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The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A. M., pursuant to adjournment on Monday, April 8, 1957.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kickliter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

—38.

A quorum present.

The following Prayer was offered by Senator L. K. Edwards, Jr., of the Twentieth Senatorial District:

Our Father, we ask Thee this morning, to have mercy on us and forgive us of all our wrongdoings, shortcomings and sins. Be with us individually and as a group, constituting and composing the membership of the Florida Senate. Give us the desire and will to do right—deliver us from evil. Lead us not into temptation. Help us in every way to do Thy will. Give us wisdom, knowledge, faith and love to serve our fellowman and our living God. We pray in the name of Jesus, who died in our stead. Amen.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Senate daily Journal of Monday, April 8, 1957, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

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

S. B. No. 52—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Crippled Children's Commission; amending Section 391.07, Florida Statutes, by repealing provision requiring Juvenile Court to determine financial ability of parents to pay for medical care and treatment of indigent crippled children and vesting such determination in the Crippled Children's Commission.

—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 Hair, Chairman of the Committee on Welfare, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 109—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to aid to dependent children, amending Section 409.18, Florida Statutes, by adding a new subsection thereto limiting assistance to one (1) illegitimate child of the same mother.

—and recommends that the same do not pass.

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

ENGROSSING REPORT

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

S. B. No. 33—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend the charter of the City of Hallandale, Florida, same being Chap-

ter 29108, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1953, and particularly Section 29 Paragraph (2), pertaining to the time or times for holding the regular biennial elections so as to fix the time of holding such elections as the fourth Tuesday in May of each year in which said elections are held, commencing in 1957.

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

Very respectfully,

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

And Senate Bill No. 33, contained in the above report, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate, as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk of the Senate, for enrolling.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MEMORIALS, BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Barber—

S. B. No. 161—A bill to be entitled An Act for the relief of Arthur W. Klinkner, Lawrence J. Holter and Martin W. Petermann of Indian River County, Florida, and Aubrey Starcher and George Backus of St. Lucie County, Florida, for their actual expenses incurred because of damage to outdoor advertising signs owned by them without any fault of any of them and as a result of a convict work crew of the State of Florida.

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

By Senators Knight, Bronson, Hair, Hodges, Connor, Branch, Houghton and Barber—

S. B. No. 162—A bill to be entitled An Act to license and regulate public bookkeepers and public auditors; to provide for a State Board and the appointment of its members; to provide the duties and privileges of the board and provide authority for the board to adopt and promulgate rules and regulations for the examining and licensing of public bookkeepers and public auditors; to provide for assessing and payment of fees and other charges and for the disposition of fees received and for expenditures; to define an auditor and a bookkeeper; to provide for examinations and exceptions and issuing of certificates; to define the qualifications, duties, and privileges of public bookkeepers and public auditors; to provide restrictions relating to such licensure; to provide exemptions for professional persons not coming within the purview of this Act; to provide certain other exemptions; and to provide for an effective date.

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

By Senator Shands—

S. B. No. 163—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Physics Building at the University of Florida; making an appropriation to the Board of Control to add an auditorium and to equip said building.

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

By Senators Hodges and Johns—

S. B. No. 164—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to widows of Confederate veterans; providing for State paid hospitalization for widows who are medically destitute.

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

By Senator Belser—

S. B. No. 165—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to taxation; providing for the separate taxation of mineral, oil and other sub-surface rights; providing the procedure therefor; providing the rate of taxation; providing for the sale thereof for nonpayment of taxes; and providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Hair—

S. B. No. 166—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (1) of Section 395.01, Florida Statutes, relating to the licensing and regulation of hospitals by amending the definition of the term hospital, and repealing Subsection (5) limiting the application of Chapter 395, Florida Statutes, to hospitals receiving federal aid; providing effective date.

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

By Senators Dickinson, Pope and Morgan—

S. B. No. 167—A bill to be entitled An Act protecting the employment circumstances of employees elected to public office; amending Chapter 448, Florida Statutes.

