

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

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The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Monday, May 23, 1955.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

—38.

A quorum present.

The following Prayer was offered by the Senate Chaplain, Reverend E. E. Snow:

Eternal God, in this holy moment help us to rededicate and reconsecrate ourselves to Thee and the good of our State.

We thank Thee for the accomplishments of our Legislature to this point in our Session. Now as we come down to the home stretch help us that no time shall be wasted in the remaining days. We pray for a VISION UNLIMITED in the enactment of legislation that will be for the good of our whole State and people.

In the heavy responsibilities that are ours put the fear of God in our hearts. Amen.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Senate daily Journal of Friday, May 20, 1955, was further corrected as follows:

Page 746, column 2, line 15, strike out "13 and 14" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "12 and 13."

Also—

Page 767, column 2, line 31, counting from the bottom of the column, strike out the figures "1055" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1955."

And as further corrected was approved.

The Senate daily Journal of Monday, May 23, 1955, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar pursuant to Senate Rule 66.

Honorable W. T. Davis
President of 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 on May 24, 1955:

S. B. No. 617—Relating to Beverage Administration

S. B. No. 939—Relating to Real Estate

S. B. No. 532—Relating to Highway Patrol

H. B. No. 220—Relating to Council of Blind

Senate Joint Resolution No. 703—Relating to County Superintendents

S. B. No. 496—Relating to Mental Health

S. B. No. 789—Relating to college credits

S. B. No. 623—Relating to retirement

S. B. No. 852—Relating to fertilizer

S. B. No. 605—Relating to trading stamps

S. B. No. 685—Relating to equal pay for employees

S. B. No. 937—Relating to tax certificates

S. B. No. 845—Relating to sale of securities

S. B. No. 630—Relating to corporations

S. B. No. 678—Relating to hotel and motel

S. B. No. 679—Relating to hotel and motel

S. B. No. 977—Relating to license for seafood dealers

S. B. No. 681—Relating to meat inspection

S. B. No. 1004—Relating to contractors bond

S. B. No. 1009—Relating to sales tax

S. B. No. 715—Relating to relief of H. E. Corry

S. B. No. 824—Relating to Inter American center authority

H. B. No. 385—Relating to Industrial Commission

S. B. No. 486—Relating to Medical registration

S. B. No. 488—Relating to Medical identification

S. B. No. 460—Relating to material liens

S. B. No. 930—Relating to Medical societies

Respectfully submitted,

WOODROW M. MELVIN, Chairman
Rules and Calendar Committee

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

S. B. No. 727—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a scholarship program for dental education and to require recipients of such scholarships to practice dentistry in communities designated by the State Board of Health as needing additional dentists or to forfeit and be liable to the State for certain portions of the sums granted under such scholarship; to prescribe eligibility requirements for such scholarships; to provide for the designation of communities or areas needing additional practicing dentists; providing that the failure of a scholarship recipient to carry out his obligations shall constitute a ground for revocation of his license to practice dentistry; authorizing the State Board of Health to make reasonable rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions of the Act; and providing an appropriation for the purposes of this Act.

—and recommends that the same pass.

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

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

S. B. No. 730—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a scholarship program for medical education and to require recipients of such scholarship to practice medicine in com-

munities designated by the State Board of Health as needing additional doctors of medicine or to forfeit and be liable to the State for certain portions of the sums granted under such scholarship; to prescribe eligibility requirements for such scholarships; to provide for the designation of communities or areas needing additional practicing doctors of medicine; providing that the failure of a scholarship recipient to carry out his obligations shall constitute a ground for revocation of his license to practice medicine; authorizing the State Board of Health to make reasonable rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions of the Act; and providing an appropriation for the purposes of this Act.

—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 referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original joint reference.

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

S. B. No. 1053—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to education; setting forth the manner of keeping attendance records; providing a penalty for falsification of same; and providing an effective date of this Act.

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

S. B. No. 949—A bill to be entitled An Act granting a certain full-time employee, John P. Thorpe, a field auditor in the Comptroller's Office of the State of Florida, full credit for the entire period of full-time employment in the Florida Emergency Relief Administration and the Board of Social Welfare of the State of Florida in the pension fund created by Chapter 22831, Laws of Florida 1945, upon certain condition.

S. B. No. 950—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize Ralph J. Quayle, Decima M. Blount, Shields D. Gay, Jr., and K. C. Bullard, 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 to the County of Hillsborough, State of Florida, under such retirement system and providing for the manner and period of time in which such contributions shall be made.

S. B. No. 951—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize W. Marion Hendry, C. M. Saunders, Margaret Van Balen, Percy Atkinson, Cecil W. Bugbee, Sr., Mary Ann Garcia formerly Mary Ann Falsone, Clarence E. Prevatt and William Norona, 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 they do pass.

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

Senator Edwards, Chairman of the Committee on Oil and Natural Resources, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 781—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the pollution of the Alafia River; prohibiting the discharge of waste, wash or debris into the Alafia River; providing method of procedure and penalties for violation; providing for injunctive relief.

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

And the Bill contained in the preceding report, together

with the Committee Amendments attached thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Barber, Chairman of the Committee on Transportation and Traffic, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 710—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to traffic ordinances and laws and their enforcement; speed measuring and enforcement devices; disposition of traffic fines; providing for suspension by the court of drivers' licenses upon conviction of violating traffic law or ordinance.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 312—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to taxation; providing for the separate taxation of mineral, oil and other subsurface rights; providing the procedure therefor; providing the rate of taxation; providing for the sale thereof for nonpayment of taxes; and providing an effective date.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

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

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

S. B. No. 647—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 208.48, 208.50, 208.51, 208.54, and Subsections 208.47 (6) and 208.52(6) respectively, Florida Statutes, 1953, relating to the refund of tax paid on motor fuels when used solely for agricultural purposes and commercial fishing purposes as defined herein: to provide the method of making such refunds: to provide certain rules and regulations for carrying out this Act: prescribing the powers and duties of the Comptroller: providing appropriations for carrying out this Act: providing penalties for the violations: and providing an effective date of this Act.

—and recommends that the same do pass.

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

ENROLLING REPORTS

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

S. B. No. 600

—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 May 24, 1955, for his approval.

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. 56	H. B. No. 1206
H. C. R. No. 529	H. B. No. 1207
H. B. No. 814	H. B. No. 1218
H. B. No. 1035	H. B. No. 1225
H. B. No. 1083	H. B. No. 1229
H. B. No. 1152	H. B. No. 1230
H. B. No. 1205	H. B. No. 1231

H. B. No. 1232	H. B. No. 1264
H. B. No. 1233	H. B. No. 1266
H. B. No. 1240	H. B. No. 1267
H. B. No. 1242	H. B. No. 1268
H. B. No. 1243	H. B. No. 1271
H. B. No. 1244	H. B. No. 1274
H. B. No. 1245	H. B. No. 1275
H. B. No. 1246	H. B. No. 1276
H. B. No. 1259	

—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 May 24, 1955.

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. M. No. 239
H. B. No. 314
H. B. No. 948

—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 May 24, 1955.

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. 61	H. B. No. 349
H. B. No. 77	H. M. No. 421
H. B. No. 247	H. B. No. 430
H. B. No. 250	H. M. No. 594
H. B. No. 251	H. B. No. 1081
H. B. No. 253	H. B. No. 1151
H. B. No. 256	

—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 May 24, 1955.

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. 21
H. B. No. 63
H. B. No. 168

—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 May 24, 1955.

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. 28	H. B. No. 1147
H. B. No. 82	H. B. No. 1148
H. B. No. 90	H. B. No. 1149
H. B. No. 100	H. B. No. 1153
H. B. No. 103	H. B. No. 1154
H. B. No. 114	H. B. No. 1169
H. B. No. 258	H. B. No. 1170
H. B. No. 396	H. B. No. 1171
H. B. No. 652	H. B. No. 1172
H. B. No. 765	H. B. No. 1180
H. B. No. 842	H. B. No. 1183
H. B. No. 844	H. B. No. 1185
H. B. No. 845	H. B. No. 1186
H. B. No. 1103	

—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 May 24, 1955.

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. 331
H. B. No. 642

—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 May 24, 1955.

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. 23	H. B. No. 1102
H. B. No. 80	H. B. No. 1104
H. B. No. 140	H. B. No. 1125
H. B. No. 327	H. B. No. 1127
H. B. No. 1095	H. B. No. 1128
H. B. No. 1096	H. B. No. 1132
H. B. No. 1098	H. B. No. 1133
H. B. No. 1099	H. C. R. No. 1178

—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 May 24, 1955.

Very respectfully,

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

**INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MEMORIALS, BILLS
AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

By Senator Tapper—

S. B. No. 1120—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide an appropriation for oyster rehabilitation in Bay County by the State Board of Conservation.

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

By Senator Cabot—

S. B. No. 1121—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a species of fish known as snook in all counties having a population of not less than eighty thousand (80,000) inhabitants nor more than one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants according to the latest official Federal Census; declaring snook to be a game fish; establishing a bag limit; establishing a size limit; providing a method of transportation; prohibiting sale; providing a penalty; and providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Bronson—

S. B. No. 1122—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the monthly salary of the chairman and the several members of the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County to be paid monthly; validating, ratifying and confirming the payment of salaries heretofore made by Osceola County to the chairman and several members of the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County under Chapter 23060, Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida of 1945, made subsequent to April 1, 1950, the provisions of any other special or general act to the contrary notwithstanding; to authorize the payment of loss of compensation from April 1, 1950, to June 10, 1951; to absolve, acquit and discharge the chairman and the several members of the Board of County Commissioners of Osceola County from any claim or claims for overpayment of salaries arising by reason of the continued payment of such salaries authorized under the provisions of Chapter 23060, Acts of 1945, subsequent to April 1, 1950.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1122 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 Bronson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1122 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1122 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Bronson moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1122 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. 1122 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1122 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1122 passed, title as stated, and the

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

By Senator Phillips—

S. B. No. 1123—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to motor vehicle headlights; adding Section 317.851, Florida Statutes; providing effective date.

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

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 1124—A bill to be entitled An Act providing discretionary power to levy personal property tax in the Town of Miami Springs, a municipal corporation in Dade County.

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 Gautier (13th) 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 Gautier (13th) 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 1125—A bill to be entitled An Act to establish a retirement system for the policemen of Coral Gables, Florida; to create Coral Gables policemen retirement system board of trustees and to prescribe its duties, powers, organization, functions; to create the Coral Gables policemen retirement fund and to provide for the management of the assets of such fund; to provide for appropriation of funds for carrying out the provisions of this Act; to prescribe penalties and punishment for any violation of the terms of this Act upon conviction thereof; and to repeal any statutes or Acts in conflict herewith; 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. 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 Gautier (13th) 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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 Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 1126—A bill to be entitled An Act providing discretionary power to levy personal property tax in the City of Hialeah, a municipal corporation in Dade County.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1126 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Gautier (13th) 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 Gautier (13th) 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Neblett—

S. B. No. 1127—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to filing of claims for homestead tax exemption in all counties of the state having a population of not less than twenty-nine thousand (29,000) and not more than thirty-four thousand (34,000) inhabitants by the last Federal Census, and providing that such claims need not be filed annually.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Neblett 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 Neblett 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Morgan—

S. B. No. 1128—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 657, Florida Statutes, relating to credit unions, by adding a new section thereto providing authority and method for credit unions of this State to contribute to a fund or funds to provide pensions, retirement benefits and death benefits for their officers and employees.

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

By Senator Morgan—

S. B. No. 1129—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to justices of the peace; amending Chapter 27215 by adding thereto Section 12 to provide for compensation of justices and number of clerks in all counties having a population of not less than three hundred thousand (300,000) nor more than four hundred seventy-five thousand (475,000) inhabitants according to the last official census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Morgan 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 Morgan 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Tapper—

S. B. No. 1130—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 103.101, Florida Statutes; adding a new section to Chapter 101, Florida Statutes, to be designated Section 101.180; relating to delegates and alternate to national convention; election of national committeemen and committeewomen; form of presidential preference primary ballot.

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

By Senator Tapper—

S. B. No. 1131—A bill to be entitled An Act amending certain sections of the election laws; and adding additional sections; relating to registration; registration and election districts; registration books; duty of Bureau of Vital Statistics to furnish information; filing fees; candidates; persons allowed in polling places; watchers at polls; absentee ballots; absent electors; inspectors and clerks; party committee; payments for publication; form of general election ballot; unlawful to vote if elector has voted in other state or country within one (1) year.

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

By Senator Tapper—

S. B. No. 1132—A bill to be entitled An Act amending and revising Sections 103.121 and 103.111, Florida Statutes, and providing additions to Sections 99.103 and 104.272, Florida Statutes; relating to state and county executive committees; Secretary of States remission of filing fees and party assessments of candidates to State executive committees; mishandling of funds by officers of State executive committees.

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

By Senator Tapper—

S. B. No. 1133—A bill to be entitled An Act amending and revising certain provisions of the election laws; adding additional sections thereto; relating to contributions to and expenditures of candidates; penalties for violation of Section 99.161, Florida Statutes; nomination of candidates; sworn statement, receipt and filing fee; political activities of state officers and employees.

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

By Senator Tapper—

S. B. No. 1134—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 100.071, 101.141, 101.151 and 101.36, Florida Statutes, relating to specifications for primary election ballot; specifications for general election ballot; specifications for use of voting machines.

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

By Senator Carraway—

S. B. No. 1135—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Board of Control; amending Subsection (4) of Section 240.092, Florida Statutes, as enacted by Section 4, Chapter 28315, Acts of 1953, to permit institutions of higher learning to make refunds strictly from depository banks; and providing an effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carraway 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 Carraway 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—35.

Mr. President	Clarke	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Connor	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Douglas	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Edwards	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Morgan	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Neblett	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Pearce	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Kicklitter—

S. B. No. 1136—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for further and additional salary to be paid by any county of the State of Florida having a population of not less than two hundred thousand (200,000) and not more than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census, to each circuit judge who is a resident of such county; providing for such salary to be paid from the general revenue fund of such counties, making the same a county purpose and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kicklitter moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1136 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1136 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kicklitter moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill 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 Bill No. 1136 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1136 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Kicklitter—

S. B. No. 1137—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salary of the county solicitors of all counties having not less than two hundred thousand (200,000) nor more than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants according to the last official census, said county solicitors to employ not more than four (4) assistants, one (1) special investigator, four (4) stenographers; providing and fixing the compensation for each.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kicklitter 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 Kickliter 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Kickliter—

S. B. No. 1138—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to supervisors of registration in counties of this State having a population of not less than two hundred thousand (200,000) and not more than three hundred thousand (300,000) inhabitants, according to the last preceding State or Federal Census; to fix salary of such supervisors and authorizing the supervisors of registration to appoint a chief deputy supervisor; and providing for compensation of said chief deputy supervisors.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kickliter 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 Kickliter 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Kickliter—

S. B. No. 1139—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the clerk of the criminal court of record where

compensation for his official duties is paid wholly or partly by fees or commissions or both, in all counties having a population of not less than two hundred thousand (200,000) nor more than three hundred thousand (300,000) according to the last official census; and providing an effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kickliter 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 Kickliter 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Neblett—

Senate Memorial No. 1140:

A MEMORIAL TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES REQUESTING LEGISLATIVE ACTION QUIETING TITLE TO CERTAIN SMALL ISLANDS AMONG THE FLORIDA KEYS.

TO THE HONORABLE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, IN CONGRESS ASSEMBLED:

WHEREAS, Many out-croppings of rock or small keys ranging in areas of from less than one tenth acre to less than six acres among the Florida Keys in Monroe county, Florida, lying between Key Boca Chica, in Township 67 South, Range 26 West, on the west and the east end of Key Largo, in Township 59 South, Range 41 East, on the East, and being between the upland of the Florida Keys and the channel of the bay or navigable waters opposite said upland, were left unsurveyed in 1873 and 1874, when the official surveys of Florida Keys were made and approved by the government, and no such out-croppings of rock or small keys are shown or noted on said survey; and

WHEREAS, The said out-croppings of rock or small keys were not in existence or were of no value and were only slightly above the surrounding waters, if they were in existence in 1873 and 1874 when said survey was made and approved and said small keys were never surveyed by the government nor claimed by the government as public lands of the United States until some of the small keys had been sold to riparian owners by the trustees of the internal improvement fund of Florida, so that they would be filled in and put upon the tax rolls, and after some of the small keys had been improved by riparian owners, all of which gave value to the said keys, the bureau of land management of the Department of Interior, caused some of the keys so sold by the trustees of the internal improvement fund of Florida and some which had been improved by riparian owners, to be surveyed in 1953 and subsequently, as public land of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The Supreme Court of the United States has

ruled in several cases that such islands, unsurveyed and lying between the upland which had been surveyed, and the channel, passed to the State as part of the submerged land when the State was admitted to the union of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The trustees of the internal improvement fund of the State of Florida claimed title to these small islands and have sold some of the said islands to the riparian owners all of which have been placed upon the tax rolls, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the Congress of the United States is hereby memorialized and requested to adopt legislation which will quiet title to these small islands in the State of Florida by providing that said small islands or keys shall have passed to the State of Florida when Florida became a State of the United States in 1845;

That the United States district court of the southern district of Florida be vested with jurisdiction of actions brought by claimants of these islands against the United States to quiet title of said islands in such claimants;

That some action be taken by Congress forthwith to stay sales of the said islands by the bureau of land management, department of the interior, pending this legislation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this memorial be sent immediately to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President of the Senate and to each member of the Florida delegation in the United States Congress.

And Senate Memorial No. 1140 was read the first time in full.

Senator Neblett moved that the rules be waived and Senate Memorial No. 1140 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

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

By Senator Cabot—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1141:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII, SECTION 3 AND REPEAL OF SECTION 2 AND SECTION 4 OF ARTICLE VII OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION; CENSUS AND APPORTIONMENT.

WHEREAS, Many citizens of Florida have requested that representation in the legislature be reapportioned, and

WHEREAS, The growth of population under our present constitution leaves a majority of our citizens with a minority representation in the legislature, and

WHEREAS, In order to more efficiently fix responsibility among our legislators a reduction in the number of members is necessary, and

WHEREAS, The plan proposed will follow the federal apportionment plan except that population representation will be apportioned in the senate where districts are already recognized with the house representation being based on territorial apportionment, and

WHEREAS, A reduction of thirty-three (33) members of the house will greatly reduce the cost of a legislative session and result in more direct representation and responsibility to the people, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That article VII, section 3 of the state constitution be amended as follows, and section 2 and section 4 of article VII be repealed, is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the state for ratification or rejection at the general election of November 6, 1956:

Section 3. Apportionment of representation in the senate and house of representatives.—The legislature that shall meet in regular session A. D. 1925, and those that shall meet in

regular or special session every ten (10) years thereafter shall reapportion the representation in the senate and house of representatives.

The legislature of Florida shall consist of thirty-eight (38) members of the senate and sixty-seven (67) members of the house of representatives.

