

## EXTRAORDINARY SESSION

# JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Thursday, August 9, 1962

The Senate convened at 11:00 o'clock A.M., pursuant to adjournment on Wednesday, August 8, 1962.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	David	Herrell	Pope
Barron	Davis	Johns	Price
Beall	Edwards	Johnson	Ripley
Boyd	Fraser	Kelly	Roberts
Bronson	Galloway	Kicliter	Stratton
Carraway	Gautier	Mapoles	Tucker
Clarke	Getzen	Melton	Young
Connor	Gibbons	Parrish	
Cross	Gresham	Pearce	

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A quorum present.

The following Prayer was offered by the Senate Chaplain, Reverend James H. Paddock:

"In God We Trust" is our motto for every good venture in life. In whatsoever capacity we work, as always we are called upon to give up something for a place and time for service, may this be as bread cast upon the waters.

Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil, and in all right ways of life we would follow Thee, as Lord and Master, for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Senate daily Journal of Wednesday, August 8, 1962, was corrected and as corrected was approved.

### REPORT OF COMMITTEE

Senator Carraway, Chairman of the Committee on Reapportionment, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Joint Resolution:

#### Senate Joint Resolution No. 11-X(62)—

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE VII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA; PROVIDING FOR APPORTIONMENT OF THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE; PROVIDING FOR A STATE CENSUS.

—and recommends that the same pass.

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

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

By Senator Johns—

**S. B. No. 12-X(62)—** A Bill to be entitled An Act providing for division of the state into senatorial districts and apportionment of the Senate; providing for apportionment of the House of Representatives; repealing sections 10.01, 10.02 and 10.03, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

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

By Senator Ripley—

**S. B. No. 13-X(62)—** A Bill to be entitled An Act appropriating fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) emergency reserve fund to be released as needed by the budget commission for court expenses in connection with litigation concerning reapportionment; providing an effective date.

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

The President submitted to the Senate the question of whether or not the following Resolution should be introduced for consideration by the Senate notwithstanding that it did not come within the purview of the Governor's Proclamation convening the Extraordinary Session:

By Senator Mapoles—

#### Senate Resolution No. 14-X(62)—

A RESOLUTION NAMING A BRIDGE IN OKALOOSA COUNTY IN MILLIGAN, FLORIDA CROSSING OVER THE YELLOW RIVER ON U. S. 90 IN HONOR OF WILLIAM H. MAPOLES.

WHEREAS, Honorable William H. Mapoles was a distinguished public servant, a member of the House of Representatives from 1913-1915, and a member of the Senate during the sessions of 1921-1923, 1937-1939, and

WHEREAS, he was largely responsible for the creating of Okaloosa county by the legislature, and

WHEREAS, this legislature desires to commemorate and perpetuate his name in Okaloosa county by naming the bridge over the Yellow River the William H. Mapoles Bridge, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the State Road Department through its appropriate officials is requested to honor William H. Mapoles by preparing a proper plaque and affixing such plaque to the bridge over the Yellow River naming this bridge the William H. Mapoles Bridge.

That a copy of this resolution be sent by the officers of the Senate to the Chairman of the State Road Board for their further consideration and action.

And by a two-thirds affirmative vote of the Senate the Resolution was admitted for introduction and consideration by the Senate, and was read the first time in full.

The question was put on the adoption of the Resolution.

Which was unanimously agreed to and Senate Resolution No. 14-X(62) was adopted.

By Senator Ripley—

#### Senate Memorial No. 15-X(62)—

A MEMORIAL TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA URGING THE CONGRESS TO SUBMIT A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT GRANTING TO THE STATE COURTS EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION OF SUITS AND ACTIONS RELATING TO THE APPORTIONMENT AND REAPPORTIONMENT OF THE MEMBERSHIP OF

STATE LEGISLATURES, AND FURTHER URGING THE CONGRESS TO ENACT IMMEDIATE INTERIM LEGISLATION UNDER ARTICLE III, SECTION 2 OF THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION LIMITING APPELLATE JURISDICTION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

WHEREAS, there is pending litigation in the several federal district courts relating to the method and manner of electing and apportioning members of state legislative bodies; and

WHEREAS, it appears to be the view of the federal judiciary that population numbers are a principal consideration in determining the validity of apportionment laws relating to representation in both houses of a bicameral legislative body; and