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

By Senator Stenstrom—

S. B. No. 168—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County, Florida, to adopt zoning and building regulations in the territory within Brevard County which is not included in the corporate limits of any city or town; and authorizing and empowering said Board of County Commissioners to divide said territory into districts or zones and to regulate and restrict the uses of lands, buildings and other structures for trade, industry, residence or other purposes within said districts or zones, and to regulate and restrict the construction, reconstruction, erection, alteration, repair, height, number of stories, size and location of buildings and other structures within said districts or zones, and to regulate and restrict the area, dimensions, and the size of lots or tracts of land or yards, and the percentage and portion of lots that may be occupied in connection with the construction and location of buildings or other structures within said districts or zones; and providing for the method of procedure, the appointment of a Zoning Board and a Board of Adjustment, and prescribing the rights, duties and authority of certain county and municipal and other officials in relation thereto; and prescribing procedure of enforcing the rules, orders and regulations adopted under authority of this Act; authorizing a system of fees to be charged and authorizing expenditures in order to carry out the provisions of this Act; and prescribing penalties for the violation of this Act or any Code; providing an effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 168 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 Stenstrom moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 168 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 168 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 168 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. 168 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 168 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kicklitter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 168 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Gautier—

S. B. No. 169—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the City of Edgewater, Volusia County; amending Section 6 of Chapter 27532, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1951, by changing the territorial boundaries of said Section 6; to provide a referendum; and providing for effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 169 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 169 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 169 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. 169 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 169 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kicklitter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 169 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 Shands—

S. B. No. 170—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Subsection (4) of Section 288.02, Florida Statutes, relating to the organization and officers of Florida Development Commission and amending Paragraph (b) of Subsection (10) of Section 288.15, Florida Statutes, relating to the issuance and execution of bonds, and notes by Florida Development Commission.

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

By Senator Shands—

S. B. No. 171—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 288.16(1), Florida Statutes, 1955, authorizing Florida Development Commission to sell at private sale bonds, notes or certificates of the Florida Development Commission to provide for increasing the rate of interest at which said bonds, notes or certificates may be sold at private sale to not more

than five percent (5%); providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Shands—

S. B. No. 172—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 288.23, Florida Statutes; relating to the authority of the Florida Development Commission to acquire roads and bridges by authorizing the Commission to also acquire rights-of-way for said roads and bridges.

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

By Senator Shands—

S. B. No. 173—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 288, Florida Statutes, by adding two (2) new Sections thereto, to be numbered Sections 288.151 and 288.152, relating to the issuance of bonds, notes or certificates of the Florida Development Commission for the combined purpose of refunding outstanding obligations and the acquisition or construction of new projects or improvements of existing projects, and the pledge of excess rentals or revenues from any project to other projects; and providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Morgan, Edwards, Kelly, Hodges, Johnson, Clarke, Connor, Brackin, Knight, Hair, Rood, Bishop, Neblett, Branch, Belser, Rodgers, Adams, Getzen, Bronson, Barber, Cabot, Dickinson, Pope, Davis, Johns, Eaton and Beall—

S. B. No. 174—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State tax on motor fuels; redefining the term distributor; providing for the payment of the gasoline tax by wholesale purchasers of gasoline in bulk quantities; amending Subsection (5) of Section 207.01, Florida Statutes; and amending Section 208.04, Florida Statutes; and providing an effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 174 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.

Senator Johns requested unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 174, out of its order.

Unanimous consent was granted, and—

S. B. No. 174—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State tax on motor fuels; redefining the term distributor; providing for the payment of the gasoline tax by wholesale purchasers of gasoline in bulk quantities; amending Subsection (5) of Section 207.01, Florida Statutes; and amending Section 208.04, Florida Statutes; and providing an effective date.

Was taken up.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 174 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 174 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Johns moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 174 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. 174 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 174 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Barber	Belser	Boyd
Adams	Beall	Bishop	Brackin

Branch	Eaton	Kickliter	Rood
Bronson	Gautier	Knight	Stenstrom
Cabot	Hair	Morgan	Stratton
Carlton	Hodges	Neblett	
Carroway	Houghton	Pearce	
Clarke	Johns	Pope	
Connor	Johnson	Rawls	
Davis	Kelly	Rodgers	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 174 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Pope—

S. B. No. 175—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to teacher scholarship loans in the institutions of higher learning of the State; the qualifications of applicants; value of scholarship loans; procedure for issuance of scholarship loans; and execution of notes by and collection or satisfaction of such notes by certain scholarship holders under certain conditions; amending Sections 239.38, 239.41, 239.42, and 239.44, Florida Statutes.