The state shall be divided into thirty-eight (38) senatorial districts with one (1) senator from each district. Each district shall have, within ten per cent (10%) tolerance, a population equal to every other district. Districts shall be created by the legislature without regard to county lines and with no limitation as to the number of senators from any one county. Where convenient county lines may be followed but districts shall be created strictly on the basis of population as determined only by a state-wide official federal or state census, taken nearest any apportionment year.

The house of representatives shall have one (1) representative from each county in the state.

The senatorial districts shall be numbered and senators shall be elected for a term of four (4) years. Members of the house of representatives shall be elected for a term of two (2) years. Election of members of the house and senate shall be at the same time and places.

This reapportionment plan shall become effective on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1958. Senator's terms from odd numbered districts elected in 1956 shall terminate the effective date of this amendment. Senators representing odd numbered districts shall in 1958 be elected to serve a four (4) year term until 1962 under this amendment. Those senators from even numbered districts whose terms expire in 1958 shall be elected for two (2) years or until 1960, thereafter for a four (4) year term. In the event the legislature shall fail to reapportion the representation in the legislature as required by this amendment, the governor shall within thirty (30) days after the adjournment of the regular session, call the legislature together in extraordinary session to consider the question of reapportionment and such extraordinary session of the legislature is hereby mandatorily required to reapportion the representation as required by this amendment before its adjournment and such extraordinary session so called for reapportionment shall not be limited to expire at the end of twenty (20) days or at all, until reapportionment is effected, and shall consider no business other than such reapportionment.

Which was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments and the Committee on Governmental Reorganization, in the order named.

By Senator Clarke—

S. B. No. 1142—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Jefferson County; providing for a tax of two mills per year on all property in the county for a period of three years; earmarking the funds so raised for libraries for all schools within the county; providing for administration of such library by the superintendent of public instruction of said county; providing a referendum by freeholders.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Clarke 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 Clarke 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 1143—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 10335, Laws of Florida, 1925, relating to the Charter of the Town of Belleair, Pinellas County, by creating additional powers of the board of commissioners of said town; authorizing said board of commissioners to regulate and prescribe specifications for new subdivisions, and revisions and extension of existing subdivisions, within said town; authorizing the said board of commissioners to prescribe penalties for violations of such regulations and specifications; and providing for a referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1143 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1143 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1143 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. 1143 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1143 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1143 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 1144—A bill to be entitled An Act to change the names of the keys in the Mullet Key Archipelago in Pinellas County.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1144 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1144 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1144 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate 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 Senate Bill No. 1144 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1144 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1144 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 1145—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 26.07 and 26.071, of Florida Statutes, 1953, relating to the counties comprising the sixth judicial circuit of Florida, the number of circuit judges therefor; providing that one of such circuit judges must reside in and be appointed or elected from Pasco County; providing for an effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton 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 Houghton 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 1146—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the number, qualifications, term of office and election of the board of commissioners of the Town of Belleair, Pinellas County, amending Section 5, Chapter 10355, Acts of 1925 and repealing Chapter 12525, Acts of 1927 and Chapter 18431, Acts of 1937, and providing for a referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1146 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1146 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1146 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. 1146 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1146 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1146 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Pearce—

S. B. No. 1147—A bill to be entitled An Act appropriating and apportioning all funds accruing to Putnam County, Florida, under Section 15, Article IX of the State Constitution, and Chapter 550, Florida Statutes, 1953 (the same being racing commission funds) by apportioning the first \$50,000.00 of such funds to the County Commissioners of Putnam County, Florida, to be placed in the "Hospital Fund," under Section 155.24, Florida Statutes, and administered by Putnam County public hospital authority for the purposes set forth in Chapter 29463, Laws of Florida, 1953, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and providing the remainder of such funds be apportioned to the Board of Public Instruction of Putnam County, Florida, and to the Board of County Commissioners of Putnam County, Florida, repealing Chapter 24238, Laws of Florida, 1947, to the extent that said chapter is in conflict herewith, and providing effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1147 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 Pearce moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1147 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1147 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1147 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. 1147 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1147 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1147 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Rood—

S. B. No. 1148—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to salt water fisheries and conservation; amending Chapter 370, Florida Statutes, to add thereto a new section to be designated Section 370.021, Florida Statutes; authorizing State Board of Conservation to collect mileage and arrest fees; providing for placing monies collected into general revenue fund.

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

By Senator Rood—

S. B. No. 1149—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to salt water fisheries and conservation; amending Subsection (2) of Section 370.11, Florida Statutes, to provide length regulation of salt water fish.

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

By Senator Rood—

S. B. No. 1150—A bill to be entitled An Act to exempt radio and television broadcasting stations regulated exclusively by the United States Government from payment of county or municipal occupational license taxes.

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

By Senator Rodgers—

S. B. No. 1151—A bill to be entitled An Act effective in counties having population of not less than 70,000 and not more than 450,000, according to the last or any future official census prohibiting marginal entries on records of instruments filed for record in the office of the clerk of the circuit court; providing for the making and recording of separate instruments containing any matter heretofore required or permitted to be entered upon the margins of such records.

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

By Senator Morrow—

S. B. No. 1152—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to internal improvement funds; amending Subsection (2) of Section 253.12, Florida Statutes, to provide for ratification of previous conveyances of title to tidal lands; providing severability clause for Section 253.12; providing effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Oil and Natural Resources.

By Senator Cabot—

S. B. No. 1153—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that in all counties having a population of not less than eighty thousand (80,000) nor more than one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants according to the last official census, it shall not be necessary to file annual claims for homestead exemption, in instances where previously filed and allowed, but such exemptions shall be allowed from year to year under certain terms and conditions; amending Section 192.16, Florida Statutes, pertaining to claims for homestead exemptions accordingly; and providing penalties.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Cabot moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1153 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1153 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Cabot moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1153 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. 1153 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1153 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1153 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Stenstrom—

S. B. No. 1154—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that in all counties having a population of not less than twenty-five thousand five hundred (25,500) nor more than twenty-seven thousand (27,000) inhabitants by the last official census, that the city commissions of certain cities shall have authority to zone certain areas.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1154 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1154 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1154 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. 1154 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1154 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1154 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 1155—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to filing fees received by the clerk of the civil and criminal court of record in counties having a population of not less than 150,000 and not more than 240,000 inhabitants, according to the latest official census; providing that a portion of such fees shall be paid to the law library fund of such counties; and providing an effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton 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 Houghton 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 1156—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to fees to be received by the clerk of the civil and criminal court of record for the filing of civil suits, 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 that the fee for such services shall be in the sum of ten dollars for each civil suit filed; and providing an effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1156 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1156 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1156 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. 1156 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1156 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1156 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Tapper—

S. B. No. 1157—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sub-sections (1), (4) and (6) of Section 100.111, Florida Statutes, relating to the filling of vacancies in elective offices.

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

By Senator Stratton—

S. B. No. 1158—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the county seat of counties having a population of not less than 12,000 nor more than 13,000, according to the last official census; prescribing certain of the powers of the municipal judge of said cities.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Stratton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1158 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1158 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Stratton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1158 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. 1158 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1158 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1158 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Stratton—

S. B. No. 1159—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the county seat of counties having a population of not less than 12,000 nor more than 13,000 according to the last official census; providing that if such cities border on a seacoast the city limits shall extend to the low water mark.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Stratton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1159 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1159 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Stratton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1159 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. 1159 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1159 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1159 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Kickliter—

S. B. No. 1160—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Tampa to enter into supplemental contracts for additional pensions with members of the police and fire departments; and granting authority to the City of Tampa to provide the manner and method of entering into such contracts; to prescribe the amount of contribution and terms of participation, severance and retirement; providing for an annual accounting of said pension fund; ratifying existing contracts not in conflict herewith.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1160 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 Kickliter moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1160 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1160 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kickliter moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1160 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. 1160 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1160 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1160 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Neblett—

S. B. No. 1161—A bill to be entitled An Act exempting from personal property tax all merchandise inventory of Monroe County merchants.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 1161 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 Neblett moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1161 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1161 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Neblett moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1161 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. 1161 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1161 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1161 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Cabot—

S. B. No. 1162—A bill to be entitled An Act creating a civil service commission for the City of Hallandale, Broward County; providing for memberships, powers, duties, and designating the employees to be covered by its provisions; providing for a referendum.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Cabot moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1162 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1162 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Cabot moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1162 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. 1162 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1162 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1162 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Beall asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 639, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 639—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 26137, Acts 1949, providing an Alternative Method to enable certain outlying contiguous areas to become a Part of the City of Pensacola.

Was taken up.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 639 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 639 was read the second time by title only

Senator Beall offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 639:

In Section 1, (typewritten bill) immediately after the period at the end of Subsection (2) of Section 1, add two additional subsections to Section 1, to be designated, respectively, Subsections (3) and (4) as follows:

(3) The area commonly known as the Bayshore, more particularly described as follows: The land and waters lying West of the Eastern shore of Bayou Chico (present city limits), South of the North right of way line of the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway, and East of the East line of Harborview Subdivision, according to plat recorded in Plat Book 3 at page 7 of the public records of Escambia County, Florida (all of said property being located in Sections 50, 51 and 59, Township 2 South, Range 30 West), shall not be annexed to, or integrated or included in, the City of Pensacola under the provisions of this Act, unless an election shall be called and held in the same manner as is provided in Subsection (2) of this section for the holding of elections, and unless at such election a majority of the qualified electors who are freeholders residing in the area above described, shall vote in favor of such annexation, inclusion and integration, provided, however, such election shall be of no effect unless a majority of the registered freeholders residing in the area shall participate in the election and vote upon the question so submitted at such election, and provided further that no property within the area described in this Subsection (3) now being used for manufacturing or industrial purposes, including without limitation property used for the storage and distribution of liquefied petroleum gas, shall be annexed to or integrated in the City of Pensacola so long as the said property is used for any of such purposes, unless the record owner of any such property shall consent in writing to such integration, inclusion, or annexation thereof, in which event such portion only of the above described property as described in such consent shall be so annexed.

(4) No property, except public streets, roads and alleys, running through some or any part thereof, within the following described areas bounded on the East by the city limits of the City of Pensacola, to-wit:

A. That portion of Section 59, Township 2 South, Range 30 West, in Escambia County, Florida, and the waters adjacent thereto, lying East of the East line of the subdivision of William Fisher's 96 acres of the Pedro Palao Grant, according to map of said subdivision filed in Deed Book 11 at page 349 of the records of Escambia County Florida, lying North of the North right of way line of the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Company and South of the Easterly extension of said William Fisher's 96 acres and an Easterly extension thereof to the present limits of the City of Pensacola, Florida; and

B. That parcel of land and the water adjacent thereto, lying East of Audusson Avenue and South of Lot 16 in Block 20 of Lakewood Subdivision and North of the North line of the property described in A above,

now being used for manufacturing or industrial purposes, including without limitation the storage and distribution of metals, lumber, wood, wood and petroleum products, shall be annexed to, or, included or integrated in, the City of Pensacola, Florida, so long as the said property is used for such purposes, unless the record owner of such property shall file with the City of Pensacola, Florida, a consent in writing to said integration, inclusion, or annexation thereof, in which event such portions only of the above described property as described in such consent shall be so annexed.

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 639:

In Section 1 (2), line 1 (typewritten bill) strike out the word "In" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Except with respect to the inhabitants of and the area described in Subsections (3) and (4) hereof, in"

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 639, 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. 639, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 639, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 639 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and the Senate immediately reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1109 passed the Senate on May 23, 1955.

S. B. No. 1109—A bill to be entitled An Act creating Tsala Apopka Basin recreation and water conservation control authority, embracing:—all of that part of Citrus County, Florida, that lies east of a line described as follows: beginning at a point where the east line of section 36, township 16 range 17 east, intersects the Withlacoochee River, run thence south along the east side of range 17 to the southeast corner of section 36, township 17 south, range 17 east, thence east along the north line of township 18 to the northeast corner of section 1, township 18 south, range 18 east, thence south along the east line of range 18 to the southeast corner of section 36, township 19 south, range 18 east, run thence west along the south line of section 36, township 19 south, range 18 east to the northeast corner of section 1, township 20 south, range 18 east, thence south along the east line of sections 1, 12, 13, 24, 25 and 36 in township 20 south, range 18 east, run thence east along the north line of township 21 to the northeast corner of section 1, township 21 south, range 19 east, run thence south along the east line of section 1 and 12, township 21 south, range 19 east to the south boundary of Citrus County, Florida. Providing for a governing board of the authority and defining its powers and duties; declaring the purpose for which the authority is created and declaring these to be public purposes; authorizing the levy of an annual tax not exceeding one and one half mills upon all taxable real, personal and mixed property within the territorial limits of said authority; authorizing the authority to accept, borrow and otherwise participate in state and federal funds and to negotiate and contract with the State of Florida or any state board or agency or with the Federal government or any board, department or agency thereof for monies, labor and material; empowering the authority to acquire real and personal property or any rights therein by gift, purchase, lease, condemnation or eminent domain or otherwise; authorizing the authority to use and possess state land not used for a state purpose; authorizing the authority to acquire, contract, maintain and operate all works necessary to carry out the purposes of the Act and to borrow money for the use of the authority; providing for a referendum to be held on said Act to determine whether the same shall go into effect.

The President put the question: "Will the Senate reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1109 passed the Senate on May 23, 1955?"

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

So the Senate reconsidered the vote by which Senate Bill No. 1109 passed the Senate on May 23, 1955.

The question recurred on the passage of Senate Bill No. 1109.

Pending roll call on the passage of Senate Bill No. 1109, by unanimous consent, Senator Connor offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 1109:

In Section 7, line 2, (typewritten bill) strike out the figure "\$10,000" and insert in lieu thereof the following (\$10.00)

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The question recurred on the passage of Senate Bill No. 1109, as amended.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1109, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1109 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Rodgers asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 828, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 828—A bill to be entitled An Act creating a zoning commission in Orange County; providing for the appointment and election of zoning commissioners; outlining their duties; designating the clerk to act for said board; authorizing the zoning commission to receive traveling expenses; empowering said commission within certain described territory of Orange County not included in any municipality and upon petition by a majority in number and area owned of the owners within any additional territory in Orange County not included in any municipality to regulate and restrict the height, number of stories and size of the buildings and other structures on land and water, the percentage of property that may be occupied by buildings, the set-back lines, the size of yards, courts and other open spaces, the density of population, the use of buildings, structures, land and water for trade, industry or other specific use, the location, size and plan of cemeteries, burial places, parks and recreation areas, empowering said commission to adopt safety and sanitary codes regulating plumbing and electrical installations, and limiting the stringency of said regulations; providing for the division of said territory into zoning districts; empowering said commission to adopt measures to prevent fire hazards and otherwise promulgate rules, regulations and codes covering the use of any and all real property and water in or on any part of the zoning districts created; and empowering said commission to regulate any and all other matters proper to be regulated to promote and safeguard the health, safety and general welfare of the people; providing the method of procedure; providing for remedies and penalties for violation of this act or any order, rule, resolution and regulation made under the authority of this act; providing for the appointment of a zoning director, deputy zoning directors and advisory assistants; authorizing such expenditures as shall be necessary to effectuate the provisions of this act.

Was taken up.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 828 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 828 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 828 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. 828 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 828 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 828 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Connor asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1226, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1226—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Hernando County; authorizing the board of county commissioners to enter into agreement with the Florida Board of Forestry regarding a county fire control unit; providing for referendum at the next general election if no action is taken by that time.

Was taken up.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1226 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1226 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Connor offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1226:

Strike out all of Section 2 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

Section 2. In the event that the above authorized action is not taken by the time of the next general election there shall be placed upon the ballot at such election a question for approval or rejection of the free holder electors of Hernando County as to whether or not Hernando County shall take the necessary steps to establish and maintain a fire control unit in conjunction with the Florida Board of Forestry and if such question is approved by a majority of the free holder electors voting on said question said action shall be taken by the board of county commissioners of Hernando County.

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. 1226, 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. 1226, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1226, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1226 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Connor asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1227, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1227—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring a public library to be a public need and a general county purpose in Hernando County, Florida; providing for the establishment, operation and maintenance of a public library; providing for the acquisition of property and funds for the establishment, operation and maintenance of such library; directing levying of millage for the operation and maintenance of said library, providing a governing body of said library board; naming said library.

Was taken up.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1227 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1227 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Connor offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1227:

In Section 3, page 2, line 1 (typewritten bill), strike out the words "That the term of the Library Advisory Committee members 1, 3, and 5, shall correspond with the term of the County Commissioners for the County Commissioner Districts 2 and 4." and insert in lieu thereof the following: That the term of the Library Advisory Committee members 1, 3, and 5, shall correspond with the term of the County Commissioners for the County Commissioner Districts 1, 3, and 5, and the term of the Advisory Library Committee members number 2 and 4 shall correspond with the term of the County Commissioners from the County Commissioner Districts 2 and 4.

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. 1227, 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. 1227, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1227, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1227 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1007, previously referred to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Appropriations, in the order named, be referred only to the Committee on Education.

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

Senator Barber moved that Senate Bill No. 709, reported unfavorably by the Committee on Transportation and Traffic on May 17, 1955, be removed from the table and recommitted

to the Committee on Transportation and Traffic for further consideration.

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

Senator Barber moved that Senate Bill No. 711, reported unfavorably by the Committee on Transportation and Traffic on May 17, 1955, be removed from the table and recommitted to the Committee on Transportation and Traffic for further consideration.

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

By unanimous consent, Senator Pearce withdrew Senate Bill No. 116 from the further consideration of the Senate.

Senator Morrow asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 853, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 853—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the County Judge in all counties having a population of more than eighty-five thousand (85,000) and not more than one hundred fourteen thousand seven hundred fifty (114,750) inhabitants according to the last general federal census of Florida.

