extend to any permanent or transient waters in the form of so-called lakes, ponds, swamps or overflowed lands, lying over and upon areas which have heretofore been conveyed to private individuals by the United States of America or by the State of Florida without reservation of public rights in and to said waters. Furthermore the submerged lands of any non-meandered lake shall be deemed subject to private ownership where the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of Florida conveyed the same more than fifty (50) years ago without any deductions for water and without any reservation for public use and when taxes have been levied and collected on said submerged lands since conveyance by the State.

Senator Crary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Crary also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 653:

In Section 2, lines 8 through 11, (typewritten bill) strike out the following: "Till such submerged bottoms shall have been filled and made land, use of the waters over them by the public for legitimate purposes shall not be denied."

Senator Crary moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 653, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 653, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 653, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—18.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Lewis	Shands
Beall	Floyd	McArthur	Tapper
Black	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	
Bronson	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—12.

Carlton	Dayton	Gautier (13th)	Ripley
Clarke	Douglas	Lindler	Rodgers
Davis	Franklin	Melvin	Rogells

So Senate Bill No. 653 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Melvin presiding.

H. B. No. 1199—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 843.01, 843.06 and 843.08, Florida Statutes, relating to resisting of certain officers with violence; neglect or refusal to aid certain officers on request; falsely personating certain officers; and providing penalties for violations.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1199 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1199 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1199 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. 1199 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1199 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—24.

Baker	Collins	Hodges	Pearce
Black	Davis	Houghton	Pope
Branch	Dayton	Lewis	Ripley
Bronson	Douglas	Lindler	Rodgers
Carlton	Franklin	McArthur	Rogells
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1199 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 unanimous consent Senator Pearce withdrew Senate Bill No. 820.

H. B. No. 1132—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Florida Highway Patrol; amending Subsection (4) of 321.05, Florida Statutes, providing a penalty for failure to appear by persons arrested and released without bond.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1132 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1132 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1132 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. 1132 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1132 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—23.

Baker	Davis	Houghton	Pope
Black	Dayton	King	Ripley
Branch	Douglas	Lindler	Rodgers
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Rogells
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Clarke	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1132 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 unanimous consent Senator Pearce withdrew Senate Bill No. 819.

S. B. No. 791—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for protection of employees of railroads accused of violations of municipal ordinances in the operation of trains.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 791 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 791 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 791 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. 791 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 791 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—16.

Mr. President	Dayton	Houghton	Ripley
Black	Douglas	King	Rodgers
Carlton	Floyd	Melvin	Rogells
Davis	Gautier (13th)	Pope	Tapper

Nays—9.

Baker	Collins	Lewis
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler
Clarke	Hodges	McArthur

So Senate Bill No. 791 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 Rogells asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 737, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

Committee Substitute for H. B. No. 737—A bill to be entitled An Act restoring to the tax rolls of Charlotte County certain lands withdrawn from the list of Taxable Lands in said County by Reason of their Ownership by the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission; providing for the Assessment and Collection of Taxes thereon for County Purposes; Prescribing certain duties with relation thereto by the said Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission; and for other purposes incident thereto.

Was taken up.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 737 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 737 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rogells moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 737 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. 737 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 737 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—20.

Mr. President	Bronson	Douglas	McArthur
Baker	Connor	Floyd	Morrow
Black	Crary	Gautier (28th)	Pearce
Boyle	Davis	Hodges	Rogells
Branch	Dayton	Lewis	Shands

Nays—13.

Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper
Clarke	Houghton	Pope	
Collins	King	Ripley	
Franklin	Lindler	Rodgers	

So Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 737 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 unanimous consent Senator Rogells withdrew Senate Bill No. 624.

Senator Pearce moved that House Bill No. 1749 be recalled from the Committee on Population and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

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

Senator Pearce asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1749, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1749—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation of certain county officials in the counties of the State of Florida having a population of not more than 24,000, according to the last Federal census, with a board of bond trustees having administrative duties; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing effective and expiration dates.

Was taken up.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1749 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1749 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1749:

Strike out Section I and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section I. In each county of the State of Florida having a population of not more than 24,000, according to the last Federal Census, with a Board of Bond Trustees having administrative duties, the compensation of the Supervisor of Registration shall be Twenty-six Hundred (\$2600.00) Dollars per year, payable in equal monthly installments, from any fund of the County available for such purpose.

Senator Pearce moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1749, 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. 1749, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1749, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1749 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

Senator Dayton presiding.

Senator Crary asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1144, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1144—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsection Six (6) of Section 39.02, Florida Statutes, relating to the transfer of certain cases involving children brought into Juvenile Courts as delinquent children from

such courts to courts having criminal trial jurisdiction, by adding thereto a provision that jurisdiction over children so transferred shall revert to and be reinvested in the juvenile courts under certain prescribed conditions; and providing the effective date hereof.

Was taken up.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1144 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1144 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1144 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. 1144 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1144 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

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

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1144 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 Melvin moved that House Bill No. 666 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary "A", and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Franklin moved that House Bill No. 893 be recalled from the Committee on Judiciary "A", and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

S. B. No. 540—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsection (19) of Section 440.02 of Chapter 440, Florida Statutes, 1951, known as "Workmen's Compensation Law," relating to definition of "Accident;" and making this Act effective July 1, 1953.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 540 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote

And Senate Bill No. 540 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 540:

In Sub-section 19 (typewritten bill), strike out the following language: "Accident" shall mean only an unexpected or unusual event or result happening suddenly, and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(19) "Accident" shall mean only an unexpected or unusual event or result happening suddenly; provided, however, no injury itself or result alone shall be construed as or held to be an accident.

Pending consideration of the amendment offered by Senator Franklin to Senate Bill No. 540, Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and the time of adjournment be extended until final roll call on Senate Bill No. 540.

Which was not agreed to.

Pending consideration of the amendment offered by Senator Franklin to Senate Bill No. 540, Senator King moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 5:29 o'clock, P. M., until 10:00 o'clock, A. M., Wednesday, June 3, 1953, pursuant to the Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar adopted by the Senate this day.