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

By Senator Pope—

S. B. No. 176—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of Control to develop and carry out programs of nuclear studies and research in the State university system, provide buildings, equipment and facilities therefor; making an appropriation therefor and providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Johnson—

S. B. No. 177—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to education; amending Subsection (3) of Section 236.07, Florida Statutes, as amended by Section 33 of Chapter 29615, Acts of 1955, Section 1 of Chapter 29698, Acts of 1955, Section 1 of Chapter 29897, Acts of 1955, and Section 74 of Chapter 29764, Acts of 1955; providing for an increase in the amount to be included for instructional salaries, providing for additional salary increases based on merit and incentive with funds appropriated by the State and participating counties and providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Cabot—

S. B. No. 178—A bill to be entitled An Act fixing and validating the compensation of the county judges in all counties having a population of not less than seventy-five thousand (75,000) nor more than one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants by the latest official federal census; and providing an effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Cabot moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 178 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 178 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Cabot moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 178 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. 178 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 178 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kickliter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 178 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Getzen—

S. B. No. 179—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the administration of the Alcoholic Beverage Laws; amending Sections 561.01, 561.02, 561.04, 561.05, 561.06, 561.07, 561.08, 561.09, 561.11, 561.14, 561.15, 561.17, 561.18, 561.19, 561.20, 561.23, 561.25, 561.27, 561.29, 561.33, 561.34, 561.36, 561.41, 561.42, 561.46, 561.50, 561.55 and 561.57; adding Subsection (14) to Section 561.01; repealing Sections 561.13, 561.16, 561.23 (3), 561.26 (2) and 561.46 (7), all Florida Statutes.

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

By Senator Davis—

S. B. No. 180—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 1 of Article III of Chapter 5808, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1907, the same being the Charter of the Town of Greenville, Florida, entitled "An Act to organize a municipal government for the Town of Greenville and to provide for its government," to provide for the election of Town Councilmen from numerically designated groups, and to provide a method of filling vacancies in the Town Council.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 180 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 Davis moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 180 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 180 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Davis moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 180 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. 180 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 180 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kickliter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 180 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Getzen—

S. B. No. 181—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to

transportation of intoxicating beverages; amending Chapter 568, Florida Statutes, by adding Section 568.031, providing limitation as to amount of intoxicating beverages to be transported in dry counties.

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

By Senator Stenstrom—

S. B. No. 182—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of County Commissioners of Brevard County to make improvements on any and all streets, highways, boulevards, avenues, lanes and alleys when said streets, highways, boulevards, avenues, lanes and alleys have been accepted as county roads, including any and all improvements incidental to road purposes under certain terms and conditions; providing for the assessment by special assessments of abutting, adjoining and contiguous property; providing the method of making said assessments; providing for the approval by petition of sixty five per cent (65%) of said abutting owners; providing the method of procedure available to owners affected or to be affected by said improvement or the assessment therefor; providing said assessments shall become a lien against said abutting property; providing for issuance and sale of certificates of indebtedness; providing for the enforcement of said liens; and providing other powers and duties of the Board of County Commissioners relative to making of said improvements and assessing said property therefor.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 182 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 Stenstrom moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 182 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 182 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 182 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. 182 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 182 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kickliter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 182 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Edwards—

S. B. No. 183—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Board of Control; amending Chapter 240, Florida Statutes, by adding Section 240.093, providing authority for collecting past due accounts.

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

By Senator Edwards—

S. B. No. 184—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring security

for deposits in banks of funds of the State Board of Control.

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

By Senator Edwards—

S. B. No. 185—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to State Officers and Employees; amending Subsection (4) of Section 216.171, relating to the prohibition against any person holding more than one state employment or receiving compensation from more than one appropriation; and providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Carraway—

S. B. No. 186—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to certain institutions under the State Board of Control; amending Sections 216.28, 229.41, 240.101, 240.102(2), 241.62, 241.63, 242.62, 282.09 and 581.11, Florida Statutes, relating to: limitations of expenditure of certain funds without detailed budgets; federal loan funds for construction of dormitories at, and appropriations for revolving funds of the State institutions of higher learning; the limitation of expenditure of non-state funds for construction or repair of buildings of the State University System; appropriating funds from surplus incidental funds at the University of Florida to create a research contract revolving fund and working capital revolving funds; the appropriation for purposes of enrolling students in medical schools; reversion of incidental monies of state universities to the general revenue fund; repealing Section 216.29, Florida Statutes, relating to incidental funds of state universities for the biennium 1953-1955; and providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Carraway—

S. B. No. 187—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and providing for the appointment and duties of a Board of Trustees of the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University Hospital; providing that all existing obligations and pledges concerning retirement of indebtedness and for health and hospital services to the students of the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University shall be assumed by the said trustees; providing that all general policies and operating budgets of the Board of Trustees shall be subject to the approval of the State Board of Control.

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

By Senator Carraway—

S. B. No. 188—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the construction and alteration of certain buildings at the University of Florida and Florida State University; making appropriations therefor from funds realized by said institutions from local sources; and providing effective date.