Was taken up.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 853 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 853 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 853:

In Section 1, line 2, (typewritten bill) strike out the words and figures "eighty-five thousand (85,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "one hundred thirteen thousand (113,000)"

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 853:

In Section 1, line 5, (typewritten bill) after the word "Florida" strike out the comma and add the following "taken in 1950"

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 853:

In Title, (typewritten bill) strike out the words and figures "eighty-five thousand (85,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: one hundred thirteen thousand (113,000)

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 853, 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. 853, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 853, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 853 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator King moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return Senate Bill No. 1048 to the Senate for further consideration.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Houghton asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1057, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1057—A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 29,427, Special Laws of Florida, 1953, and the abolishment of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control District created thereby; creating the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority within Pinellas County, Florida; providing for definition of terms used in this Act; providing for its power and authority to regulate and control submerged bottom lands, islands, sandbars, swamps and overflow lands and other sovereignty lands in Pinellas County, Florida; providing for the membership of said authority; providing for the clerk of the circuit court to serve as secretary ex officio and prescribing his duties; providing that after the effective date of this Act it shall be unlawful to do any dredging, pumping of sand, extension of land, construction or extension of islands, creating obstructions in, on or under any of the navigable waters of Pinellas County, Florida, without obtaining a permit from the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority; providing for requirements of applications to secure permits; providing for a public hearing on application for permits; providing for notice of public hearing on applications for permits; providing for the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority on application for permits to make findings of fact according to standards set further in the Act; providing for the right of rehearing and the right of appeal on applications for permit; providing for exceptions as to docks and wharves in front of upland property owners with the power to establish rules and regulations therefor; providing for the period of time said permits may be issued; providing for the voiding of permits issued by the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control District under the authority of Chapter 29,427, Special Laws of Florida, 1953; providing for the applicants for permits to pay the cost and expenses of process and determination of the applications for permits; providing for the applicants for purchase of submerged land from the trustees of the internal improvement fund to file a copy of said application together with other information with the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority; providing for public hearing on the proposed purchase of submerged lands and other lands within Pinellas County; providing for the publication of notice of public hearing for proposed purchase of submerged land and other lands from the trustees of the internal improvement fund of the State of Florida; providing for the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority to determine its recommendation on proposed purchase of all submerged land and other lands in Pinellas County, Florida, and submit them in writing to the trustees of the internal improvement fund of the State of Florida after public hearing; providing that all costs and expenses of the process of determination and hearing of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority on its recommendations for sale of submerged land and other land shall be paid for by the applicants; providing that the recommendations of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority shall not affect subsequent denial or issuance of permits or establishment of bulkhead lines; providing that the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority may establish bulkhead lines and acquire the data and services necessary for the establishment of said bulkhead

lines; providing for the obtaining of monies for the operation of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority prior to the fiscal year 1955-1956; providing for the place of meeting; granting the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority the right to subpoena witnesses and to compel them to testify under oath; providing for penalties for violation of this Act; providing that said Act is a valid public and county purpose; providing for this Act to be liberally construed; providing severability clause; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing for said Act to take effect immediately upon becoming law.

Was taken up.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1057 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1057 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Houghton offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 1057:

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

Section 1. That Chapter 29,427, Special Laws of Florida, 1953, be and the same is hereby repealed, and that the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control District created thereby is hereby abolished.

Section 2. That in order to provide for adequate regulation and control of all water, water courses, waterways, inlets, bays and bayous and their alteration by dredging, filling, pumping, or otherwise altering the shoreline, land contours and/or water areas and in the interest of public rights, public welfare, protection of public riparian property rights and the preservation of the natural beauty and attractiveness of the bays, bayous, harbors, streams, water courses and inlets and to aid and assist boating activities and navigation, there is hereby created the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority within Pinellas County, Florida; that the said Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority shall have the power and authority to:

(a) Regulate and exercise control over the dredging and filling of all submerged bottom lands in the waters of Pinellas County, together with all islands, sandbars, swamp and overflow lands including sovereignty lands;

(b) File recommendations with the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida concerning the sale of all submerged land in the waters of Pinellas County, together with all islands, sandbars, swamp and overflow lands including sovereignty lands;

Section 3. That the following terms and phrases, when used in this Act, shall have the meaning ascribed to them in this Section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning;

"Authority" means the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority.

"Board" means the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, Florida, acting as the governing authority of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority.

"Navigable Waters" includes all tidal waters and such fresh waters as are in fact navigable.

"Person," "Firm," or "Corporation," when used in this Act, shall not include the State of Florida, Pinellas County, any municipal corporation within said County or any other governmental Board or Bureau.

Section 4. That the regulation and control of said Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority shall be applicable to the filling and dredging of all submerged bottom lands, islands, sandbars, swamp and overflow lands, including sovereignty lands, in Pinellas County, Florida, and including all such lands within the municipal boundaries of any incorporated municipality; provided, however, that said authority shall not regulate and control according to the terms of the Act, any freshwater lakes or streams inside municipal or corporate limits.

Section 5. The Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority shall be composed of the duly elected members of the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, Florida, and said Board shall be the governing authority of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority.

Section 6. The Board shall elect one of its members as chairman. The Clerk of the Circuit Court of Pinellas County, Florida, shall serve as secretary ex officio, and as Clerk of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority, but he shall not be entitled to any salary or additional compensation therefor, nor shall he be entitled to a vote on said Board. The members of the Board shall not be entitled to any additional salary or additional compensation for their services as members of said governing authority of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control District.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Clerk on and after the effective date of this Act to accept and process all applications and matters of business coming before the Authority, and receive all revenues and receipts of the Authority. He shall further provide for such administrative service as may be requested by the Board and shall keep accurate records of the business of said Authority.

Section 8. That on and after the effective date of this Act it shall be unlawful for any person to do any dredging, pumping of sand, extension of lands, construction or extension of islands, creating obstructions in, on, or under any of the navigable waters of Pinellas County, Florida, except under permits previously issued under Chapter 29,427, Special Laws of Florida, 1953, and except as hereinafter provided.

(a) Any person, firm or corporation desiring to do any dredging, pumping of sand, filling of any submerged lands, extension of lands, construction of islands in, or under said navigable waters, shall make an application to the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority for a permit to be granted to such person, firm or corporation to dredge, pump sand, fill or extend lands, or create any other obstruction in, on or under any of the navigable waters of Pinellas County or said lands thereof; provided, however, that all pending applications for permits for dredging, pumping of sand and filling filed pursuant to Chapter 29,427, Special Laws of Florida, 1953, shall be cancelled, without prejudice, and be of no force and effect, as if the same had not been filed; provided, further, that nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit or prevent any applicant, of an application so cancelled, from re-submitting his application with the Board created by this act; and provided, further, that such re-submitted application shall be processed by said Board in accordance with the provisions and purposes of this act.

(b) That said application shall be accompanied by a plan or drawing showing specifically what is proposed to be done, including proposed sea-walling, and the location of property owners who may be affected thereby. Said plan or drawing shall be to scale and shall show the depths of the waters and the elevation of the development above the waterline, and shall have been drawn by an accredited civil engineer. That at least one (1) copy of said drawing shall be submitted of a size acceptable for publication in a daily newspaper. That said application shall include the names and mailing addresses of the owners and the legal descriptions of all upland and submerged property within five hundred (500) feet of the nearest point of said development. That said application shall further include proof of ownership of the property which is proposed to be developed. That the Authority may require such other information as may be necessary in the processing and determination of the application.

(c) The application shall be filed with the Clerk of said Authority, together with such filing fees and costs as may be necessary for the filing, processing and determination of said application; provided, however, such fees and costs shall not exceed Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars.

(d) The Board shall set a public hearing and publish notice of such public hearing two (2) times, in a daily newspaper of general circulation in the area that is qualified to publish legal notices, at least two (2) weeks prior to said public hearing. Said notice shall state the development proposed to be made, the legal description of the area in which the development is to be made, a general description of the area involved, and shall include a plat or drawing showing the development to be made and the location of same as it

relates to the surrounding area. An affidavit of proof of said publication shall be furnished to the Board before its consideration of said application. The Board shall further cause notices to be sent by registered mail or personal service to each of the upland property owners within five hundred (500) feet of the proposed development which shall in all events include the owners of the upland affected by any proposed fill between said upland and the nearest channel, and such other property owners as the Board deems might be adversely affected by the proposed development, and such notices shall be substantially the same as are required to be published in a newspaper as hereinbefore provided. That all municipalities or other public agencies who may be affected by said proposed development shall also be notified by registered mail as hereinbefore provided and shall have the right to be heard.

(e) That the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority, in order to prevent undesirable situations which might result from the promiscuous and uncontrolled filling of bottom land or the excavating of basins or channels without regard to what might result therefrom, shall obtain such engineering or other data and hear such testimony under oath as may be necessary to determine.

1. The effect of the proposed plan or development on the use of said waters in said County for transportation and recreational or other public purposes and public conveniences.
2. The effect of the proposed plan or development on the free use of the waterways and navigable waters.
3. The effect of the proposed plan or development upon erosion control.
4. The effect of the proposed plan or development upon the flow of water or tidal currents in said county.
5. The effect of the proposed plan or development upon erosion, shoaling of channels, formation of stagnant pockets likely to collect debris and upon extraordinary storm damage.
6. The effect of the proposed plan or development upon the natural beauty and recreational advantages of Pinellas County.
7. The effect of the proposed plan or development upon the conservation of wild life, marine life, and other natural resources.
8. The effect of the proposed plan or development upon the uplands surrounding are necessarily affected by said plan or development.

The Board, after public hearing, from said data and testimony, shall make findings of fact and determine whether or not the proposed plan or development will materially affect any of the rights and interests of the public heretofore set out in this Section. Said findings of fact and said determination shall be reduced to writing and shall be filed with the Clerk of the Board and, when so filed shall be open to the public. The Board shall, if it desires, or at the request of any applicant or any objector cause the testimony taken at the public hearing to be reported and transcribed, which testimony together with all engineering and other data considered by the Board shall be filed with the Clerk of the Board and, when so filed, the same shall be open to the public; provided, however, that the Board may require the person or persons requesting the reporting of said testimony to post with the Board sufficient moneys to pay the costs of reporting and transcribing the same.

If the Authority shall find that the proposed plan or development will not materially affect adversely any of the rights and interests of the public heretofore set out in this Section, said Authority shall then grant and issue a permit for said proposed plan or development or any modification thereof according to the provisions of this Act as hereinafter provided.

If the Authority shall find that the said proposed plan or development will materially affect adversely any of the rights or interests of the public heretofore set out in this Section, the said Authority shall deny the application and refuse to issue a permit for the proposed plan or development.

Said permit, if granted, shall not be effective until 30 days after the filing of the determination with the Clerk and, if

a petition for rehearing is filed, until said petition is heard and determined.

Any person, firm or corporation, including the State of Florida, Pinellas County and any municipal corporation in said County, in the event they are aggrieved by the findings of fact and determination of the Board, may within thirty (30) days of such findings and determination, petition for rehearing, stating in their petition the grounds upon which the governing authority has erred in its findings and wherein they are aggrieved by said findings. The governing authority may, in its discretion, grant or deny such rehearing.

Any person, firm or corporation, including the State of Florida, Pinellas County and any municipal corporation in said County, who is aggrieved by the Board's ruling on the petition for rehearing shall have the right to have the entire cause reviewed by the Circuit Court of the Sixth Judicial Circuit of Florida in and for Pinellas County as provided by law for other appeals to the Circuit Court.

Section 9. The Board may, if it deems it necessary, employ an examiner or examiners who shall conduct such of the public hearings provided for by Sections 8 and 11 of this Act as may be referred to said examiner or examiners by the Board.

(a) The Board may enter an order referring the hearing to an examiner, which order shall be filed by the Clerk of the Board and become a part of the records of said Board.

(b) The examiner shall regulate all of the proceedings in every hearing before him, upon every reference; and he shall have full authority to examine the proponent, the objectors and all witnesses, upon oath, touching all material matters relative to the application and also to direct the mode in which the matters requiring evidence shall be proved before him; and generally to do other acts, and direct all other inquiries and proceedings in the matter before him which he may deem necessary and proper to the justice and merits thereof and the rights of the parties. The examiner shall also administer the oath to all witnesses testifying before him.

(c) The evidence in all examinations before the examiner shall be taken down in writing by the examiner or by some other person, by his authority, in his presence and filed with his report.

(d) The examiner shall forthwith, after the public hearing, make his report to the Board. Said report shall be in writing and shall make findings of fact and recommendations as to the determination of the application, and attached to said report and made a part thereof shall be all testimony taken at said public hearing, together with all engineering and other data considered by the examiner in making his recommendations.

(e) Said report shall be filed with the Clerk of the Board and the Clerk of the Board shall notify by registered mail all of the persons, firms or corporations entitled under Section 8 (d) of this Act to notice of the hearing that said report has been filed. Any person, firm or corporation, including the State of Florida, Pinellas County and any municipality within said County, in the event they are aggrieved by the findings of fact and recommendations of the examiner, may, within thirty (30) days of the mailing of the notice of the filing of said report, file exceptions to said report, which exceptions shall specify wherein they are aggrieved and wherein the report and recommendations are erroneous. If no exceptions are filed within the said time as above provided, the report shall be confirmed by order of the Board. If exceptions are filed, they shall stand for hearing before the Board and notice of said hearing, in writing by the Clerk, shall be given to those persons entitled under the terms of this Act to notice of the filing of the examiner's report.

(f) At the hearing, before the Board, of exceptions to the examiner's report, the Board shall consider the exceptions to the examiner's report and the record of testimony taken before the examiner, without presumptions as to the examiner's findings of fact, the engineering and other data, and shall either confirm the examiner's report or enter such other determination in the matter as is proper; said order shall be filed with the Clerk of the Board and shall be open to the public. After the entry of said order, the procedure for rehearing before the Board and review by the Circuit Court

shall be the same as heretofore provided where the Board originally hears the testimony.

(g) The compensation of the examiner and of all other persons necessary to conduct said hearings, including a reporter, shall be paid by the Board.

Section 10. That the aforementioned provisions of Section 8 shall not deny the right of any upland owner to construct a dock or wharf in front of his upland as provided by the laws of the State, but said Authority may make reasonable rules and regulations for the construction thereof in order to carry out the provisions and intent of this section.

Section 11. No permit shall be issued for more than a three (3) year period. Work under said permit must be commenced within one (1) year from the date of issuance and shall be completed within three (3) years from the date of issuance of said permit; and in the event said work is not commenced or completed within said period, reapplication shall be made to the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority. For any non-compliance with or for violations of its terms, the permit may be revoked after notice of intent so to do has been furnished by the Authority and opportunity afforded within reasonable time for hearings thereon.

Section 12. (a) The applicant or applicants for the purchase of submerged land, islands, sandbars, swamp and overflow lands, including all sovereignty lands, from the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida shall, concurrently with the filing of said application with the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund, file a copy of same with the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority, together with such other information as said Authority may require. The governing authority of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority shall then set a public hearing and publish notice of such public hearing two times in a daily newspaper of general circulation in the area that is qualified to publish legal notices, at least one week prior to said public hearing. That said notice shall state the legal description of the land to be purchased, together with a general description of the land to be purchased and shall also include a plat or drawing showing the location of said land as it relates to the surrounding area. An Affidavit of Proof of said Publication shall be furnished to the Board before its consideration of said application. The said governing authority shall further cause notices to be sent by registered mail or personal service to each of the upland property owners within five hundred (500) feet of the land to be purchased, and such other upland property owners as the said governing authority deems might be adversely affected by the proposed sale of said land; and such notices shall be substantially the same as are required to be published in a newspaper, as hereinbefore provided. That all municipalities or other public agencies who may be affected by the sale of said land shall also be notified by registered mail as hereinbefore provided.

(b) At said public hearing the said governing authority of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority will consider what recommendations it will submit to the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund of the State of Florida. All of the proponents and opponents of the sale of said land shall be heard by the said governing authority at said public hearing; and the said governing authority shall then determine its recommendations, which recommendations it shall immediately cause to be submitted in writing to the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund.

(c) In considering their recommendations, the said governing authority may obtain such engineering and other data and hear such testimony under oath as it may deem necessary.

(d) The Board shall assess such filing fees and costs as may be necessary for the filing, processing and determination of the application to purchase submerged lands; provided, however, such fees and costs shall not exceed One Hundred (\$100.00). Dollars.

(e) The recommendations of the Board as submitted to the Trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund, irrespective of whether they be adverse or favorable, shall not in any way affect any subsequent action of the Board on an application for a permit or permits to develop said land under the provisions of this Act.

Section 13. The Board shall have the power to employ or retain all personnel necessary to carry out the purposes of this Act. The payment of such personnel and expenses shall be an obligation of Pinellas County and shall be provided for by the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, subject to review by the Budget Commission of said County in the same manner as other departments or agencies of said County.

Prior to the adoption of the budget for the fiscal year 1955-1956, said Board may estimate the expenses necessary for it to function until the adoption of the first budget and so certify same to the Board of County Commissioners of Pinellas County, Florida; and, the said Board of County Commissioners shall approve the aggregate of such anticipated expenses to be paid from the surplus funds on hand by said Board of County Commissioners, provided, however, that the aggregate of such anticipated expenses shall not exceed \$10,000.00.

Section 14. That the Board of the Pinellas County Water and Navigation Control Authority may meet and hold its public hearings in any public meeting place within Pinellas County, Florida.

Section 15. The Board shall have the power to enforce its findings and determinations by injunction or other legal process.

Section 16. Any person, firm or corporation convicted of violating the provisions of this Act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 17. The purposes of this Act are hereby declared and found to be good and valid public and county purposes.

Section 18. The provisions of this Act shall be liberally construed in order to effectively carry out its purpose.

Section 19. It is declared to be the legislative intent that if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or provision of this Act is held invalid, the remainder of this Act shall not be affected.

Section 20. All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 21. This Act shall take effect immediately upon becoming law.

Senator Houghton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1057, 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. 1057, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1057, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1057 passed, as amended, 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
May 23, 1955

Honorable W. Turner Davis
President of the Senate
State Capitol
Tallahassee, Florida

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that today I have filed in the office of the Secretary of State the following Act, which originated in your Honorable Body, Regular Session 1955, same having remained in my office for the full Constitutional period of five days, and will become law without my approval:

S. B. NO. 827—RELATING TO VOLUSIA COUNTY

Respectfully,
LeROY COLLINS
Governor

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

TALLAHASSEE
May 24, 1955

Honorable W. Turner Davis
President of the Senate
State Capitol
Tallahassee, Florida

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that today I have approved the following Act, which originated in your Honorable Body, Regular Session, 1955, and have caused the same to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

S. B. NO. 230—RELATING TO MEMORIAL DAY

Respectfully,
LeROY COLLINS
Governor

STATE OF FLORIDA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

TALLAHASSEE
May 24, 1955

Honorable W. Turner Davis
President of the Senate
State Capitol
Tallahassee, Florida

Sir:

I have the honor to inform you that today I have approved the following Acts, which originated in your Honorable Body, Regular Session, 1955, and have caused the same to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State:

- S. B. No. 57—RELATING TO NATIONAL GUARD
- S. B. No. 63—RELATING TO COURT REPORTERS
- S. B. No. 65—RELATING TO PARTITION PROCEEDINGS
- S. B. No. 263—RELATING TO EXTRADITION OF PERSONS OF UNSOUND MIND
- S. B. No. 295—RELATING TO PARI-MUTUEL TICKETS
- S. B. No. 353—RELATING TO UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOLS
- S. B. No. 600—RELATING TO APPROPRIATION, DEFICIENCY

S. B. No. 707—RELATING TO DAN McCARTY MEMORIAL HIGHWAY

Respectfully,
LeROY COLLINS
Governor

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Carraway—

S. B. No. 866—A bill to be entitled An Act to designate and establish a certain State road in Leon County, Florida.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, strike out the word "five" where it appears and insert the following in lieu thereof: "seven"

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 866, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Carraway moved that the Senate concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 866.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 866.

And Senate Bill No. 866, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Hodges—

S. B. No. 596—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the designation of a portion of State Road S-326; providing that the section of road commencing at Gulf Hammock and running by Wekiva Springs to Morriston, be designated as the William R. Coulter Highway.