WHEREAS, it has long been the custom, usage and law of the State of Florida and the several states that other factors in addition to population ought be considered in arriving at fair and equitable representation in state legislative bodies; and

WHEREAS, the apportionment of the membership of state legislatures, both the house and the senate, is properly a state and not a federal question; and

WHEREAS, such judicial proceedings as are being conducted by the federal judiciary seriously interfere with state's rights in the freedom of government by the people of the several states; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary that the Congress enact suitable laws relating to both the original jurisdiction of the federal district courts and appellate jurisdiction of the United States Supreme Court, pursuant to power vested in the Congress by Article III, Section 2 of the United States Constitution and any other applicable laws until such time as the federal judiciary's encroachment into the field of state legislative apportionment traditionally reserved unto the states, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the Florida Legislature hereby and herein petitions the Congress of the United States of America, and each house and member thereof, to draft, submit and enact a suitable law having the effect of excluding from the original jurisdiction of the federal district courts cases relating to state legislative reapportionment and excluding from the appellate jurisdiction of the United States Supreme Court cases relating to state legislative apportionment pursuant to powers conferred upon the Congress by Article III, Section 2 of the Constitution of the United States, which provides in material part as follows:

“ . . . In all other cases before mentioned, the Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction, both as to law and fact, with such exceptions and under such recommendations as the Congress shall make . . . ”

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Florida Legislature hereby and herein petitions the Congress of the United States of America, and each house and member thereof, to draft and submit a suitable amendment to the United States Constitution, granting to the state courts exclusive jurisdiction of suits and actions relating to the apportionment and reapportionment of the membership of state legislatures; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that copies of this memorial be transmitted forthwith by the Chief Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the Senate of the State of Florida to the President of the United States, and the Vice-President of the United States as presiding officer

of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States, to each of the congressional delegation from Florida in the United States Congress, to each member of the Congress from the several states, to each of the Governors, Secretaries of State and Attorneys General of the several states; and to each of the speakers of the House and Presidents of the Senate of the State Legislatures of the several states; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this memorial be spread upon the journal of both the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Florida, and sufficient copies thereof be furnished to the press.

And Senate Memorial No. 15-X(62) was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Reapportionment.

By Senator Johnson—

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16-X(62)—**

**A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR A JOINT LEGISLATIVE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON APPORTIONMENT; PROVIDING THE MANNER OF SELECTION OF THE MEMBERS THEREOF; PROVIDING POWERS AND DUTIES.**

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court of the United States has decreed that the federal courts may exercise jurisdiction in state apportionment matters, and

WHEREAS, the three-judge federal district court in Florida has concluded that the constitutional and statutory provisions relating to the apportionment of the Florida legislature are invidiously discriminatory, and

WHEREAS, the legislature of the state of Florida has been convened for the purpose of providing a satisfactory apportionment formula, and

WHEREAS, the legislature in special session assembled is endeavoring to solve the apportionment problem of the state of Florida, and

WHEREAS, it appears that irrespective of the apportionment formula adopted by the legislature that this question will require continued and diligent effort on the part of all branches of state government in order to properly protect the rights of our citizens, and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for legislative deliberation, guidance and assistance to coordinate and counsel with those in whom is vested the responsibility of initiating and continuing action in this regard, and

WHEREAS, there exists a need for the legislature to discharge responsibilities in furtherance of the litigation in which the state is involved as well as the possible developments of the future, and

WHEREAS, in view of the critical circumstances in which the state of Florida finds itself, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

Section 1. There is hereby created a joint legislative advisory committee on apportionment to be composed of ten (10) members of the legislature to be appointed as follows:

The President of the Senate shall appoint five (5) members of the Senate; the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint five (5) members of the House of

Representatives; such appointments shall be made as soon as practical after this resolution shall become effective.

When said appointments have been made the committee shall meet and elect a chairman and vice-chairman and organize in such a manner as shall be compatible to the prompt dispatch of the business of the committee. The members of the committee shall serve at the pleasure of the officer making the appointment. Vacancies shall be filled by the officer appointing the vacating member.

Section 2. The committee shall have the duty to establish liaison, counsel and advise with the other members of the legislature, the executive, as well as the judicial branches of government in all matters relating to the complete and satisfactory apportionment of the Florida legislature.