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

By Senator Connor—

S. B. No. 189—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the driver education program in secondary schools in the State, amending Section 230.23(4) (k), Florida Statutes, relating to appropriation for carrying out the program and the disposition of the public school driver education fund; and providing an effective date.

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

By Senators Carlton—(By Request)—and Belser—

S. B. No. 190—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the State Department of Public Welfare; amending introductory Paragraphs of Sections 409.17 and 409.40, Florida Statutes, prescribing the maximum amount of monthly assistance to be paid to certain blind and permanently and totally disabled persons.

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

By Senator Belser—

S. B. No. 191—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to public welfare; repealing Subsection (6) of Section 409.16, and Subsection (8) of Section 409.40, Florida Statutes, prescribing the requirements for recipients of old age assistance, and aid for the permanently and totally disabled persons.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

The Honorable W. A. Shands,
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 Insurance—

H. B. No. 109—A bill to be entitled An Act defining automobile clubs; providing for the qualification, licensing and regulation of such clubs; empowering the insurance commissioner to administer the provisions of this Act and rules and regulations adopted pursuant thereto; providing for a penalty; fixing the effective date.

Also—

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 110—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 18.20, Florida Statutes, by adding thereto subsections numbered (3) and (4) authorizing the state treasurer to photograph, microphotograph or reproduce on film all records and documents of said office as in his discretion he may select; granting authority to the state treasurer to destroy any of said documents or records after they have been so photographed and filed after audit of his office is completed for the period embracing dates of said documents and records; providing that such photographs or microphotographs, including certified or authenticated reproductions thereof, shall have the same force and effect as the originals thereof and be deemed originals for the purpose of admissibility in evidence; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing for effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 109, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

And House Bill No. 110, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

The Honorable W. A. Shands,
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. Surlis, Griffin and Mattox of Polk—

H. B. No. 82—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that the judge of the Criminal Court of Record in and for Polk County, Florida, shall devote full time to the duties of such office, and shall not engage in the practice of law during his

tenure of office, and fixing the salary of such judge, and to provide for the method of the payment of such salary.

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. 82 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. 82, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 82 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 82 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Kelly offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 82:

After Section 2 add the following:

“Section 3. This act will in no way affect the maximum salaries payable to any other county official pursuant to any law of this State.”

and renumber the remaining sections.

Senator Kelly moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Kelly moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 82, 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. 82, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 82, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kicklitter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 82 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

The Honorable W. A. Shands,
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. Kimbrough of Santa Rosa—

H. B. No. 126—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Santa

Rosa County; repealing Chapter 31259, Acts 1955, creating an election commission in Santa Rosa County; and providing for a referendum.

Also—

By Mr. Strickland of Citrus—

H. B. No. 116—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to Citrus County; amending Section 1 of Chapter 28461, Laws of 1953, by providing an increase in salary of the Supervisor of Registration of Citrus County; providing an effective date.

Proof of publication attached.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 128—A bill to be entitled An Act changing the boundaries of existing Justice District No. 3 in Monroe County, State of Florida, and establishing a new justice district in Monroe County, State of Florida, to be known as Justice District No. 4 and defining the territory comprised in said new Justice District No. 4; and providing this Act shall not take effect until same is approved by referendum at the next ensuing general election.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 126, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 116 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. 116, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 116 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 116 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Connor moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 116 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. 116 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 116 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—38.

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kicklitter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 116 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 128, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

*The Honorable W. A. Shands,
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 Insurance—

H. B. No. 131—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to fire, casualty and surety agents; amending Section 627.72(6)(a), Florida Statutes, prohibiting officers of insurers from being licensed as agents or solicitors, with certain exceptions; amending Section 627.78 relating to temporary licenses; amending Section 627.79(2)(e) relating to an application for license; amending Section 627.85(2) providing that all policies issued on property in this state must be countersigned by a local resident agent, and providing for the commission such agent shall receive for such services; amending Section 627.86, requiring all members of a partnership, corporation, or association, and all officers and directors who solicit contracts of insurance to qualify individually as agents, and amending Section 627.93 by adding thereto a new subsection to be numbered (4), relating to the issuance, suspension and revocation of licenses; amending §643.04(7), Florida Statutes, by adding thereto section to be numbered (c) relating to unfair discrimination; prohibiting preferred rates to fictitious groupings of firms, corporations, or associations of individuals; defining fictitious grouping; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing for effective date.