Which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, Lines 4 and 5, following the words "The state highway department is" strike out "directed" and insert the following in lieu thereof: "authorized and empowered"

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 596, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Hodges moved that the Senate concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 596.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 596.

And Senate Bill No. 596, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

By Senators Shands, Rood, Pearce, Getzen, Gautier (28th), Stratton, Edwards, Carraway, Fraser, Johnson, Cabot, Phillips, Clarke, Neblett, Barber, Morgan, Beall, Kickliter, Bronson, Gautier (13th), Floyd, Connor, King, Rodgers, Tapper, Hodges, Baker, Pope, Carlton, Houghton, Douglas, Stenstrom and Morrow—

S. B. No. 444—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and establishing Florida Development Commission; providing for the appointment, qualification and removal of a chairman and members of the commission; providing for oath of office to be subscribed by members; providing for location of headquarters of the commission and authorizing branch offices; providing for duties of the commission; providing for the appointment, removal, compensation, and duties of a director of the commission; providing that the work of the commission may be conducted by divisions, as authorized; authorizing the commission to make use of data and information in possession of other state agencies; providing for sale of publications of the commission; authorizing the commission to accept grants or funds or property made by the United States or any department or agency thereof or by individuals, corporations, municipalities or counties for any of the purposes of the commission; providing the commission shall encourage organization of agencies, boards or groups among interested citizens to further work of the commission; providing for abolishing Florida State Advertising Commission and repeal of Chapter 286, Florida Statutes; providing for abolishing Florida State Improvement Commission created under Section 420.02, Florida Statutes, but retaining the remainder of Chapter 420, Florida Statutes, and vesting powers therein and in other described laws in Florida Development Commission; providing that Florida Development Commission shall assume obligations of Florida State Advertising Commission and Florida State Improvement Commission; transferring to Florida Development Commission assets and unexpended funds or appropriations of said abolished commissions; providing that all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith shall be repealed; and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 11, following Subsection (b), insert the following:

“(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subsection (b) of this Section 11 in the event that, at the time this Act takes effect, any bonds therefore authorized by Florida State Improvement Commission and validated in the manner provided in Chapter 75, Florida Statutes, have not been theretofore issued and sold then said Florida State Improvement Commission shall be continued as a public body corporate and politic solely for the purpose of the issuance, sale and delivery of such bonds, and shall have power to issue, sell and deliver in the name of Florida State Improvement Commission said bonds in the manner provided in said Chapter 420, Florida Statutes, or other statutes relating to said Florida State Im-

provement Commission; provided, however, that such bonds shall in any event be so issued, sold and delivered not later than July 1, 1956. After the issuance, sale and delivery of any of such bonds, the Florida Development Commission shall succeed to all the duties, obligations and rights of the Florida State Improvement Commission with respect to said bonds.

After all such bonds have been so issued, sold and delivered by said Florida State Improvement Commission, or on July 1, 1956, whichever is earlier, the provisions of this Subsection (c) of this Section 11 shall become inoperative, and said Florida State Improvement Commission shall be abolished for all purposes.”

Amendment No. 2—

In the title, after the semicolon in line 35, insert the following: “and providing further that Florida State Improvement Commission shall be continued as a public body for the purpose of the issuance, sale and delivery of bonds authorized by Florida State Improvement Commission prior to effective date of this Act.”

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 444, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 444.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 444.

Senator Shands moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 444.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 444.

And Senate Bill No. 444, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Pope—

S. B. No. 355—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Paragraph (c) of Subsection (1) of Section 125.161, Florida Statutes, relating to annual compensation of county commissioners.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 355, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Rawls—

S. B. No. 197—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Sections 256.03 and 256.04 Florida Statutes, Chapter 256, Laws of 1953; and providing that the Secretary of State will be the custodian of the official flag of the State of Florida.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 197, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 323—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Paragraphs (a) and (h) of Subsection (7) of Section 443.03, Florida Statutes 1953, known as the "Unemployment Compensation Law," relating to the definition of "employer," and making this Act effective July 1, 1955.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 323, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Johnson—

S. B. No. 232—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 443.04 (2) Florida Statutes, relating to unemployment compensation; setting forth a schedule of weekly benefits; repealing all Laws in conflict herewith and providing for an effective date of this Act.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 232, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Oil and Natural Resources—

Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 242—A bill to be entitled An Act to prohibit the intentional allowance of the escape of waste into Peace River and its tributaries; requiring any business or industry to prevent escape of said waste; authorizing certain state agencies to institute suits to enjoin violation of Act; prescribing penalties for violation of this Act and providing the effective date.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 242, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 312—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Paragraphs (a) and (b) of Subsection (3) and Paragraphs (b) and (c) of Subsection (4) of Section 443.07, Florida Statutes, relating to unemployment compensation benefit appeals, by extending the time for filing such appeals, and making this Act effective July 1, 1955.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 312, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 314—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsection (2) of Section 443.22, Florida Statutes, relating to unemployment compensation, by providing a penalty for failure to maintain payroll records, and making this Act effective July 1, 1955.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 314, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Senators Johns, Gautier (28th) and Beall—

S. B. No. 497—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 215.19, Florida Statutes, relating to the rate of wages for laborers, mechanics and apprentices employed on public works, providing that every public contract for construction or repair of any public building or prosecution and completion of any public work shall contain a provision that the rate of wages for all laborers, mechanics and apprentices employed thereon shall be not less than the prevailing rate for similar classifications in the civil division of the State where the work is located, requiring the Florida Industrial Commission to make continuing study to determine prevailing rates in various parts of the State, and to hear and determine disputes regarding the prevailing rates of wages, empowering the Industrial Commission to subpoena pertinent books, documents and records in connection with its hearings on disputes.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 497, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Senators Rood, Kickliter, Getzen, Edwards, Shands, Carraway, Black, Cabot, Gautier (28th), Morgan, Rawls, Carlton and Tapper—

S. B. No. 304—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Engineering and Industrial Experiment Station at the University of Florida to obtain, acquire, procure, establish, construct, develop and equip an atomic research project; authorizing expenditure of funds from all sources; providing appropriation; providing for patent and discovery rights; providing an effective date.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 304, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Senators Johnson and Morrow—

S. B. No. 377—A bill to be entitled An Act declaring the water policy of the State; creating and establishing a water resources study commission to conduct a study and report its findings and recommendations to the next regular Session of the Legislature; providing an appropriation; and providing an effective date.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 377, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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—(By request)—

S. B. No. 723—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 440.02, 440.04, 440.15, 440.19, 440.20, 440.25, 440.27, 440.29, 440.31, 440.36, 440.42, 440.49, 440.50, 440.51, and 440.56, of Chapter 440, Florida Statutes, 1953, known as "Workmen's Compensation Law," relating to definitions of "employment," and "employee," waiver of exemption, special disability fund, time and manner for filing claims, lump sum payment of compensation, supersedeas of awards, reporting hearings, witness fees, reports and penalties, insurance policies, rehabilitation, administration fund, assessment for expenses, and safety provisions.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 723, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 1955 Session of the Florida Legislature—

By Senator Connor—

S. B. No. 1014—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Wilma V. Stevens Anchors; authorizing county commissioners of Citrus County to pay her five hundred five dollars and sixty cents (\$505.60); providing effective date.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 1014, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 307—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Paragraph (a) of Subsection (1) of Section 443.18, Florida Statutes, relating to unemployment compensation, by limiting application of reciprocal coverage arrangements to multistate workers, and making this Act effective July 1, 1955.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 307, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

By Senator Baker—

S. B. No. 574—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (2) of Section 98.051, Section 98.091, and Section 98.361, Florida Statutes, relating to the registration of electors; the preparation of the registration list; and its use by municipalities.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 574, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Barber—

S. B. No. 401—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Highway Patrol; amending Section 321.04, Florida Statutes; providing for the employment of certain number of patrol officers exclusive of those members assigned to special departments.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 1, page 2, line 20 of that page after word "assign," strike out "a patrolman for special duty from time to time upon request of state officers for" and insert the following in lieu thereof; to cabinet officers a patrolman for special duty from time to time upon their request for their

Amendment No. 2—

In Section 1, line 16, strike out Lieutenant and insert the following in lieu thereof: Captain.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 401, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Barber moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 401.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 401.

Senator Barber moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 401.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 401.

And Senate Bill No. 401, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 King—

S. B. No. 832—A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Chapter 8943 Laws of Florida, 1921 the same being "An Act to establish, organize and constitute a municipality and municipal government to be named and designated as the Town of Eagle Lake in the County of Polk in the State of Florida; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its jurisdiction powers and privileges and for the exercise of the same; and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violations of its ordinances," and to establish, organize and constitute a new municipality and municipal government to be known as the Town of Eagle Lake in the County of Polk in the State of Florida; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its jurisdiction, powers and privileges and for the exercise of the same; and to authorize the imposition of fines for the violation of its ordinances.

Proof of publication attached.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

At the end of Section 145, strike the period and add the following: ", provided, however, that this section shall not affect, invalidate or abrogate any valid existing franchise now held by any public utility serving said territory."

Amendment No. 2—

In Section 146, line 5 after the period following the word "management", begin the next sentence as follows:

"In the event any public utility serving said territory is not subject to regulation by the Florida Railroad and Public Utility Commission or its successors, then"

Amendment No. 3—

In Section 146, lines 12 and 13 strike out the words "net capital investment" and insert the following in lieu thereof: "fair value"

Amendment No. 4—

In Section 147, line 6, following the word "the" strike out "net capital investment" and insert the following in lieu thereof: "fair value"

Amendment No. 5—

In Section 147, line 7, following the word "such" strike out "net capital investment" and insert the following in lieu thereof: "fair value"

Amendment No. 6—

In Section 148, line 5, following the period strike out "The town may also furnish service in adjacent and nearby communities which may be conveniently and economically served by the municipally owned and operated utility, subject to agreements with such communities, and subject to provisions of state law."

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 832, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator King moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Senator King moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Senator King moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Senator King moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Senator King moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Senator King moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 832.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 832.

And Senate Bill No. 832, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Morgan—

S. B. No. 1013—A bill to be entitled An Act excepting Jacksonville Businessmen's Club, a non-profit club corporation of the City of Jacksonville, Florida, from the provisions of Sub-section 6 of Section 561.20 Florida Statutes, in regard to the limitation therein imposed upon the number of club licenses that may be issued in Duval County, Florida, under the provisions of Sub-section 11 of Section 561.34, Florida Statutes, and excepting the said Jacksonville Businessmen's Club from the provisions of any other laws of the State of Florida, general, special, or local limiting the number of such licenses that may be so issued; also excepting the said Jacksonville Businessmen's Club from the provisions of Sub-section 561.34, Florida Statutes, as the same relates to the time that a club is required to be chartered and to have been in continuous, active existence and operation before becoming entitled to a license under the provisions thereof, and also excepting the said Jacksonville Businessmen's Club from the provisions of

any other law whether general, special, or local of the State of Florida, fixing a time that a club is required to have been chartered or to have been in continuous, active existence and operation before becoming entitled to a license under said Sub-section 11 of Section 561.34 Florida Statutes.

Proof of publication attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 1013, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Pope—

S. B. No. 1017—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the City Commission of the City of St. Augustine, Florida, may authorize the city auditor and clerk and her duly appointed deputies to temporarily maintain the city registration books at convenient locations within the voting wards of said city for the purpose of allowing citizens to register or re-register for city elections.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Cabot—

S. B. No. 1019—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Part V, Article I, Section 6 (b) of the Charter of City of Fort Lauderdale, a municipal corporation of Florida, being Chapter 24514, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1947 as amended, pertaining to manner of selecting members of the civil service board of said city, so as to provide for the appointment of one member of such board upon the recommendation of civil service employees of said city.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Senator Melvin—

S. B. No. 1029—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Santa Rosa County, Florida, appropriating and earmarking annually to the general fund of said county certain funds received and retained by the board of county commissioners of said county from the State of Florida under Chapters 550 and 551, Florida Statutes, 1953, and any act amendatory thereof, and providing for the expenditures of such appropriated fund.

Proof of publication attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 1017, 1019 and 1029, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Melvin—(By Request)—

S. B. No. 313—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Paragraphs (b) and (h) of Subsection (3) of Section 443.08, Florida Statutes, relating to unemployment compensation contribution rates, by reducing the benefit experience required for rate variation, by removing limitation on use of acquired rate, and making this Act effective July 1, 1955.

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

In section 1, following the words "employment record by the total of his" strike out "annual pay rolls (as defined in paragraph (g) of this subsection) for all calendar quarters except the first in which such employer is subject to this Chapter, and except the calendar quarter immediately preceding that for which the benefit ratio is computed." and insert the following in lieu thereof: "quarterly pay rolls (as defined in paragraph (g) of this subsection) for all calendar quarters beginning with the calendar quarter immediately preceding that in which his record first became chargeable with benefits, except that his pay roll for the calendar quarter immediately preceding that for which the benefit ratio is computed shall be excluded."

Amendment No. 2—

As new Section 2 insert the following, then renumber Section 2 as Section 3, and Section 3 as Section 4:

"Section 2. Paragraph (g) of Subsection (3) of Section 443.08, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

443.08 CONTRIBUTIONS.

(3) CONTRIBUTION RATES BASED ON BENEFIT EXPERIENCE.

(g) As used in subparagraph 2 of paragraph (b) of this subsection, the term "annual pay roll" means the total amount of wages for insured employment paid by an employer during the 12-month period ending on September 30 of any calendar year with respect to which contributions have been paid on or before the date on which they became due and payable; and as used in subparagraph 1 of paragraph (b) of this subsection, the term "quarterly pay roll" means the total amount of wages for insured employment paid by an employer during a calendar quarter with respect to which contributions have been paid on or before the date on which they became due and payable. The "annual pay roll" requirement of paragraph (i) of this subsection shall be deemed to have been met by the employer having at least one "quarterly pay roll" as herein defined."

Amendment No. 3—

In title; after "(b)" insert ", (g)" after "variation," insert "By defining 'Quarterly Pay Roll'."

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 313, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with House Amendments thereto.

Senator Melvin moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 313.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 313.

Senator Melvin moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 313.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 313.

Senator Melvin moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 313.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 313.

And Senate Bill No. 313, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Neblett—

S. B. No. 651—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to lobster fishing in counties having a population of not less than twenty-nine thousand (29,000) and not more than thirty-three thousand (33,000) according to the last official census; providing for the number of traps, drums, cans, and similar devices; providing for registration of the number on each trap or device.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 1022—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the boards of county commissioners of all counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 60,000 and not more than 80,000 inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census to appoint a zoning commission for each county commissioner's district in said counties or any of said districts therein, providing for the powers and duties of said zoning commissions and limiting the zoning jurisdiction of said zoning commissions to territory in said counties outside of the corporate limits of any city or town or special zoning districts having zoning commissions therein.

Also—

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 1023—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the boards of county commissioners of all counties in the State of Florida having a population of not less than 60,000 and not more than 80,000 inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census to fix the salary of the director of the county health unit in said counties whether or not said salary is paid by or through the State Treasurer and directing the State Treasurer to pay such salary out of the funds provided in the budget of said counties' health unit.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 651, 1022 and 1023, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. 848—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (6) of Section 561.20, Florida Statutes, relating to is-

suance of beverage licenses to non-profit corporations or clubs devoted to promoting community, municipal or county development or any phase of community, municipal or county development in counties having a population of more than 400,000 inhabitants according to the last official census

Which amendments read as follows:

Amendment No. 1—

In Section 1 strike out: all of Section 1 and insert the following in lieu thereof:

Section 1. That Subsection (6) of Section 561.20 of Florida Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 561.20. Limitation of number of licenses issued.—

561.20 (6) No license shall be issued under Subsection (11) of 561.34, Florida Statutes, to exceed five (5) more than the number of such licenses issued prior to May 24, 1947, and in effect in any county on said date, provided however, in all counties with a population of more than four hundred thousand inhabitants according to the last official census, no license shall be issued under Subsection (11) of Section 561.34, Florida Statutes to exceed fifteen more than the number of licenses issued prior to May 24, 1947, and in effect on said date and provided further, that any additional licenses issued under this section in such counties shall be limited to subordinate lodges or clubs of a national fraternal or benevolent associations; golf clubs municipally or privately owned; non-profit corporations or clubs devoted to promoting community, municipal or county development or any phase of community, municipal or county development; clubs fostering and promoting the general welfare and prosperity of members of showmen and amusement enterprises; clubs assisting, promoting and developing subordinate lodges or clubs of a national fraternal or benevolent associations; clubs promoting, developing and maintaining cultural relations of people of the same nationality; provided finally however that any chartered or incorporated club owning and maintaining any bona fide regular, standard golf course consisting of at least nine (9) holes, with clubhouse, locker rooms and attendant golf facilities and comprising in all at least one hundred (100) acres of land owned by such club may be issued a license under Subsection (11) of paragraph 561.34, Florida Statutes but failure of such club to maintain golf course and golf facilities shall be ground for revocation of license.

Amendment No. 2:

In Title, strike out entire title and insert in lieu thereof the following: An Act amending Subsection (6) of Section 561.20, Florida Statutes, relating to issuance of beverage licenses to non-profit corporations or clubs devoted to promoting community, municipal or county development or any phase of community, municipal or county development; promoting general welfare and prosperity of members of showmen and amusement enterprises; assisting, promoting and developing subordinate lodge or club of a national fraternal or benevolent association; promoting, developing and maintaining cultural relations of people of same nationality in counties having a population of more than 400,000 inhabitants according to the latest official census; providing for the issuance of additional licenses to chartered or incorporated clubs owning or maintaining bona fide golf courses with attendant golf facilities; providing for the suspension or revocation of such licenses for failure to maintain golf course and facilities; providing an effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 848, 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. 848.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 848.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the Senate concur in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 848.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in House Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 848.

And Senate Bill No. 848, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Senators Morrow and Johnson—

S. B. No. 378—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to salt water fisheries and conservation; repealing Section 370.05, Florida Statutes, providing for employment of engineer and assistants to conduct survey in connection with water conservation in the State; and providing for disposition of records, equipment and supplies.

Which amendment reads as follows:

At the end of the bill add the following: "Section 3. This Act shall take effect June 30th 1955."

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No 378, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House Amendment thereto.

Senator Morrow moved that the Senate concur in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 378.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 378.