Also—

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 132—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 636, Florida Statutes, relating to insurance adjusters; prescribing certain age, residence and citizenship requirements; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and providing for the effective date of this act.

Also—

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 133—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 903, Florida Statutes, relating to bail bondsmen; amending Sections 903.09, 903.37, 903.53, and 903.56, relating to the justification of sureties, definitions, and licensing of bondsmen; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; 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. 131, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

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The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

*The Honorable W. A. Shands,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

By Messrs. Hopkins and Stone of Escambia—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 169:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE CHEMSTRAND CORPORATION OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY FOR ITS EMPLOYEE SAFETY RECORD.

WHEREAS, in this age of the machine and production line every employee is placed in some position of peril while pursuing his gainful occupation, and

WHEREAS, thousands of man-hours of work are lost annually in this country through accidents on the job, and

WHEREAS, the Chemstrand Corporation of Escambia County, the world's largest integrated nylon plant, as a result of a planned program in safety by its management and approximately four thousand employees, has amassed the greatest record in the world's textile industry for continuous man-hours of work without any lost-time injury, to-wit: thirteen million, six hundred twenty-four thousand (13,624,000) man-hours exceeding by six hundred eight thousand, five hundred fourteen (608,514) the previous world's record, and

WHEREAS, the Chemstrand Corporation of Escambia County, has announced a new goal to exceed the world's all industry record in safety of twenty-eight million, seven hundred forty-three thousand, seven hundred sixty-eight (28,743,768) man-hours, and

WHEREAS, this record is a tribute to the Chemstrand Corporation of Escambia County, its workers and points up an excellent example of the safety program of the State of Florida, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That on behalf of the people of the State of Florida, this Legislature does commend the Chemstrand Corporation of Escambia County and its workers on establishing an employees' world safety record in textiles never before attained and urges continuance of this fine job.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives and attested, be dispatched to Edward A. O'Neal, President of the Chemstrand Corporation and Plant Manager Fred G. Gronemeyer.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 169, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full.

Senator Beall moved that the rules be waived and House Concurrent Resolution No. 169 be read the second time in full and put upon its adoption.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 169 was read the second time in full.

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

Which was agreed to and House Concurrent Resolution No. 169 was adopted and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

*The Honorable W. A. Shands,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

By Mr. Petersen of Pinellas—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 172:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE PRACTICE OF PLEDGING ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AT THE START OF THE FIRST DAY OF EACH SESSION AND ON EVERY MONDAY DURING EACH SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

WHEREAS, The glorious Flag of our country is the symbol of our loved ones, our homes, our freedoms and of all we cherish and pledge to defend and preserve unto death; and

WHEREAS, This Legislature is ever cognizant of our sworn purposes under that Flag, toward the fulfillment of which Almighty God is our strength; and

WHEREAS, At the start of the first day of each Legislative Session we call, first upon Almighty God to light our path and guide us in the momentous tasks and responsibilities constantly before us in the service of our people and of our nation; and

WHEREAS, The sons of our great state, from its inception, have been among the very first to unselfishly volunteer unbounded honor and courage in the defense of our nation's Flag; many of whom have gloriously fought and sacrificed their lives under its waving inspiration; and

WHEREAS, Now, as never before in world history, there is a great urgency for a resounding and world echoing acclamation of our determination to defend our sacred heritage and to secure for posterity the glory of our liberty; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the members of the Legislature of the State of Florida shall, following the Invocation Prayer on the first day of each Session of the Legislature, and thereafter once a week on every Monday during each session of the Legislature, viva voce, pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the pages of the Journals of both the House of Representatives and the Senate of the State of Florida, and that sufficient copies be furnished to the press.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 172, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Veterans Affairs, Aviation, Radio and Television.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

*The Honorable W. A. Shands,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

By Messrs. Hopkins and Stone of Escambia—

House Memorial No. 170:

A MEMORIAL TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES REQUESTING THAT A SPECIAL UNITED STATES POSTAGE STAMP AND A UNITED STATES TREASURY COIN BE ISSUED HONORING THE QUADRICENTENNIAL

OF THE SETTLEMENT OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA.

WHEREAS, the City of Pensacola will arrive at its four hundredth birthday in 1959, there having been established a colony at the site of the city in August, 1559, as the results of an expedition from Spain commanded by Don Tristan deLuna y Arrelano, a Spanish nobleman, and

WHEREAS, reputable historians agree that this colony was the first permanent settlement of the white race on the North American Continent, and

WHEREAS, this event was of great importance in our history and deserves a measure of commemoration by the Government of the United States, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the members of the Florida Delegation in the Congress of the United States be requested to take the necessary action for the issuance of a United States Postage Stamp and a United States Treasury Coin bearing suitable inscriptions commemorating the four hundredth anniversary in 1959 of the original settlement of the City of Pensacola.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives be directed to send a copy of this Memorial, duly executed by the proper officers of this Legislature, to each member of the Florida Delegation in the Congress, to the Postmaster General and to the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Memorial No. 170, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on General Legislation.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

*The Honorable W. A. Shands,
President of the Senate.*

Sir:

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

By Messrs. Hopkins and Stone of Escambia, Hollahan, Orr and Herrell of Dade, Usina of St. Johns, Mann of Hillsborough, Roberts and Blank of Palm Beach, Land of Orange, Cross of Alachua, Weinstein of St. Johns and Mrs. Patton of Franklin—

House Concurrent Resolution No. 211:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION GIVING RECOGNITION TO THE EASTERN ORTHODOX CHURCH AS A MAJOR FAITH IN FLORIDA.

WHEREAS, The Eastern Orthodox Church is a major faith in America and in the state of Florida; and

WHEREAS, The said Eastern Orthodox Church is not generally included among the religious professions of the state of Florida; and

WHEREAS, Whenever anything is said concerning the major faiths, usually only Protestants, Catholics and Jews are referred to; and

WHEREAS, It therefore follows that a religious discrimination is being made against the Eastern Orthodox Church, which is contrary to the prevailing liberal and democratic spirit of our state, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

1. That the Eastern Orthodox Church be recognized as a major faith in the state of Florida; and
2. That it be included among the religious professions of this state; and
3. That the forms and official papers of the state and local government units which refer to the major faiths and now limit same to Protestants, Catholics, and Jews, be changed to: Protestants, Catholics, Eastern Orthodox and Jews; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That all media of communication and individuals are hereby requested to include the Eastern Orthodox Church when referring to the major faiths.
—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 211, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A".

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

The Honorable W. A. Shands,
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. Horne and Mitchell of Leon—

H. B. No. 28—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to per diem and traveling expenses of state officers and employees; amending Subsection (1) of Section 112.061, Florida Statutes; 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. 28, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Legislative Management and Population and the Committee on Appropriations.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

The Honorable W. A. Shands,
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 Insurance—

H. B. No. 129—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 625.02, Florida Statutes, relating to the amount and par value of capital stock and surplus of insurance and surety companies; amending Section 626.05 relating to investments and a period of time of successful operations required of foreign insurers; amending Section 626.25 relating to voluntary deposits by fire, casualty and title insurers specifying securities eligible for such deposits; amending Section 626.29 relating to the printing, sale and distribution of insurance books and pamphlets by the insurance commissioner; amending Sections 631.06, 631.09 and 648.02 relating to deposits of securities required by fire, casualty, title and surety insurers, including reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges doing business under Chapter 628, Florida Statutes; amending Section 631.17(1) to prohibit fire, casualty and surety insurance

companies from exposing themselves to loss from any one risk in an amount exceeding 10% of the company's surplus to policyholders, except as provided by law; repealing Section 626.06, Florida Statutes, and all laws in conflict herewith, and providing for the effective date of this act.

Also—

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 130—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 628.06, Florida Statutes, increasing the surplus over all liabilities that a reciprocal or inter-insurance exchange is required to maintain, except those organized under the laws of this state and doing business on April 1, 1957; amending Section 628.12, relating to insurance agents, re-insurance and regulation of rates of reciprocal or inter-insurance exchanges; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and providing for the effective date of this act.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 129, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

And House Bill No. 130, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

The Honorable W. A. Shands,
President of the Senate.

Sir:

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

By The Committee on Statutory Revision—

H. B. No. 210—A bill to be entitled An Act adopting the official Florida Statutes by enacting all the statutory laws included in the officially published Florida Statutes, 1955, as the Official Florida Statutes, 1957; together with corrections, changes, repeals of inoperative and obsolete sections, and sections held unconstitutional by the Florida Supreme Court; authorizing the inclusion of General Laws of statewide application in statutory form enacted in 1957, as prima facie evidence of such laws; authorizing the revision and reprinting of material contained therein; and providing effective date.

(Accompanied by Florida Statutes 1955—Volumes 1, 2 and 3.)

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 210, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Davis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 210 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.

Senator Davis requested unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 210, out of its order.