And Senate Bill No. 378, 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,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Senators Fraser and Rood—

S. B. No. 305—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Plant Board; amending Sections 581.01, 581.02, 581.03 and 581.14, Florida Statutes, providing for appointment of a state plant commissioner; increasing the authority and duties of the board; redefining plants and plant products and nursery stock; adding Sections 581.081 and 581.082 to Chapter 581, Florida Statutes; requiring the procurement of certificates of inspection by nurserymen, and dealers and agents of nursery stock, and providing for the payment of a fee therefor; and providing the effective date.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 305, 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,
May 24, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Senators Rodgers, Shands, Barber, Gautier (13th) and Bronson—

S. B. No. 854—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to agricultural use of fire crackers; amending Chapter 791, Florida Statutes, by adding a new Section 791.07 thereto; authorizing the commissioner of agriculture to regulate by rules and regulations.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 854, 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,
May 24, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. 445—A bill to be entitled An Act to regulate the sale and distribution of commercial feeds in the State of Florida; providing for registration and labeling; refusal or cancellation of registration; providing also for inspection fees either by use of tags or stamps or, upon approval of the commissioner, by use of reporting system; providing against adulteration and misbranding; providing for inspection, sampling and analysis; further providing for rules and regulations, standards and definitions; providing for the detention of commercial feeds which fall short of guarantees and the condemnation and confiscation thereof; providing penalties for violations of this bill punishable as misdemeanors and also providing for penalties or damages payable to purchasers-consumers; providing for publication of information and data pertaining to analysis of commercial feeds and for other purposes; repealing Chapter 580, Florida Statutes, and providing an effective date.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 445, 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,
May 24, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Fraser—

S. B. No. 399—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Florida Highway Patrol, amending Section 321.04, Florida Statutes; making the chief of the weight division equal in pay and allowance to a captain.

Also—

By Senator Barber—

S. B. No. 402—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Highway Patrol; amending Sub-section (1) of Section 321.05, Florida Statutes; authorizing patrol officers to make arrests without warrants of certain criminal violations.

Also—

By Senator Carraway—

S. B. No. 449—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Highway Patrol; amending Section 321.02, Florida Statutes, concerning powers of board.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 399, 402 and 449, 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,
May 23, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Smith of Indian River—

H. B. No. 385—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sub-section (1) of Section 440.15 of Chapter 440, Florida Statutes, 1953, known as "Workmens Compensation Law," relating to permanent total disability, by deleting the 700 weeks' limitation.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 385, 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. 385 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

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

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 23, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

By Messrs. Bryant of Marion, Ballinger and Horne of Leon, and Chappell of Marion—

H. B. No. 69—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to higher education and the State Board of Control; amending Section 240.11, Florida Statutes, as amended by Section 1 of Chap-

ter 28219, Acts 1953, relating to the duties of the executive officer of the State Board of Control.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 69, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Education and the Committee on Judiciary "B," in the order named.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 23, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Beasley of Walton—

H. B. No. 752—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to additional corrections and repeals of obsolete Sections in Florida Statutes; amending Section 100.081, and repealing Sections 394.44, 473.28 and 525.12, Florida Statutes; and authorizing the inclusion of such changes contained herein in the Published Florida Statutes, 1955; and providing an effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 752, 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,
May 23, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Sweeny of Volusia—

H. B. No. 248—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 731.03, Florida Statutes, relating to estates of decedents; defining attesting and subscribing witnesses; providing effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 248, 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,
May 23, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. 400—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to limitations of actions on instruments encumbering real estate; amending Section 95.28, Florida Statutes, to provide that twenty (20) year period limitation apply to all obligations, including taxes paid by mortgagee; providing that mortgagee shall have no right of subrogation to lien of the State, for taxes paid by said mortgagee unless said mortgagee obtains assignment from State of the tax sales certificate; providing savings clause.

Also—

By Messrs. Livingston of Highlands and Murray of Polk—

H. B. No. 985—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 79 of the Florida Citrus Code, Chapter 25149, General Laws of Florida, 1949, (Section 601.79, Florida Statutes of 1951) authorizing the Florida Citrus Commission to issue special permits for experimental purposes and make regulations for the addition of coloring matter to not to exceed 100,000 standard packed boxes of Temple oranges annually, through July 31st, 1957, and making Sections 80, 82, 83, and 84 of said Florida Citrus Code, Chapter 25149, General Laws of Florida, 1949, (Section 601.80, 601.82, 601.83, and 601.84, Florida Statutes, 1951) applicable to Temple oranges to which coloring matter has been added

Also—

By Mr. Surles of Polk—

H. B. No. 221—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the lien of judgments, orders and decrees and providing a limitation upon the time during which such lien shall exist.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 400, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

And House Bill No. 985, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

And House Bill No. 221, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 23, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Okaloosa—

H. B. No. 1301—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 28473, Laws of Florida, 1953, relating to the naming of the playground park in Okaloosa County, Florida.

Also—

By Mr. Gleaton of Citrus—

H. B. No. 409—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to salt water fisheries and conservation; amending Paragraphs (a) and (b) of Subsection (1) and Paragraph (d) of Subsection (2) of Section 370.07, Florida Statutes; clarifying definitions of wholesale and retail seafood dealers; providing for the pay-

ment of one annual license tax by retail seafood dealers; and providing an effective date.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 311—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Port of the City of Key West; authorizing a certified pilot's apprentice to pilot any vessel within specifications fixed by the Board of Pilot Commissioners of Key West, and by a Majority of Active Pilots of Key West.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1301 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1301 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

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

And House Bill No. 409, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 409 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.

And House Bill No. 311, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Neblett moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 311 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 311 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Neblett moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 311 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. 311 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 311 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 311 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 23, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Dickinson and Roberts of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 1457—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Subsection 2 of Section 2 and amending Subsections 8 and 9 of Section 4 and Subsection 2 of Section 7, Chapter 24981, Special Laws of Florida, 1947, as amended, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the 'City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida;' to create and establish a new municipality to be known as 'City of West Palm Beach;' to fix the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe its powers, duties and functions, and to provide for the government thereof; to provide for the election and appointment of its officers, and to fix and prescribe their powers, duties and jurisdiction, and conditions and provisions concerning their removal; to provide for the payment of the debts of the municipality hereby abolished; to transfer the property of the municipality hereby abolished to the one hereby created; to retain the ordinances of the municipality hereby abolished; to repeal all special laws and parts of special laws in conflict herewith; to provide for a referendum; and for other purposes." By repealing Subsection 2 of Section 2 thereby eliminating all boroughs; by amending Subsections 8 and 9 of Section 4 to provide for the election of commissioners at large and that commissioners might reside anywhere within the city, and by amending Subsection 2 of Section 7 thereof, as amended, so that three commissioners and municipal judge shall be nominated and elected from the city at large in 1956, and biennially thereafter, and the commissioners shall be nominated and elected by filing and qualifying by groups known as Groups A, B, and C, respectively, and so that two commissioners shall be nominated and elected from the city at large in 1957, and biennially thereafter by filing and qualifying by groups to be known as Groups D and E, respectively, and that a chief of police shall be nominated and elected in 1956 and every four (4) years thereafter, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

By Mr. Livingston of Highlands—

H. B. No. 1458—A bill to be entitled An Act pertaining to plats and platting of lands in Highlands County, Florida, and defining the same; requiring the approval of county commissioners of Highlands County, Florida, and the governing body of each municipality in Highlands County, Florida, to prescribe drainage facilities, the width of roads, streets, alleys and other thoroughfares, and setbacks therefrom; making certain requirements a prerequisite to approval of plats; authorizing board of county commissioners of Highlands County, Florida, and governing body of each municipality in said county to adopt rules and regulations to effectuate provisions and purposes of said law; repealing all laws and

parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing for a referendum in connection therewith.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1457, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1457 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1457 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1457 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. 1457 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1457 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1457 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1453, 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,
May 23, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Dickinson and Roberts of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 1455—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapters 24982, 24985, 24977 and 24979, Special Laws of Florida, 1947, and amending Chapter 24981, Special Laws of Florida, 1947, entitled: "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the 'City of West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida;' to create and establish a new municipality to be known as 'City of West Palm Beach;' to fix the territorial limits thereof; to prescribe its powers, duties and functions, and to provide for the government thereof; to provide for the election and appointment of its officers, and to fix and prescribe their powers, duties and jurisdiction, and conditions and provisions concerning their removal; to provide for the payment of the debts of the municipality hereby abolished; to transfer the property of the municipality hereby abolished to the one hereby created; to retain the ordinances of the municipality hereby abolished; to repeal all special laws and parts of special laws in conflict herewith; to provide for a referendum; and for other purposes." by

amending Section 3 thereof by adding thereto three new subsections to be known as Subsections 47, 48 and 49, granting the City of West Palm Beach the power to construct, improve, maintain, operate and finance off-street parking facilities, to own, operate, lease, maintain or otherwise provide a city bus transportation system, and to grant leave to civil service employees and employees of the police force to run for certain elective offices of the city and by amending Section 22 (b) of Section 4 thereof to give the municipal judge the power to adjudicate a forfeiture to the city of monies seized and used in evidence against defendants charged with a violation of any ordinance or ordinances of the City of West Palm Beach.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Messrs. Dickinson and Roberts of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 1456—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 7081 of the Laws of Florida, 1915, to increase the number of sub-districts within the boundaries of the Port of Palm Beach District (formerly the Lake Worth Inlet District) from two sub-districts to four sub-districts; to define the boundaries of the revised sub-district from which the new sub-districts are created and to define the boundaries of the newly created sub-districts; to increase the number of commissioners of said district from three to five, and to provide for the government and administration of said district, and to define the powers and purposes of said district, and the board of commissioners thereof; to amend Section 3 of Chapter 7081, Laws of Florida, 1915, to provide for the appointment of two additional commissioners of said district; to provide for the continuation of the term of office of the present commissioners of said district and to provide for the appointment or election of commissioners to fill any vacancies occurring on the board of commissioners of said district, and further to provide for the term of office and qualifications of commissioners of said district, and the election of such commissioners at the time of general elections, and repealing all laws in conflict; and providing that this Act shall become effective only upon being ratified by a majority vote at a referendum election.

—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. 1455 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. 1455, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 1456, 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,
May 23, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Dickinson and Roberts of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 1454—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Chapter 27808, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1951, approved January 28, 1952, entitled: An Act creating and establishing the "Palm Beaches Sanitary District", comprising all of the territory within the town of Palm Beach and the City

of West Palm Beach, Florida; creating the Palm Beaches sanitary board as the governing body of said sanitary district; conferring powers upon said sanitary district and said board in relation to the collection, treatment and disposal of sewage, and prescribing the powers and duties of said board; authorizing the levy of a special tax upon all taxable property within the sanitary district to provide funds for preliminary expenses; authorizing the issuance of bonds of the sanitary district to pay the cost of a sewage disposal system or systems; providing for the imposition and collection of sewage disposal service charges for the services and facilities furnished by such sewage disposal system or systems sufficient to pay the cost of maintaining, repairing and operating such system or systems and to create reserves for such purposes; providing that each of said municipalities shall pay to the sanitary district in each year one-half of the amount required for paying the principal of and the interest on such bonds as the same become due and payable and to create reserves therefor; providing that each of said municipalities shall provide funds for making such payments by the imposition and collection of additional sewage disposal service charges within such municipality and by the levy of taxes annually upon all taxable property within such municipality sufficient to make up any deficiency in the collection of such sewage disposal service charges; granting to said sanitary district power to acquire necessary real and personal property and to exercise the right of eminent domain; giving consent of the State of Florida to the use of all State lands lying under water which are necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes of this Act; exempting from taxation all property of the sanitary district; providing for notice to the district of claims for injuries or damages to persons or property and fixing the time in which such action shall be brought; prescribing the powers and duties of said sanitary district and of each municipality in the sanitary district in connection with the foregoing and the rights and remedies of the holders of any bonds issued under the provisions of this Act; and providing for a referendum election on this Act. And further providing that all of the funds of the Palm Beaches Sanitary District be distributed to the City of West Palm Beach, Florida, and the Town of Palm Beach, Florida, on a pro rata basis.

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. 1454 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. 1454, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1454 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1454 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1454 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. 1454 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1454 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1454 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 23, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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 Okaloosa—

H. B. No. 1460—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 49 of Chapter 29092, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1953, same being the charter of Fort Walton Beach; relating to municipal court.

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 1460 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. 1460, 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. 1460 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1460 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1460 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. 1460 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1460 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1460 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 23, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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, Orr and Herrell of Dade—

H. B. No. 1493—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a species of fish known as Snook in all counties having a population of not less than Four Hundred Ninety Thousand (490,000) inhabitants according to the latest official federal census; declaring Snook to be a game fish, establishing a bag limit; establishing a size limit; providing a method of transportation; prohibiting sale; providing a penalty; and providing an effective date.

Also—

By Messrs. Moody, Johnson and Gibbons of Hillsborough—

H. B. No. 1496—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the salaries of the judges of the juvenile court in counties having a population of not less than two hundred thousand (200,000) nor more than three hundred thousand (300,000) according to the last official census and prohibiting such judges from practicing law: repealing House Bill 1185, 1955 Legislature.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1493, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

And House Bill No. 1496, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kickliter moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1496 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1496 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kickliter moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1496 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. 1496 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1496 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1496 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 23, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Smith of Indian River—

H. B. No. 1462—A bill to be entitled An Act creating a small claims court in any county in the State of Florida which has a population of not less than 11,460 persons and not more than 11,875 persons according to the last Federal Census, and exempting said counties from the provisions of Chapter 42, Florida Statutes, except where specifically set out herein; prescribing the jurisdiction of said courts; providing for the election of judges for said courts; fixing their compensations and terms of office; providing for substitution for and assistance to the judges thereof; fixing docket fees; providing for jury trial and jurors in certain cases, and for direction of verdicts; providing for levy, notice and sales under executions issuing out from said courts; providing for appeals from said courts, and for trial de novo in certain cases; eliminating attorney fees for garnishees answering in said courts; and providing for office equipment and supplies.

Also—

By Messrs. Tillett, Surlis and Murray of Polk—

H. B. No. 1463—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the position of criminal court reporter in each county of the State of Florida having a population of not less than 120,000 nor more than 155,000 by the last federal census of such county, in which county there has been already or may hereafter be a criminal court of record created by the Legislature and in which county there has not been already provided by law an official criminal court reporter; providing a method of appointment of such criminal court reporter, prescribing the term of such position, the duties thereof, and fixing the method of compensation of such position; and repealing Chapter 28519, Laws of Florida, 1953.

Also—

By Messrs. Tillett, Surlis and Murray of Polk—

H. B. No. 1464—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the levying and assessments of county taxes for the maintenance by the State Board of Health of full time local health units in counties having a population of not less than 120,000 and not more than 150,000 according to the federal census of 1950.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1462, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

And House Bill No. 1463, 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. 1463 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1463 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1463 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. 1463 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1463 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1463 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1464, 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. 1464 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1464 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1464 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. 1464 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1464 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1464 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 23, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Tillett, Surles and Murray of Polk—

H. B. No. 1465—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to jury commissions in certain counties; amending Section 40.09 and Section 40.11, Florida Statutes; repealing Chapter 22203, Acts of 1943.

Also—

By Messrs. Surles, Murray and Tillett of Polk, Livingston of Highlands and Williams of Hardee—

H. B. No. 1465—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to circuit courts, circuits, judges, etc., in the Tenth Circuit by amending Subsection (1) of Section 26.11, Florida Statutes, to provide that one circuit judge reside outside Polk County.

Also—

By Messrs. Allen and Bodiford of Bay—

H. B. No. 1483—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the county commissioners in all counties of this state having a population of not less than forty thousand (40,000) and not more than fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants according to the latest official census, to appropriate up to fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000) to use of any county supported hospital therein to cover any deficit in maintenance and operation; providing for source of funds; providing effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1465, 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. 1465 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1465 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1465 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. 1465 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1465 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1465 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1466, 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. 1466 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1466 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1466 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. 1466 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1466 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1466 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1483, 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,
May 23, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 1513—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to a species of fish known as snook in all counties having a population of not less than twenty-nine thousand (29,000) and not more than thirty-four thousand (34,000) according to the latest official federal census; declaring snook to be a game fish; establishing a bag limit; establishing a size limit; providing a method of transportation; prohibiting sale; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

Also—

By Mr. Beasley of Walton—

H. B. No. 1514—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to payment of county employees in all counties having a population of not less than fourteen thousand four hundred (14,400) or not more than fourteen thousand nine hundred (14,900); providing payment twice a month; providing effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1513, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

And House Bill No. 1514, 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,
May 23, 1955.

*The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Maness, Mahon and Westberry of Duval—

H. B. No. 1501—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing the compensation of the county solicitor and providing for the appointment and compensation of assistant county solicitors of the criminal court of record in all counties within the State of Florida having a population of not less than three hundred thousand (300,000) and not more than four hundred thousand (400,000) according to the last preceding state or Federal Census, whichever be the later.

Also—

By Messrs. Cross of Alachua, Andrews of Union, Crews of Baker, and Lancaster of Gilchrist—

H. B. No. 1507—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to

the salaries of the state attorney of each judicial circuit of the state of Florida embracing six or more counties with a combined total population of not exceeding 110,000 and with one or more counties therein having a population of 55,000 or more, according to the last preceding federal census, and in which circuit there is no criminal court of record, and providing that a part of the salary of each such state attorney be paid from the General Revenue Fund of the counties of his said circuit in the proportion that the population of each county bears to the total population of such circuit, according to the last preceding federal census; making the same a county purpose; making an annual appropriation therefor; providing the effective date hereof; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Also—

By Mr. Costin of Gulf—

H. B. No. 1512—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to small claims courts in each county having a population of more than seven thousand (7,000) and less than seven thousand six hundred (7,600) according to the last official census; amending Sections 1, 2, 4 and 7 of Chapter 26641, Acts of 1951, providing for increased jurisdictional amount; appointment and election of judge; compensation of judge; increase amount of court fees; providing effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1501, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Morgan 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 Morgan 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—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

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.

And House Bill No. 1507, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1507 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1507 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1507 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. 1507 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1507 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1507 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 1512, 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,
May 23, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Dickinson and Roberts of Palm Beach—

H. B. No. 1448—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the establishment and creation of a municipality in Palm Beach County, Florida, to be known as the town of Hypoluxo; defining its territorial boundaries; providing for its government, jurisdiction and powers; prescribing the powers, duties and authority of its officers; providing for other purposes; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of publication attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 1448 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. 1448, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1448 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1448 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1448 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. 1448 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1448 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1448 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Shands moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return Senate Bill No. 1089 to the Senate for further consideration.

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

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Usina and Weinstein of St. Johns—

H. B. No. 968—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a scholarship program for Dental Education and to require recipients of such scholarships to practice dentistry in communities designated by the State Board of Health as needing additional dentists or to forfeit and be liable to the State for certain portions of the sums granted under such scholarship; to prescribe eligibility requirements for such scholarships; to provide for the designation of communities or areas needing additional practicing dentists; providing that the failure of a scholarship recipient to carry out his obligations shall constitute a ground for revocation of his license to practice dentistry; authorizing the State Board of Health to make reasonable rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions of the Act; and providing an appropriation for the purposes of this Act.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 968, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Usina and Weinstein of St. Johns—

H. B. No. 969—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide a scholarship program for Medical Education and to require recipients of such scholarships to practice medicine in communities designated by the State Board of Health as needing additional Doctors of Medicine or to forfeit and be liable to

the State for certain portions of the sums granted under such scholarship; to prescribe eligibility requirements for such scholarships; to provide for the designation of communities or areas needing additional practicing Doctors of Medicine; providing that the failure of a scholarship recipient to carry out his obligations shall constitute a ground for revocation of his license to practice Medicine; authorizing the State Board of Health to make reasonable rules and regulations for carrying out the provisions of the Act; and providing an appropriation for the purposes of this Act.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 969, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senator Tapper, President Pro Tempore, presiding.

**SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR PURSUANT TO
SENATE RULE 66**

S. B. No. 617—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to beverage law administration; amending Subsection (4) of Section 561.01, Florida Statutes, defining the term "wine"; amending Subsections (1) and (2) of Section 561.091, Florida Statutes, providing for registration of brands and labels of spirituous liquors and fee for registration; amending Section 561.17, Florida Statutes, providing for license applications and procedure; amending Subsections (1) and (2) of Section 561.20, Florida Statutes, providing for limitation of spirituous liquor licenses according to population and special licenses for hotels and restaurants meeting certain requirements; amending Subsection (1) of Section 561.29, Florida Statutes, providing for revocation and suspension of license; adding Section 561.342, Florida Statutes, providing for twenty-four hour permit for non-profit organizations; amending Section 561.40, Florida Statutes providing no license for agents or employees of licensee except wholesale liquor salesmen; amending Subsections (2), (3) and (4) of Section 561.46, Florida Statutes, providing for excise tax on wine, fortified wine and natural sparkling wine, with reduced tax on Florida products; amending Subsection (1) of Section 561.471, Florida Statutes, providing for stamp on crown or can lid on malt beverages manufactured in continental United States possessed for sale in Florida; amending Section 561.48, Florida Statutes, providing for redemption of unused stamps; amending Section 561.54, Florida Statutes, providing for prohibition of certain deliveries of alcoholic beverages; repealing Section 561.241, Section 561.242 and Subsection (4) of Section 561.35, and Section 561.59, Florida Statutes; providing for effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 617 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 617 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Temperance offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 617:

In Section 2, line 17, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "ten dollars (\$10.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following "twenty dollars (\$20.00)"

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Temperance also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 617:

In Section 4, (typewritten bill) strike out Subsection (2) and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(2) No such limitation of the number of licenses as herein provided shall prohibit the issuance of a special license to any hotel, motel, or motor court of not less than fifty guest rooms or to any restaurant containing all necessary equip-

ment and supplies for, and serving full course meals regularly and having accommodations at all times for service of two hundred or more patrons at tables and occupying more than four thousand square feet of space; provided, however, that any licenses heretofore or hereafter issued to any such hotel, motel, motor court, or restaurant under the provisions of any law shall not be moved to a new location, such licenses being valid only on the premises of such hotel, motel, motor court, or restaurant; provided further, that licenses issued to hotels, motels, motor courts, or restaurants under the general law and held by such hotels, motels, motor courts, or restaurants on May 24, 1947, shall be counted in the quota limitation contained in Subsection (1) herein; and provided further, that licenses issued for hotels, motels, motor courts or restaurants under the provisions of this law shall be issued only to the owner of said hotel, motel, motor court or restaurant, or, in the event the hotel, motel, motor court, or restaurant is leased to the lessee of the hotel, motel, motor court, or restaurant and the license shall remain in the name of said owner or lessee so long as the license is in existence.

Any special licenses now in existence heretofore issued under the provisions of this law cannot be renewed except in the name of the owner of the hotel, motel, motor court, or restaurant, or, in the event the hotel, motel, motor court, or restaurant is leased, in the name of the lessee of the hotel, motel, motor court, or restaurant, in which the license is located and must remain in the name of said owner or lessee so long as the license is in existence. Any tax collector shall mark "special" any license issued to a hotel, motel, motor court, or restaurant under the provisions of this law, or any renewal of such license.

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Temperance also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 617:

Strike out all of Section 6.

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Temperance also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 617:

In Section 8, at the end of Section 8, add a new subparagraph numbered (5) to read as follows:

(5) As to all beverages taxed under this Section which are manufactured or bottled in Florida, there shall be a 2% discount allowed to the manufacturer or bottler on the amount of taxes assessed against wine for his losses from shrinkage, in filtering, breakage and waste in bottling, said 2% to be computed on the taxable amount assessed by the State when sold tax paid, and said 2% shall be deducted by the manufacturer or bottler on his monthly report.

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Temperance also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 617:

In Section 9, line 14 (typewritten bill) after the word "closures" insert the following: "and can lids."

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Temperance also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 617:

In Section 11, line 4 (typewritten bill) before the words "It shall be," strike out: "(1)"

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Temperance also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 617:

In Section 11, lines 13-19 both inclusive, (typewritten bill) strike out the words:

"(2) It shall be unlawful for manufacturers or distributors of spirituous liquors, licensed to do business in this State, to deliver in this State, any spirituous liquors except by common carrier or a vehicle owned by the manufacturer or distributor making the delivery. The said deliveries must be made to the licensed place of business of the purchaser and no other place."

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senators Morgan and Connor offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 617:

In Section 4, (typewritten bill) following the words: "four thousand square feet of space" insert the following: "All sales under any special license issued hereafter to any restaurant shall be limited to sales for consumption on the premises of said restaurant."

Senator Morgan moved the adoption of the amendment.

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

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 617, 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. 617, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 617, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Clarke	Houghton	Phillips
Baker	Connor	Johns	Rawls
Barber	Douglas	Johnson	Rodgers
Beall	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rood
Black	Fraser	King	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—1.

Pope

So Senate Bill No. 617 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

The President presiding.

Senate Bill No. 939 was taken up in its order and, by unanimous consent, the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senator Melvin moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which was agreed to and the Senate recessed at 12:56 o'clock P. M., until 2:30 o'clock P. M., this day, pursuant to the Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar adopted by the Senate on May 23, 1955.

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	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

—38.

A quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

By permission the following Reports of Committees were received:

Senator Barber, Chairman of the Committee on Transportation and Traffic, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 709—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to juvenile courts; jurisdiction of court; separate juvenile and domestic relations courts preserved; disposition of juvenile drivers' licenses; traffic violations of juveniles and reports; amending Section 39.02, Florida Statutes, by adding thereto an additional subsection to be numbered (8); amending Chapter 39, Florida Statutes, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered Section 39.111.

—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 Barber, Chairman of the Committee on Transportation and Traffic, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 711—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to traffic regulations on highways; adoption of sign manual by State Road Department; traffic control devices; reports of violations; speed limits and restrictions; penalties for violations; amending Section 317.13, Florida Statutes, by adding a new section; amending Sections 317.02, 317.03, 317.22 and 317.23, Florida Statutes.

—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 Public Roads and Highways, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 1030—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing ocean highway and port authority to construct a turnpike project or toll road from a point or points in Nassau County, Florida, to a point or points in the vicinity of Brunswick, Georgia, notwithstanding any provisions contained in any other law of the State of Florida, general or special; providing that such turnpike project or toll road shall be constructed and financed in the manner provided in Chapter 27763, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951, and other statutes pertaining to said ocean highway and port authority.

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

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

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

H. B. No. 899—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that parts of State Road Ninety (90) also known as U. S. 41, State Road Forty-Five (45) also known as U. S. 41, State Road Fifty-Five (55) also known as U. S. 19, State Road Twenty (20) also known as U. S. 19, State Road Twenty (20) also known as U. S. 27, and State Road Ten (10) also known as U. S. 90 shall form the parts of a highway extending from Miami, Florida, to the Alabama-Florida state line west of Pensacola, Florida, to be known as "Blue Star Memorial Highway."

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

S. B. No. 1007—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to advertising notice of publication of list of delinquent county taxes.

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

S. B. No. 862—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to admission taxes; amending Section 212.08, Florida Statutes, by adding a new Subsection (10) thereto, exempting certain sports events therefrom.

—and the Committee reports same without recommendation.

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

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

H. B. No. 398—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Section 210.21, Florida Statutes, relating to ad valorem taxation levied by municipalities imposing excise or privilege taxes on cigarettes.

—and the Committee reports same without recommendation.

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

Senator Morgan moved that Senate Bill No. 862, reported unfavorably by the Committee on Finance and Taxation on May 18, 1955, be removed from the table and recommitted to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

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

Senator Kickliter moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return Senate Bill No 695 to the Senate for further consideration.

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

Senator Kickliter moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return Senate Bill No. 734 to the Senate for further consideration.

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

Senator Melvin presiding.

Senator Kickliter asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 1084, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 1084—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and directing the Board of County Commissioners of Hillsborough County, Florida, to investigate the claim of W. G. McNichols against Hillsborough County, Florida for property damages sustained by him under the Hillsborough County Mosquito Control Program, and to pay him compensatory damages in a sum not to exceed thirty-nine hundred fifty one dollars and thirty-one cents (\$3951.31) if his claim is approved, and to provide funds for the payment of same after the said sum shall be fixed and approved.

Was taken up.

Senator Kickliter moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 1084 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 1084 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kickliter moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 1084 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. 1084 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 1084 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 1084 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

SPECIAL ORDER CALENDAR PURSUANT TO SENATE RULE 66.

S. B. No. 532—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Florida Highway Patrol amending Section 321.07, Florida Statutes, compensation of employees and officers; providing appropriation; providing an effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 532 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 532 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 532:

In Section 1, line 61 (typewritten bill) strike out the words "fifty dollars (\$50.00)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "twenty-five dollars (\$25.00)"

Senator Pope moved the adoption of the amendment.

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

The Committee on Appropriations also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 532:

In Section 1, line 52 (typewritten bill) strike out the word "continuously"

Senator Johns moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 532:

In Section 1, line 58 (typewritten bill) strike out the word "continuously"

Senator Johns moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 532:

In Section 1, line 63 (typewritten bill) strike out the word "continuously"

Senator Johns moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 532:

In Section 1, line 40 (typewritten bill) strike out the words:

"Supervisor and executive officer of the division of state motor vehicle driver's licenses, Department of Public Safety; fifty-four hundred dollars (\$5,400.00) per year for the first year; thereafter to be increased two hundred dollars (\$200.00) per year until a maximum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00)

per annum is reached. Director: nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00) per annum."

Senator Johns moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 532, 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. 532, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 532, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Baker	Clarke	Hodges	Pearce
Barber	Connor	Houghton	Phillips
Beall	Douglas	Johns	Pope
Black	Edwards	Johnson	Rawls
Bronson	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Cabot	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Shands
Carraway	Getzen	Neblett	Stenstrom

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 532 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 532 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives, after being engrossed.

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

H. B. No. 220—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Florida Council for the Blind; amending Chapter 409, Florida Statutes, by adding several sections; to regulate the solicitation of funds for the benefit of blind persons; providing certain exceptions; providing penalty for violation and fixing an effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

The Committee on Welfare offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 220:

Following Section 409.288 adding a new section to read as follows:

Provided that nothing contained herein shall interfere with the activities of the Florida Federation of the Blind, provided that organization files an annual report with the Secretary of State showing total receipts and disbursements by object.

Appropriately re-number succeeding section.

Senator Beall moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 220, 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. 220, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 220, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Baker	Clarke	Houghton	Phillips
Barber	Connor	Johns	Pope
Beall	Douglas	Johnson	Rodgers
Black	Edwards	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Fraser	Morgan	Shands
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Stratton
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 220 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Neblett asked unanimous consent of the Senate to revert to the consideration of messages from the House of Representatives.

Unanimous consent was granted.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 24, 1955.

The Honorable W. T. Davis,
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. Papy of Monroe and Webb of Washington—

H. B. No. 565—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to dog race tracks; providing for a daily license fee for such tracks under certain circumstances; setting such license fee and providing for the distribution of funds derived from such license fee.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

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

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Neblett moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 565 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 565 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Beall	Floyd	King	Rood
Black	Fraser	Melvin	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Pearce	
Clarke	Houghton	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 565 passed, title as stated, and the action

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 703:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION BY THE ADDITION THERETO OF A NEW SECTION TO BE NUMBERED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE, AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT, SUBJECT TO REFERENDUM; PROVIDING METHOD OF REINSTATEMENT OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

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

That article XII of the state constitution be amended by the addition of a new section to be numbered by the secretary of state, as follows, is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the state for ratification or rejection at the general election in November of 1956:

Section —. (1) From and after January 1, 1957, the county superintendent of public instruction shall be appointed by the county board of public instruction in all counties wherein the proposition is affirmed by a majority vote of the qualified electors of any such county.

(2) To submit the proposition contained in subsection (1) above to the electors a special election shall be called by the county commissioners of any county upon the request of the county board of public instruction therein, which election shall be held within sixty (60) days after request and the result thereof shall determine whether subsection (1) shall be effective in such county.

(3) Any county adopting the provisions of subsection (1) hereof may after four (4) years return to its former status and reject the provisions of this section by the same procedure outlined in subsection (2) hereof for adopting the provisions thereof in the beginning.

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

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703:

By the Committee on Constitutional Amendments—

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION BY THE ADDITION THERETO OF A NEW SECTION TO BE NUMBERED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE, AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT IN DADE AND PINELLAS COUNTIES; SUBJECT TO REFERENDUM; PROVIDING METHOD OF REINSTATEMENT OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

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

That article XII of the state constitution be amended by the addition of a new section to be numbered by the secretary of state, as follows, is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the state for ratification or rejection at the General Election in November of 1956:

Section —. (1) From and after January 1, 1957, the county superintendent of public instruction shall be appointed by the County board of public instruction in the counties of Dade and Pinellas wherein the proposition is affirmed by a majority vote of the qualified electors of any such county.

(2) To submit the proposition contained in subsection (1) above to the electors a special election shall be called by the county commissioners of such county upon the request of the county board of public instruction therein, which election shall be held within sixty (60) days after request and the result thereof shall determine whether subsection (1) shall be effective in such county.

(3) Any county adopting the provisions of subsection (1) hereof may after four (4) years return to its former status and reject the provisions of this section by the same pro-

cedure outlined in subsection (2) hereof for adopting the provisions thereof in the beginning.

Was read the first time in full.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be waived and the Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703 be read the second time in full.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703 was read the second time in full.

Senator Houghton moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703.

Which was agreed to and the Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703 was adopted.

Senator Houghton offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703:

In Sub-section 1, line 4, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "Dade and Pinellas" and insert in lieu thereof the following: Franklin, Sarasota, Dade and Pinellas

Senator Houghton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gautier (13th) offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703:

In Sub-section (1), line 6, (typewritten bill) strike out the period at the end of line 6 and add the following: ", or by a special act of the legislature making the office of County Superintendent of public instruction appointive."

Senator Gautier (13th) moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gautier (13th) also offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703:

In Sub-section (3), line 6, (typewritten bill) strike out the period at the end of line 6 and add the following: ", or by a special act of the legislature."

Senator Gautier (13th) moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Houghton offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703:

In Title, (typewritten bill) strike out the entire Title and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE XII OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION BY THE ADDITION THERETO OF A NEW SECTION TO BE NUMBERED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE, AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT IN FRANKLIN, SARASOTA, DADE AND PINELLAS COUNTIES; SUBJECT TO REFERENDUM OR SPECIAL ACT OF THE LEGISLATURE; PROVIDING METHOD OF REINSTATEMENT OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT."

Senator Houghton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Houghton moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703, as amended, was read the third time in full as follows:

Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMEND-

MENT TO ARTICLE XII OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION BY THE ADDITION THERETO OF A NEW SECTION TO BE NUMBERED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE, AUTHORIZING APPOINTMENT OF THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT IN FRANKLIN, SARASOTA, DADE AND PINELLAS COUNTIES; SUBJECT TO REFERENDUM OR SPECIAL ACT OF THE LEGISLATURE; PROVIDING METHOD OF REINSTATEMENT OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

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

That article XII of the state constitution be amended by the addition of a new section to be numbered by the secretary of state, as follows, is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the state for ratification or rejection at the general election in November of 1956:

Section ____ (1) From and after January 1, 1957, the county superintendent of public instruction shall be appointed by the County board of public instruction in the counties of Franklin, Sarasota, Dade and Pinellas wherein the proposition is affirmed by a majority vote of the qualified electors of any such county, or by a special act of the legislature making the office of County Superintendent of public instruction appointive.

(2) To submit the proposition contained in subsection (1) above to the electors a special election shall be called by the county commissioners of such county upon the request of the county board of public instruction therein, which election shall be held within sixty (60) days after request and the result thereof shall determine whether subsection (1) shall be effective in such county.

(3) Any county adopting the provisions of subsection (1) hereof may after four (4) years return to its former status and reject the provisions of this section by the same procedure outlined in subsection (2) hereof for adopting the provisions thereof in the beginning, or by a special act of the legislature.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Clarke	Johnson	Rawls
Baker	Edwards	King	Rodgers
Barber	Floyd	Melvin	Rood
Beall	Fraser	Morrow	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Neblett	Stenstrom
Cabot	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	Stratton
Carlton	Houghton	Phillips	Tapper
Carraway	Johns	Pope	

Nays—5.

Connor	Getzen	Kicklitter
Douglas	Hodges	

So Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 703 passed, as amended, by the required Constitutional three-fifths vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1955 Session of the Florida Legislature, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senators Cabot and Floyd were excused from further attendance upon the Session.

Senator Rodgers asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up the consideration of Senate Bill No. 939, now on the Special Order Calendar, the consideration of which was informally passed this day.

Unanimous consent was granted.

S. B. No. 939—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 475.01, 475.13, 475.14, 475.23 and 475.25 of Florida Statutes, relating to the real estate business and the Florida Real Estate Commission; defining and extending the meaning of the words "real estate" and "real property" as used in Chapter 475, Florida Statutes; relating to fees for registration and annual renewals thereof as real estate broker and salesman and providing for a fee to be charged

for the issuance of a new certificate upon a change of address by a broker, or change of employer by a salesman; relating to the issuance of non-active certificates to registered real estate brokers; and providing an additional ground of revocation or suspension of registration, and authorizing the Florida Real Estate Commission to prescribe rules and regulations in connection therewith; and providing effective dates.

Was taken up.

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 939 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 939 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Tapper offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 939:

In Section 1 (typewritten bill) at the end of the section add the following: "Nothing contained in Sub-section (2) shall preclude a builder of homes from selling the same and thereafter acting as agent for the rental of said property for the owner thereof."

Senator Tapper moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending consideration of the foregoing amendment offered by Senator Tapper to Senate Bill No. 939, Senator Gautier (13th) offered the following substitute amendment for the amendment offered by Senator Tapper:

In Section 1 (typewritten bill) add: "Nothing contained herein shall preclude any person from appointing an agent by written power of attorney to rent or sell any real property without qualifying under this Act."

Senator Gautier (13th) moved the adoption of the substitute amendment for the amendment offered by Senator Tapper.

The question was put on the adoption of the substitute amendment.

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

The question recurred on the adoption of the foregoing amendment offered by Senator Tapper to Senate Bill No. 939.

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

Senator Rodgers moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 939 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. 939 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 939 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—25.

Mr. President	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Baker	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Shands
Black	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stenstrom
Bronson	Getzen	Neblett	Stratton
Carlton	Houghton	Pearce	
Carraway	Johns	Phillips	
Douglas	Johnson	Pope	

Nays—10.