Unanimous consent was granted, and—

H. B. No. 210—A bill to be entitled An Act adopting the official Florida Statutes by enacting all the statutory laws included in the officially published Florida Statutes, 1955, as the official Florida Statutes, 1957; together with corrections,

changes, repeals of inoperative and obsolete sections, and sections held unconstitutional by the Florida Supreme Court; authorizing the inclusion of general laws of statewide application in statutory form enacted in 1957, as prima facie evidence of such laws; authorizing the revision and reprinting of material contained therein; and providing effective date.

Was taken up.

Senator Davis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 210 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 210 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Davis moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 210 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. 210 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 210 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Cabot	Hair	Pearce
Adams	Carlton	Hodges	Pope
Barber	Carraway	Houghton	Rawls
Beall	Clarke	Johns	Rodgers
Belser	Connor	Johnson	Rood
Bishop	Davis	Kelly	Stenstrom
Boyd	Dickinson	Kicklitter	Stratton
Brackin	Eaton	Knight	
Branch	Gautier	Morgan	
Bronson	Getzen	Neblett	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 210 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

The Honorable W. A. Shands,
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 Insurance—

H. B. No. 100—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to life insurance; amending Section 635.175(1) (4), Florida Statutes, relating to the approval or disapproval by the insurance commissioner of riders or annuity forms; amending Section 635.211 (2) relating to standard provisions of ordinary life insurance; amending Section 635.213(2) relating to standard provisions of industrial insurance; amending Section 635.24(2) (d) relating to credit life insurance; amending Chapter 635, Florida Statutes, by adding thereto a section to be designated Section 635.201 relating to standard provisions for annuities and pure endowment contracts; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing for effective date.

Also—

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 101—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 635.24(1) (b) (c) and 635.24(3) (b) (c), Florida Statutes, relating to group life insurance; repealing Chapter 640, Florida Statutes, relating to benevolent mutual benefit associations; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and providing for the effective date of this Act.

Also—

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 104—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 625.251, Florida Statutes, requiring employers, labor unions or associations, who receive dividends, premium refunds, rate reductions, commissions or service fees, in connection with group insurance policies covering employees of employers or members of labor unions or associations, to apply that portion of such amounts which exceed their total expenditure toward the cost of such insurance for the sole benefit of insured employees or members or the purposes of the trust; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing effective date.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 100, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

And House Bill No. 101, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

And House Bill No. 104, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
April 8, 1957.

The Honorable W. A. Shands,
President of the Senate.

Str:

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

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 105—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 284.01, 284.02, 284.07 and 284.09, Florida Statutes, relating to insuring of state property and amount of insurance coverage; providing for payment of premiums by agencies of the state; providing for employment and salaries of competent personnel; providing for investment of funds in the state fire fund; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing for effective date.

Also—

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 106—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 633.02, Florida Statutes, relating to appointment of deputy fire marshals, their powers and duties; repealing Section 633.04, relating to use of funds appropriated for the insurance department; repealing Section 633.10, relating to the requirement of insurance companies making monthly reports of fire losses; repealing Section 633.12, relating to the designation of committees, and providing for effective date.

Also—

By The Committee on Insurance—

H. B. No. 107—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 642.01, 642.031 (15) (16), 642.05 and 642.06, Florida Statutes, relating to accident and sickness insurance; eliminating reference to cooperative and assessment companies from those companies subject to the laws of this chapter; striking Subsections (15) and (16) of Section 642.031 and adding a new Subsection (15) including only the final effective date, October 1, 1956; defining industrial accident and sickness insurance and setting up uniform provisions for all cases; defining blanket accident and sickness insurance and providing for payment of benefits under such policies; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and providing for the effective date of this act.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 105, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

And House Bill No. 106, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

And House Bill No. 107, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

CONSIDERATION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS ON SECOND READING

S. B. No. 15—A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful to falsely represent to be a licensed citrus fruit dealer, or to advertise or to make false claims or representations regarding the status of the seller of citrus fruit, or as to the condition, grade or quality of the citrus fruit sold, or to advertise or in any way to pretend that one is bonded unless a performance bond has been furnished and approved and providing certain rules of construction and providing penalties for violations.

Was taken up in its order.

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

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

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

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 15 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 15 was read the third time in full.

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

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Carraway	Houghton	Rodgers
Adams	Clarke	Johns	Rood
Barber	Connor	Kelly	Stenstrom
Belser	Davis	Kicklitter	Stratton
Bishop	Dickinson	Knight	
Boyd	Eaton	Morgan	
Brackin	Gautier	Neblett	
Branch	Getzen	Pearce	
Bronson	Hair	Pope	
Cabot	Hodges	Rawls	

Nays—None.

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

Senator Johns moved that a committee of three be appointed to escort Honorable Fuller Warren, former member of the House of Representatives and former Governor of Florida, to a seat on the rostrum.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Senators Johns, Eaton and Branch as the committee which escorted Honorable Fuller Warren to the rostrum.

Senate Bill No. 84 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

S. B. No. 63—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to divorce decrees; amending Chapter 65, Florida Statutes, by adding new Sections to be numbered 65.20 and 65.21; providing that all divorce decrees be interlocutory in nature; providing a sixty (60) day period.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 63 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 63 was read the second time by title only.

Senators Rawls and Johnson offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 63:

At the end of Section 65.20 add semicolon in lieu of the period and add the following: "unless such period is shortened by the court."

Senator Johnson moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 63, 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. 63, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 63, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Adams	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Barber	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Beall	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Boyd	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Brackin	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Branch	Eaton	Kicklitter	Stratton
Bronson	Gautier	Knight	
Cabot	Getzen	Neblett	

Nays—3.

Belser	Bishop	Morgan
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So Senate Bill No. 63 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

S. B. No. 64—A bill to be entitled An Act, relating to divorce; amending Section 65.02, Florida Statutes, setting forth residence requirements in divorce actions.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 64 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 64 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Neblett offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 64:

In Section 1, line 2, (typewritten bill) strike out the words: "one (1) year" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "six (6) months."

Senator Neblett moved the adoption of the amendment.

A roll call was demanded.

Upon call of the roll on the motion made by Senator Neblett, the vote was:

Yeas—20.

Adams	Branch	Hair	Morgan
Beall	Clarke	Hodges	Neblett
Belser	Connor	Houghton	Rawls
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Brackin	Getzen	Knight	Stratton

Nays—17.

Mr. President	Boyd	Cabot	Carraway
Barber	Bronson	Carlton	Dickinson

Eaton	Kelly	Pope
Gautier	Kicklitter	Rodgers
Johns	Pearce	Stenstrom

So the amendment was adopted.

Senator Gautier offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 64:

Add new section.

Section 2. This Act shall become effective October 1st, 1957.

Senator Gautier moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Stenstrom moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 64, 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. 64, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 64, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Carraway	Hodges	Rawls
Adams	Clarke	Houghton	Rodgers
Barber	Davis	Johns	Rood
Beall	Dickinson	Johnson	Stenstrom
Boyd	Eaton	Kelly	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Neblett	
Cabot	Getzen	Pearce	
Carlton	Hair	Pope	

Nays—4.

Belser	Bishop	Connor	Morgan
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So Senate Bill No. 64 passed, as amended, and was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing.

S. B. No. 114—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to criminals; requiring the registration of all persons convicted of a felony in any court of this State, in federal courts, or in courts of foreign states or countries; fixing penalties and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 114 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 114 was read the second time by title only.

The following Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114:

By the Committee on Judiciary "B"—

Committee Substitute for S. B. No. 114—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to criminals; requiring the registration of all persons convicted of a felony in any court of this State, in federal courts, or in courts of foreign states or countries; fixing penalties and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Was read the first time by title only.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be waived and the

Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114 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. 114 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carlton moved the adoption of the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114.

Which was agreed to and the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114 was adopted.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114 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. 114 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Bronson	Edwards	Kelly
Adams	Cabot	Gautier	Kicklitter
Barber	Carlton	Getzen	Knight
Beall	Carraway	Hair	Neblett
Belser	Connor	Hodges	Pearce
Boyd	Davis	Houghton	Rodgers
Brackin	Dickinson	Johns	Stenstrom
Branch	Eaton	Johnson	

Nays—7.

Bishop	Morgan	Rawls	Stratton
Clarke	Pope	Rood	

So Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 114 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Davis moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of Executive Business.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate went into Executive Session at 12:43 o'clock P. M.

The Senate emerged from Executive Session at 1:16 o'clock P.M., and resumed its Session.

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

Mr. President	Cabot	Getzen	Neblett
Adams	Carlton	Hair	Pearce
Barber	Carraway	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Clarke	Houghton	Rawls
Belser	Connor	Johns	Rodgers
Bishop	Davis	Johnson	Rood
Boyd	Dickinson	Kelly	Stenstrom
Brackin	Eaton	Kicklitter	Stratton
Branch	Edwards	Knight	
Bronson	Gautier	Morgan	

—38.

A quorum present.

The hour of adjournment having arrived a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 1:17 o'clock P. M., until 11:00 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, April 10, 1957.