Barber	Connor	Melvin	Tapper
Beall	Fraser	Rawls	
Clarke	Hodges	Rood	

So Senate Bill No. 939 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 President presiding.

S. B. No. 496—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to mental health; providing for the creation of a council on mental

health in Florida to advise and consult with the State Board of Health in carrying out a program of training and research in mental health; providing for powers and duties of the council; providing for an appropriation, and an effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 496 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 496 was read the second time by title only.

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No 496:

By the Committee on Appropriations—

Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 496—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to mental health; providing for the creation of a council on mental health in Florida to advise and consult with the State Board of Health in carrying out a program of training and research in mental health; creating scholarships and providing for administration; providing for powers and duties of the council; providing for an appropriation, and an effective date.

Was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 496 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 496 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 496.

Which was agreed to and the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 496 was adopted.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 496 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 496 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 496 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	King	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	Melvin	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carlton	Getzen	Neblett	Stratton
Carraway	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper
Connor	Johns	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 496 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. 789—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to academic credits including grades and quality points earned by students at the University of Florida and Florida State University and providing for their acceptance at full value by both universities.

Was taken up in its order.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

The Committee on Education offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 789:

After Section 1, (typewritten bill) insert the following:

“Section 2. Provided further, that any student of the university of Florida who shall attend summer school at Florida state university and any student of Florida state university who shall attend summer school at the university of Florida shall not be considered a transfer student at either university, either upon entering into summer school or return to the school previously attended, and any academic credits, including grades and quality points earned during such summer session, shall be accepted as if earned in the university which the student attended during the fall semester or spring semester, or both, of the school year immediately next preceding such summer session.”

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Education also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 789:

After Section 1, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: “Section 2.” and insert in lieu thereof the following: “Section 3.”

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Education also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 789:

In Title, (typewritten bill) following the words: “by both universities” insert the following: “further providing students of one (1) university who attend summer sessions at other university not to be treated as transfer students.”

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

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

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

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Connor	Johnson	Pope
Baker	Douglas	Kicklitter	Rawls
Barber	Edwards	King	Rodgers
Beall	Fraser	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Houghton	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Johns	Phillips	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 789 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Tapper moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 789 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives, after being engrossed.

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

S. B. No. 623—A bill to be entitled An Act consolidating and revising Chapter 121 Florida Statutes, the State Officers and Employees Compulsory Retirement System, and Chapter 134 Florida Statutes, the County Officers and Employees Compulsory Retirement System.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 623 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 623 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 2, Sub-section 4, line 2 (typewritten bill) following the words: "military service" insert the following: between 1939 and 1946.

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 2, Sub-section 4, (typewritten bill) following the words: "of state or county service" insert the following: Credit for any other military service on leave of absence shall not exceed four years.

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 3, at the end thereof, add the following Sub-sections:

Sub-section (2) Any officer or employee who held office or was employed by the State of Florida or a County of the State of Florida on July 1, 1945 or October 1, 1950 and has been holding office or has been continuously employed from April 1, 1955:

(a) May receive credit for prior service rendered subsequent to 1945:

(b) Credit for service rendered prior to July 1, 1945 shall be continuous except that one period of absence not more than five years shall be allowed, and in computing such prior service credit, the period of absence shall not be creditable service.

(c) Provided any person receiving prior service credit under (a) or (b) pays into the retirement fund the amount he would have paid had he been a member since July 1, 1945, plus three (3) per cent interest per annum provided further that no officer or employee shall make contributions under this section for less than ten years or for his total service being claimed, whichever is less.

(3) Any officer or employee claiming prior service under Sub-section (2) of this Act shall make the required payment to the retirement fund within two years of January 1, 1956.

(4) Any officer or employee who formerly rejected the provisions of the retirement law may elect to become a member of the retirement system at any time. Any person becoming a member under this sub-section shall not receive any prior service credit.

(5) Any state or county officer or employee who prior to becoming a state or county officer or employee was a member of the Department of Public Safety Pension Fund, and who is not receiving retirement benefits under said fund, shall be a compulsory member of the State and County Officers and Employees Retirement System, and if any such state or county officer or employee has not received a refund from the Department of Public Safety Pension Fund, the amount he has paid into said fund, plus the amount the state has paid into said fund to match the employee's payment, shall be transferred from the Department of Public Safety Pension Fund to the State and County Officers and Employees Retirement Fund, or if such person has received a refund from the Department of Public Safety Pension Fund, then any such state or county officer or employee shall, within twenty-four months from the time such person becomes a state or county officer or employee, or within twenty-four months from the time this Act becomes a law, whichever is the later date, pay into the state and county officers and employees retirement fund five per cent of the salary he has received from the Department of Public Safety, beginning with July 1, 1945, plus three per cent per annum interest thereon. There-

upon the total time spent with the Department of Public Safety since its creation in Chapter 19551, Laws of Florida, 1939, shall be added to and computed with such person's services as a state or county officer or employee. No state or county officer or employee who is receiving benefits under the Department of Public Safety Pension Fund shall be eligible to become a member of the state and county officers and employees retirement fund.

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 4, line 15 (typewritten bill), following the words "State of Florida" insert the following: Provided further that any person who is employed after the effective date of this act by a county having a retirement system shall be a compulsory member of this act unless he becomes a member of their local retirement system.

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 5 (typewritten bill), add Subsection 3.

Subsection (3) Any member of the Legislature on the effective date of this Act may claim credit for all prior service as such member by paying into the State and County Officers and Employees Retirement Fund the required amount as computed by the Comptroller, plus three (3) per cent interest per annum and upon making such payment shall be entitled to receive credit for his full terms as such legislator. Provided further that any member of the Legislature who previously had vested rights under the retirement law would not have his benefits accumulated at the time he takes office as such legislator reduced by virtue of such service as a legislator.

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Connor offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 9, Subsection 1, line 10 (typewritten bill), strike out the word "such" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "each"

Senator Connor 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 Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 9, Sub-section 4, (typewritten bill) add the following:

"Any State or County officer or employee who becomes eligible for retirement benefits may, at the time he becomes eligible, select the option under which he will retire at a later date. Should the member retire or die before retirement or should the spouse die before the member retires, the option selected by the member shall be binding on both the member and the retirement system."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending consideration of the foregoing amendment offered by the Committee on Pensions and Claims to Senate Bill No. 623, the Committee on Judiciary "A" offered the following substitute amendment for the amendment offered by the Committee on Pensions and Claims:

In Section 9, Sub-section (4), (typewritten bill) add the following:

"Any State or County officer or employee who becomes eligible for retirement may select one of the options provided in this Sub-section and continue to hold office or be employed. Should such officer or employee die before retiring, his surviving spouse shall be entitled to receive either the

accumulated contributions of such officer or employee at the date of death or the reduced retirement compensation to which the surviving spouse would have been entitled to under such option, calculated on the assumption that such officer or employee retired on his date of death. Any officer or employee shall have the right at any time prior to actually retiring to change the option selected. The selection of an option under this Sub-section will not become effective until six (6) months after date of selection. Provided further that should the option be changed at the time of retirement, such option shall be effective immediately upon retirement."

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the substitute amendment offered by the Committee on Judiciary "A" for the amendment offered by the Committee on Pensions and Claims.

The question was put on the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Which was agreed to and the substitute amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Judiciary "A" also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 9, (typewritten bill) add the following after Sub-section (6) insert Sub-section (7) and renumber other Sub-sections:

"(7) On and after January 1, 1955 any member of this retirement system who is adjudged insane and who dies prior to a guardian being appointed and who at the time of his death is eligible for retirement shall be conclusively presumed to have retired and elected to take a reduced retirement benefit which would provide one half of the said reduced benefit for the surviving spouse."

Senator Connor 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 Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 15, line 7, (typewritten bill) following the words: "The Constitution of the State of Florida" insert the following: "County Bonds containing a pledge of the full faith and credit of the county or district involved, provided that such bonds are approved by the State Board of Administration as to legal and fiscal sufficiency. Bonds of the Florida State Improvement Commission, or any other State agency, which have been approved as to legal and fiscal sufficiency by the State Board of Administration and which contain a sole pledge of the 80% surplus two cents second gasoline tax accruing under the provisions of Section 16 of Article IX of the State Constitution."

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Pending consideration of the foregoing amendment offered by the Committee on Pensions and Claims to Senate Bill No. 623, the Committee on Judiciary "A" offered the following substitute amendment for the amendment offered by the Committee on Pensions and Claims:

In Section 15, line 7, (typewritten bill) following the words: "the Constitution of the State of Florida" insert the following: "County Bonds containing a pledge of the full faith and credit of the county or district involved, provided that such bonds are approved by the State Board of Administration as to legal and fiscal sufficiency. Bonds of the Florida State Improvement Commission, or any other State agency, which have been approved as to legal and fiscal sufficiency by the State Board of Administration and which contain a sole pledge of the 80% surplus two cents second gasoline tax accruing under the provisions of Section 16 of Article IX of the State Constitution, or in such other securities in which domestic life insurance companies are permitted to invest by Florida Law.

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the substitute amendment offered by the Committee on Judiciary "A" for the amendment offered by the Committee on Pensions and Claims.

The question was put on the adoption of the substitute amendment.

Which was agreed to and the substitute amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 17 (typewritten bill) at the end of Subsection (c) add the following Subsection (d).

(d) Any officer or employee eligible to receive benefits under this act and Workmens Compensation benefits under Chapter 490 Florida Statutes may receive both so long as the total of retirement and Workmens Compensation benefits does not exceed the average final compensation as defined in Section 2 of this Act. If such total exceeds the average final compensation, the retirement benefits shall be reduced by the amount of such excess.

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Connor offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 17, Subsection (1) paragraph (c), line 7, strike out the word "servants" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "services"

Senator Connor moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Connor also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 623:

In Section 17 (typewritten bill) add the following subsection:

(e) The term "political subdivision" as used in this section shall not apply to municipalities.

Senator Connor 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 Senate Bill No. 623:

In (typewritten bill) after Section 24 insert the following, and renumber all sections thereafter:

Section 25. The rights of members of the retirement system established by Chapters 121 and 134, Florida Statutes, shall not be impaired, nor shall their benefits be reduced by virtue of any part 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 Senate Bill No. 623, 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. 623, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 623, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Baker	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rawls
Barber	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Beall	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Black	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper
Connor	Johns	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 623 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and Senate

Bill No. 623 be immediately certified to the House of Representatives, after being engrossed.

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

S. B. No. 852—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsections (8) and (9) of Section 576.01, Section 576.01, Subsection (1) of Section 576.02, Subsection (7) of Section 576.03, Subsection (2) of Section 576.07, Subsection (1) of Section 576.08, Section 576.082, the title to Section 576.084, Subsections (4) and (5) of Section 576.084, Subsection (3) of Section 576.09, and Section 576.10, Florida Statutes, relating to the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizer.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 852 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 852 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 852 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. 852 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 852 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Fraser	Melvin	Rodgers
Barber	Gautier (28th)	Morgan	Rood
Beall	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Shands
Black	Getzen	Neblett	Stenstrom
Carlton	Houghton	Pearce	Stratton
Carraway	Johnson	Phillips	Tapper
Clarke	Kicklitter	Pope	
Douglas	King	Rawls	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 852 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senate Bill No. 605 was taken up in its order and, by unanimous consent, the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senator Rood moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of Executive Business.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate went into Executive Session at 3:59 o'clock P. M.

The Senate emerged from Executive Session at 4:25 o'clock P. M., and resumed its Session.

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

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Phillips
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper

—36.

A quorum present.

The Senate resumed consideration of Bills on the Special Order Calendar pursuant to Senate Rule 66.

S. B. No. 685—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that female employees shall be compensated at an equal rate with male employees working the same establishment at the same classification of work; allowing for variation in compensation under certain circumstances; providing a limitation for actions arising under the Act; placing the burden of proof

of violation upon the claimant; providing that this Act shall not apply to employees in domestic or agricultural service; providing a penalty therefor; and providing an effective date clause.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Tapper moved that Senate Bill No. 685 be referred to an appropriate committee for further study.

Which was agreed to and Senate Bill No. 685 was referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

S. B. No. 937—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to right to apply for tax deed and action for the recovery and enforcement of tax sale certificates sold and assigned under Murphy Act to private holders; providing limitation of actions; prescribing for cancellation of tax sale certificate; prescribing duties and fees of clerks of circuit court of the several counties in relation thereto; excepting tax sale certificates by virtue of which title vested in the State and providing an effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 937 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 937 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 937 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. 937 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 937 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Phillips
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 937 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. 845—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to registration and sale of securities; amending Subsection (6) of Section 517.05, Subsection (4) of Section 517.06, Subsection (2) Paragraph (g) of Section 517.08, Subsection (3) Paragraphs (d) and (f) and Subsection (6) of Section 517.09, Section 517.13, adding Subsection (9) to Section 517.16, Florida Statutes; making certain corrections and revisions.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Stratton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 845 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 845 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Stratton offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 845:

At the end of Section 4 (typewritten bill), strike the period and insert in lieu thereof the following: "or more than one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars."

Senator Stratton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Stratton moved that the rules be further waived

and Senate Bill No. 845, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

(2)

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 845, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 845, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Phillips
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 845 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk for engrossing.

S. B. No. 630.—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to corporations; amending Section 608.03, Subsection (2) Paragraph (i), Section 608.03, Subsection (2) Paragraph (j), Section 608.05, Subsection (5) Paragraph (a), Section 608.13, Subsection (8) Paragraph (a), Section 608.13, Subsection (11) Paragraph (a), Section 608.28, Section 608.30, Subsection (2), Section 608.30, Subsection (3) Paragraph (c), Section 608.39, Subsection (1), Section 608.40, Section 608.42, Section 608.50, Section 608.67, Florida Statutes, and renumbering Section 608.13, Subsection (12), Florida Statutes, as Subsection (13) and inserting a new Subsection (12) thereto; providing changes in the provisions of the corporation law clarifying and clearly defining it; setting effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 630 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 630 was read the second time by title only.

By unanimous consent Senator Houghton, Chairman of the Committee on Corporations, withdrew the amendments to Senate Bill No. 630 previously reported out by the Committee on Corporations.

Senator King offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 630:

In (typewritten bill) strike out everything after the enacting clause and insert in lieu thereof the following: Section 1. Section 608.03, Subsection (2), Paragraph (f), Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.03 **Formation of corporations; articles of incorporation, contents, filing.**—

(2)

(f) The post office address of the principal office of the proposed corporation in this state.

Section 2. Section 608.03, Subsection (2), Paragraph (i), Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.03 **Formation of corporations; articles of incorporation, contents, filing.**—

(2)

(i) The name and post office address of each subscriber of the articles of incorporation and a statement of the number of shares of stock, and the value of the consideration therefor, which he agrees to take. The sum of the values of the consideration for subscribers' stock shall not be less than the amount of capital with which the corporation will begin business.

Section 3. Section 608.03, Subsection (2), Paragraph (j), Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.03 **Formation of corporation; articles of incorporation, contents, filing.**—

(j) Any provision which the incorporators may choose to insert for the regulation of the business and for the conduct of the affairs of the corporation and any provision creating, dividing, limiting and regulating the powers of the corporation, the directors and the stockholders or any class of the stockholders, including, but not limited to, provision for cumulative voting for directors, a list of officers, and provisions governing the issuance of stock certificates to replace lost or destroyed certificates.

Section 4. Section 608.05, Subsection (5), Paragraph (a), Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.05 **Filing fees and taxes.**—

(5)

(a) The amount of fees and filing taxes to be collected by the secretary of state before he shall approve any amendment or merger or consolidation agreement increasing authorized capital stock shall be equal to the fees and filing taxes required for an original certificate of incorporation authorizing the total capital stock to be outstanding after the amendment or consolidation or merger agreement, except that all filing taxes paid with respect to shares authorized prior to such amendment or agreement, and which are actually included in authorized capital existing at the time of increase, shall be deducted.

Section 5. Section 608.13, Subsection (8), Paragraph (a), Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.13 **Corporate powers.**—

(8)

(a) Conduct business, have one (1) or more offices in, and buy, hold, mortgage, sell, convey, lease, or otherwise dispose of real and personal property, and buy, hold, mortgage, sell, convey, or otherwise dispose of franchises in this State and in any of the several states, territories, possessions and dependencies of the United States, the District of Columbia, and in foreign countries.

Section 6. Section 608.13, Subsection (11), Paragraph (a), Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.13 **Corporate powers.**—

(11)

(a) Contract debts and borrow money at such rates of interest not to exceed the lawful interest rate and upon such terms as it or its board of directors may deem necessary or expedient and shall authorize or agree upon, issue and sell or pledge bonds, debentures, notes and other evidences of indebtedness, whether secured or unsecured, and execute such mortgages, or other instruments upon or encumbering its property or credit to secure the payment of money borrowed or owing by it, as occasion may require and the board of directors deem expedient.

Section 7. Section 608.13, Florida Statutes, is further amended by renumbering present Section 608.13, Subsection (12) as Section 608.13, Sub-section (13) and inserting a new Section 608.13, Subsection (12) to read: 608.13 **Corporate powers.**— (12) Make gifts for educational, scientific or charitable purposes.

Section 8. Section 608.18, Subsection (4), Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.18 **Amendments; reduction of capital; distribution.**—

(4) Without in any way limiting the authorization contained in the first sentence of Subsection (1) of this section, the amendment may increase or reduce by any amount the authorized number of shares of any kind, class or series of stock, change the par value of shares of any class having par value, or change shares of a class having par value into the same or a different number of shares without par value, or change shares of a class without par value into the same or a different number of shares having par value, authorize the change of any kind, class or series into any other kind, class, or series, or authorize the issue of any kind, class or series of stock not previously authorized.

Section 9. Section 608.28, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.28 **Dissolution where opposing ownership interests are evenly divided.**—When the total stock voting power is

evenly divided into two independent ownerships or interests, and the number of directors is even and equally divided respecting the management of the corporation with one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the ownership favoring the course advocated by one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the directors, and the other half of the ownership favoring the course of the other half, or where the ownership is equally divided and the number of directors is uneven, but the two halves of the ownership are unable to agree on or elect successor directors and the old directors are holding over, the circuit court, sitting in chancery, may entertain a petition from any stockholder for involuntary dissolution of the corporation. If, after hearing thereon, the court finds that the division of ownership is equal and cannot be reconciled, he may appoint a receiver or trustee of the corporation, and enter an order that it be dissolved. The order shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, who shall treat it as a resolution and certificate of dissolution as provided by Section 608.27. The fees and costs provided by Section 608.27, shall be paid by the receiver or trustee from corporate funds. Liquidation shall be by the procedure provided in Section 608.29.

Section 10. Section 608.30, Subsection (2), Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.30 **Dissolution; continuation after; trustees.—**

(2)

(a) The directors of the corporation at the time of dissolution or expiration shall be and constitute a board of trustees for the property owned by the dissolved or expired corporation. In the event of vacancies in the board of directors at the time of dissolution or expiration the remaining directors, as trustees, may fill them from among the stockholders. Subsequent vacancies may be filled by the surviving trustees in like manner. Acts of a majority of the trustees or of a majority of the surviving trustees shall be acts of the board of trustees.

(b) In the event there be no surviving trustees, or none such can be located, and the need arises, the circuit court, sitting in chancery, upon petition of any person having any claim against the corporation or any right, title, interest, claim, lien or demand in, to or upon real property in which the corporation holds of record any right, title, interest, claim, lien or demand in, to or upon, may, after finding as a fact that there are no surviving trustees or that none such can be located, appoint one (1) or more trustees, who shall have power to do all things that trustees holding office under paragraph (a) hereof could do.

Section 11. Section 608.30, Subsection (3), paragraph (c) is amended to read: 608.30 **Dissolution; continuation after; trustees.—**

(3)

(c) The trustees may do all acts necessary and proper to the final settlement of all the affairs of the corporation, including but not limited to the following: They may convey, assign, release, subordinate and satisfy any right, title, interest, claim, lien or demand in, to or upon real property standing of record in this State in the name of such dissolved corporation. It shall not be necessary for any stockholder to execute such deed, but execution thereof by a majority of the trustees or a majority of the surviving trustees shall be adequate. All deeds or other instruments so executed in the past are hereby validated in all respects. The trustees so executing any such instrument may append thereto an affidavit stating in substance that they are duly qualified to act as such trustees, and that they constitute a majority of the trustees then existing. Such affidavit, as to purchasers without notice, shall be taken and held to be conclusive as to the facts therein stated.

Section 12. Section 608.38, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

608.38. **Office and resident agent.—**Every corporation shall maintain an office in this State with a resident agent thereat upon whom process may be served. The resident agent may be either an individual or a corporation. The corporation shall keep the Secretary of State informed of the current city, town or village and street address of said office together with the name of the resident agent.

Section 13. Section 608.39, Subsection (1), Florida Statutes,

is amended to read: 608.39 **Books to be kept; inspected; penalties.—**

(1) Every corporation shall keep at its office in this State, or in the office of its transfer agent wherever located, a book (or books where more than one (1) kind, class or series of stock is outstanding) to be known as the stock book, containing the names, alphabetically arranged, with the address of every stockholder, showing the number of shares of each kind, class or series of stock held or record by him, and where the stock book is kept in the office of the transfer agent, the corporation shall keep at its office in this State copies of the stock lists prepared from said stock book and sent to it from time to time by said transfer agent. The stock book or stock lists shall show the current status, provided, if the transfer agent of the corporation be located elsewhere, a reasonable time shall be allowed for transit of mail. The stock book or stock lists shall be open for at least three (3) business hours each business day for inspection by any judgment creditor of the corporation or any person who shall have been for at least six (6) months immediately preceding his demand a record holder of not less than one per cent (1%) of the outstanding shares of such corporation, or by any officer, director, or any committee or person holding or authorized in writing by the holders of at least five per cent (5%) of all its outstanding shares. Persons so entitled to inspect stock books or stock lists may make extracts therefrom.

Section 14. Section 608.40, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 608.40 **Officers; selection, terms, etc.—**Every corporation shall have a president, who shall be a director, a secretary and a treasurer. They shall be chosen by the directors and shall serve until their successors are chosen and qualify. All other officers, agents and factors shall be chosen, serve for such terms and have such duties as may be prescribed by the certificates of incorporation or the by-laws or determined by the board of directors. Any person may hold two (2) or more offices, except that the president may not also be the secretary or assistant secretary. No person holding two (2) or more offices shall sign any instrument in the capacity of more than one (1) office.

Section 15. Section 608.42, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

608.42. **Stock personal property; transfer; preemptive right.—**

(1) The stock of every corporation shall be personal property and shall be transferable on the books of the corporation in the manner and under such regulations as may be provided in the by-laws. Transfers of certificates of stock may be made between the parties as provided in and by Chapter 614, Florida Statutes. No transfer of stock shall be valid against the corporation, its stockholders (other than the transferor) and its creditors for any purpose except to render the transferee liable for debts of the corporation to the extent provided in this chapter, until it shall have been registered upon the corporation's books.

(2) Unless otherwise provided by the certificate of incorporation, every stockholder, upon the sale for cash of any new stock of the same kind, class or series as that which he already holds, shall have the right to purchase his pro rata share thereof (as nearly as may be done without issuance of fractional shares) at the price at which it is offered to others, which price, in the case of par value shares, may be in excess of par.

Section 16. Section 608.50, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

608.50 **Estoppel; ultra vires.—**No body of persons acting as a corporation shall be permitted to set up the want of legal organization as a defense to an action against them as a corporation, nor shall any person sued on a contract made with the corporation or sued for an injury to its property or a wrong done to its interests, be permitted to set up a want of such legal organization in his defense. The defense of ultra vires shall not be available to a corporation sued on a contract or other obligation.

Section 17. Section 608.67, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

608.67 **Penalties.—**Violation of any provision of Sections

608.61-608.66 is a misdemeanor and punishable by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) and imprisonment in the county jail for not more than six (6) months or both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 18. This Act shall take effect August 1, 1955.

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator King also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 630:

In, (typewritten bill) strike out the title and insert in lieu thereof the following: "A bill to be entitled An Act relating to corporations; amending Section 608.03, Subsection (2) Paragraph (f), Section 608.03, Subsection (2) Paragraph (i), Section 608.03, Subsection (2) Paragraph (j), Section 608.05, Subsection (5) Paragraph (a), Section 608.13, Subsection (8), Paragraph (a), Section 608.13, Subsection (11) Paragraph (a), Section 608.18, Subsection (4), Section 608.28, Section 608.30, Subsection (2), Section 608.30, Subsection (3) Paragraph (c), Section 608.38, Section 608.39, Subsection (1), Section 608.40, Section 608.42, Section 608.50, Section 608.67, Florida Statutes, and renumbering Section 608.13, Subsection (12), Florida Statutes, as Subsection (13) and inserting a new Subsection (12) thereto; providing changes in the provisions of the corporation law clarifying and clearly defining it; setting effective date."

Senator King moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 630, 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. 630, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 630, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Phillips
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 630 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

S. B. No. 678—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the duties of the hotel and restaurant commissioner, to hotels, apartment houses, motor courts, rooming houses, and restaurants; providing for the establishment of a staggered system of annual license renewals; providing for the amount of license fees to be paid by such establishments; providing penalties for failure to renew licenses on renewal dates; particularly amending Section 511.03, 511.06, 511.07, 511.08, and repealing, as obsolete, Section 511.091, Florida Statutes.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 678 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 678 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 678 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. 678 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 678 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Phillips
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	Kicklitter	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 678 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 679—A bill to be entitled An Act amending and repealing certain sections of Chapters 509, 510, and 511, Florida Statutes, 1953, relating to the hotel and restaurant commission, hotels, motor courts, apartment houses, and rooming houses, providing for the duties of the advisory council; defining and requiring the licensing of public lodging establishments and public food service establishments; requiring counties and municipalities to withhold occupational licenses requested by new applicants therefor until, if required to do so, they have been licensed by the hotel and restaurant commission; requiring locks on certain doors of rooms in public lodging establishments; requiring semi-annual inspections by the hotel and restaurant commissioner; providing penalties for violations of laws, rules, or regulations; particularly amending Sections 509.052, 510.05, 511.01, 509.03, 511.02, 511.04, 511.11, 511.12, Florida Statutes, 1953, and repealing Sections 510.01, 511.31, and 511.41, Florida Statutes, 1953, as being unnecessary or obsolete.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 679 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 679 was read the second time by title only.

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679:

By the Committee on Finance and Taxation—

Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 679—A bill to be entitled An Act amending and repealing certain sections of Chapters 509, 510, and 511, Florida Statutes, 1953, relating to the Hotel and Restaurant Commission, hotels, motor courts, apartment houses, and rooming houses, providing for the duties of the advisory council; defining and requiring the licensing of public lodging establishments and public food service establishments; defining various types of public lodging establishments such as hotels, motels, and apartments; requiring counties and municipalities to withhold occupational licenses requested by new applicants therefor until, if required to do so, they have been licensed by the Hotel and Restaurant Commission; requiring locks on certain doors of rooms in public lodging establishments; requiring semi-annual inspections by the Hotel and Restaurant Commissioner; providing penalties for violations of laws, rules, or regulations; particularly amending Sections 509.052, 510.05, 511.01, 509.03, 511.02, 511.04, 511.11, 511.12, Florida Statutes, 1953, and repealing Sections 510.01, 511.31, and 511.41, Florida Statutes, 1953, as being unnecessary or obsolete.

Was read the first time by title only.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be waived and the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pope moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679.

Which was agreed to and the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679 was adopted.

The Committee on Finance and Taxation offered the following amendment to Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679:

In Section 511.01 (2), Paragraph (d), (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "(d) All places renting three rooms or less." and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(d) All places renting three rooms or less, unless advertised or held out to the public to be places that are regularly rented to transients by the day or week."

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 Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Rawls
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Rodgers
Barber	Edwards	King	Rood
Beall	Fraser	Morgan	Shands
Black	Gautier (28th)	Morrow	Stenstrom
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Neblett	Stratton
Carlton	Getzen	Pearce	Tapper
Carraway	Hodges	Phillips	
Clarke	Houghton	Pope	

Nays—2.

Kickliter Melvin

So Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 679 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator Hodges asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 409, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 409—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to salt water fisheries and conservation; amending Paragraphs (a) and (b) of Subsection (1) and Paragraph (d) of Subsection (2) of Section 370.07, Florida Statutes; clarifying definitions of wholesale and retail seafood dealers; providing for the payment of one annual license tax by retail seafood dealers; and providing an effective date.

Was taken up.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 409 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 409 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Hodges moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 409 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 409 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 409 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Beall	Carlton	Connor
Baker	Black	Carraway	Douglas
Barber	Bronson	Clarke	Edwards

Fraser	Johns	Morrow	Rodgers
Gautier (28th)	Johnson	Neblett	Rood
Gautier (13th)	Kickliter	Pearce	Shands
Getzen	King	Phillips	Stenstrom
Hodges	Melvin	Pope	Stratton
Houghton	Morgan	Rawls	Tapper

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 409 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, Senator Hodges withdrew Senate Bill No. 977 from the further consideration of the Senate.

S. B. No. 681—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 585.16, Florida Statutes, 1953, relating to power of the Florida Livestock Board in connection with certain diseases; providing for inspection, quarantine, confiscation of animals, and authorizing rules and regulations; and amending Section 585.34, Florida Statutes, 1953, by repealing Sub-sections 20, 21 and 22 and substituting therefor new sub-sections numbered 20 and 21 relating to meat inspection, inspection fees and penalties for violation, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith; providing for an effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pope moved that Senate Bill No. 681 be referred to an appropriate committee for further study.

Which was agreed to and Senate Bill No. 681 was re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

S. B. No. 1004—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 255.05, Florida Statutes, relating to bond of contractor constructing public work; bid bonds; suit by material men, laborers, etc.; specifying requirements of corporate sureties; allowing reasonable attorneys' fees to successful claimants under the statute.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1004 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1004 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1004 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. 1004 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1004 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Phillips
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1004 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 1009—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 212, Florida Statutes, as follows:

Section 212.02, Subsection (2) by redefining and clarifying definition of "sale"; Section 212.03, Subsection (4) by providing rental tax of six months residence in any one hotel, etc., and to repeal Subsection (5) and (6) relative to rental certificates; Section 212.04, Subsection (5) by omitting admission passes; Section 212.06, Subsection (2), by adding

two additional paragraphs defining "dealer" who solicits business in this State; Section 212.08, Subsection (1) by reducing the exemption on candy; Subsection (4) by adding a paragraph providing for the tax on printed, etc., material sold by information services, and Subsection (6) by clarifying the exemption allowed religious, educational and charitable institutions; Section 212.14, by adding a subsection providing for cash deposit or bond where necessary in order to enforce compliance, to add a new Section numbered 212.151 to provide for service on retailers, dealers or vendors not qualified to do business in this State.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 1009 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 1009 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 1009 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. 1009 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 1009 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Phillips
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 1009 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 715—A bill to be entitled a relief Act to pay H. E. Corry and Sam McMillan for potatoes destroyed through carelessness on the part of the State Plant Board through fumigation; providing an appropriation; and providing an effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 715 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 715 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 715:

In Section 2, lines 3 and 4, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000)"

Senator Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Pensions and Claims also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 715:

In Section 1, lines 1 and 2, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000)" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000)"

Senator Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Johnson moved that the rules be further waived

and Senate Bill No. 715, 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. 715, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 715, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Baker	Edwards	Kickliter	Rawls
Barber	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Beall	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper
Connor	Johns	Phillips	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 715 passed, as amended, by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members elected to the Senate for the 1955 Session of the Florida Legislature, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

Senator King moved that the time of adjournment be extended until final disposition of Senate Bill No. 824.

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

S. B. No. 824—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 210.20, Florida Statutes, 1953, to provide for payment to the Inter-American Center Authority of cigarette taxes collected on cigarettes sold at retail on property of said authority.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 824 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 824 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 824 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. 824 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 824 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—36.

Mr. President	Connor	Johns	Phillips
Baker	Douglas	Johnson	Pope
Barber	Edwards	Kickliter	Rawls
Beall	Fraser	King	Rodgers
Black	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rood
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morgan	Shands
Carlton	Getzen	Morrow	Stenstrom
Carraway	Hodges	Neblett	Stratton
Clarke	Houghton	Pearce	Tapper

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 824 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The hour of adjournment having arrived a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 5:05 o'clock P. M., until 10:00 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, May 25, 1955, pursuant to the report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar adopted by the Senate on May 23, 1955.

EXECUTIVE SESSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Senate in Executive Session on May 24, 1955, advised

and consented to the following appointments made by the Governor:

John L. Reese, Pensacola, Solicitor Court of Record, Escambia County, for a term ending August 18, 1959.

H. C. Avery, Jacksonville, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Jacksonville, for a term ending February 19, 1959.

Clarence Ashby, Jacksonville, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Jacksonville, for a term ending February 19, 1959.

Franklin G. Russell, Jacksonville, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Jacksonville, for a term ending February 19, 1959.

George W. Milam, Jacksonville, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Jacksonville, for a term ending February 19, 1959.

James C. Merrill, Jacksonville, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Jacksonville, for a term ending February 19, 1959.

Gilbert Lane, Boca Grande, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Boca Grande, for a term ending November 11, 1959.

Coram Lanier, Boca Grande, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Boca Grande, for a term ending November 11, 1959.

T. S. Parkinson, Boca Grande, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Boca Grande, for a term ending November 11, 1959.

W. B. Presley, Boca Grande, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Boca Grande, for a term ending November 11, 1959.

T. R. Hargis, Boca Grande, Commissioner of Pilotage, Port of Boca Grande, for a term ending November 11, 1959.

R. C. Kuhl, Boca Grande, Harbor Master for the Port of Boca Grande, for a term ending November 21, 1955.

J. Abney Cox, Homestead, Member, Governing Board, Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District, for a term ending July 12, 1957.

W. B. "Dick" Makinson, Jr., Member, Governing Board, Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District, for a term ending July 12, 1958.

Mrs. Gladys Moore, Miami, Member State Board of Beauty Culture Examiners, District No. 1, for a term ending June 27, 1957.

Robert R. Tench, Clearwater, Assistant State Attorney for the Sixth Judicial Circuit, for a term ending July 24, 1955.

Robert R. Tench, Clearwater, Assistant State Attorney for the Sixth Judicial Circuit, for a term ending July 24, 1959.

Warren H. Toole, Tampa, Member, State Racing Commission, First Congressional District, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

Clarence H. Ratliff, Live Oak, Member, State Racing Commission, Second Congressional District, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

J. D. Johnson, Pensacola, Member, State Racing Commission, Third Congressional District, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

John R. Ring, Miami, Member, State Racing Commission, Fourth Congressional District, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

J. Saxton Lloyd, Daytona Beach, Member, State Racing Commission, Fifth Congressional District, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

C. E. Cox, Vero Beach, Member, State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers, District No. 5, for a term ending July 22, 1956.

Bennie Edmundson, Pensacola, Harbor Master for the Port of Pensacola, for a term ending May 20, 1957.

Albert L. Rogero, Clearwater, Member, State Road Department, First Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

Earl P. Powers, Gainesville, Member, State Road Department, Second Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

Wilbur E. Jones, Miami, Member, State Road Department,

Fourth Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

Campbell Thornal, Orlando, Member, State Road Department, Fifth Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending the first Monday in January 1957.

William H. Dial, Orlando, Member, State Road Department, Fifth Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending the first Monday in January, 1957.

W. Howard Frankland, Tampa, Member, Florida State Turnpike Authority, First Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending January 10, 1959.

Charles E. Commander, Jr., Jacksonville, Member Florida State Turnpike Authority, Second Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending January 10, 1957.

Thomas B. Manuel, Fort Lauderdale, Member, Florida State Turnpike Authority, Fourth Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending January 10, 1956.

William T. Alsop, Ocala, Member, Florida State Turnpike Authority, Fifth Congressional District, as defined and limited on June 9, 1937, for a term ending January 10, 1958.

E. J. Burrell Eustis, Member Board of the Oklawaha Basin Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, for a term ending July 13, 1957.

Byron Herlong, Leesburg, Member Board of the Oklawaha Basin Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, for a term ending July 13, 1956.

Floyd Harrison, Clermont, Member Board of the Oklawaha Basin Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, for a term ending July 13, 1955.

Gordon E. Rankin, West Palm Beach, Harbor Master for the Port of Palm Beach, for a term ending June 28, 1955.

J. B. Starkey, Largo, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, State-at-Large, for a term ending June 9, 1957.

Frank H. Moody, Plant City, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, First Congressional District, for a term ending first Tuesday after first Monday in January 1957.

W. A. Belote, Mandarin, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, Second Congressional District, for a term ending first Tuesday after first Monday in January 1957.

Wilmer Bassett, Monticello, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, Third Congressional District, for a term ending June 9, 1957.

Al Dressel, Miami, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, Fourth Congressional District, for a term ending first Tuesday after first Monday in January 1957.

Henry O. Partin, Kissimmee, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, Fifth Congressional District, for a term ending first Tuesday after first Monday in January 1957.

Ernest Van Landingham, Belle Glade, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, Sixth Congressional District, for a term ending June 9, 1957.

Roscoe Bass, Avon Park, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, Seventh Congressional District, for a term ending June 9, 1957.

Carl Zillman, Earleton, Member, Florida Live Stock Board, Eighth Congressional District, for a term ending 1st Tuesday after 1st Monday in January 1957.

Mrs. Hattie M. Thompson, Eustis, Member, State Board of Beauty Culture Examiners, District 2, for a term beginning June 27, 1955 and ending June 27, 1958.

W. H. Hitt, West Palm Beach, Member, Governing Board, Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District, for a term ending July 12, 1957.

David G. Click, Clewiston, Member, Governing Board, Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District, for a term ending July 11, 1958.

Brian K. McCarty, Fort Pierce, Member, Governing Board, Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District, for a term ending July 12, 1959.