The committee shall have the authority to assemble such data as is deemed necessary, to employ counsel and other persons necessary to carry out its functions and to take such other proper and necessary action as required to carry out its purposes and objectives.

Section 3. All expenses incident to the above shall be paid out of general legislative appropriations provided in section 11.12, Florida Statutes, and millage and per diem of committee members shall be paid at the rate provided in Section 112.106, Florida Statutes, by the State Treasurer upon warrant drawn by the State Comptroller.

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

**ORDER OF THE DAY**

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11-X(62) was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed.

Senator Davis moved that when the Senate adjourns at this session, it recess to reconvene at 3:00 o'clock P.M., this day.

Which was agreed to.

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 11:12 o'clock A.M.

The Senate emerged from Executive Session at 12:59 o'clock P.M., and resumed its Session.

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

Mr. President	David	Herrell	Pope
Barron	Davis	Johns	Price
Beall	Edwards	Johnson	Ripley
Boyd	Fraser	Kelly	Roberts
Bronson	Galloway	Kicliter	Stratton
Carraway	Gautier	Mapoles	Tucker
Clarke	Getzen	Melton	Young
Connor	Gibbons	Parrish	
Cross	Gresham	Pearce	

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A quorum present.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate recessed at 1:00 o'clock P.M., until 3:00 o'clock P.M. this day, pursuant to the motion made by Senator Davis.

**AFTERNOON SESSION**

The Senate reconvened at 3:00 o'clock P.M., pursuant to recess order.

The President in the Chair.

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

Mr. President	David	Herrell	Pope
Barron	Davis	Johns	Price
Beall	Edwards	Johnson	Ripley
Boyd	Fraser	Kelly	Roberts
Bronson	Galloway	Kicliter	Stratton
Carraway	Gautier	Mapoles	Tucker
Clarke	Getzen	Melton	Young
Connor	Gibbons	Parrish	
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—34.

A quorum present.

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

The following message from the House of Representatives was received and read:

Tallahassee, Florida  
August 9, 1962

*The Honorable W. Randolph Hodges*  
*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. Mathews of Duval—

**H. M. No. 18-X**—A memorial to the Congress of the United States of America urging the Congress to submit a Constitutional Amendment reserving, granting and confirming power and jurisdiction relating to the apportionment and reapportionment of the membership of State Legislatures to the states without review of the Federal Courts.

WHEREAS, the apportionment of the membership of State Legislatures, both the House and Senate, is properly a state and not a federal question; and

WHEREAS, there has been some effort recently by some of the lower federal courts, not only to determine the validity of the apportionment or reapportionment of the membership of state legislatures, but also to make apportionment or reapportionment by judicial decree; and

WHEREAS, such judicial proceedings seriously interfere with states' rights and the freedom of government by the people of the several states; and

WHEREAS, such judicial proceedings are a massive repudiation of the experience of our whole past and are a deliberate, palpable and dangerous exercise of powers not granted to the federal judiciary by the United States Constitution, NOW, THEREFORE,

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

That the Florida Legislature hereby and herein petitions the Congress of the United States of America, and each house and member thereof, to draft and submit a suitable amendment to the United States Constitution, specifically reserving, granting and clearly confirming exclusive power and jurisdiction relating to the apportionment and reapportionment of the membership of state legislatures to the several states and to spell out that state action in this field is not subject to review by the Federal Courts.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this memorial be transmitted forthwith by the Chief Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the State of Florida to the President of the United States, and the Vice-President of the United States as presiding officer of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States, to each of the congressional delegation from Florida in the United States Congress, and to each of the Governors, Secretaries of State, and Attorneys General of the several states; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this memorial be spread upon the journal of both the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Florida, and sufficient copies thereof be furnished to the press.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,  
LAMAR BLEDSOE  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

And House Memorial No. 18-X, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Reapportionment.

Senator Davis moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 3:05 o'clock P. M., until 11:00 o'clock A. M., Friday, August 10, 1962.

#### EXECUTIVE SESSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Senate in Executive Session on August 9, 1962, advised and consented to the following appointments made by the Governor:

Tracy L. Riddle, Quincy, Assistant State Attorney, Second Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

Frank M. Scruby, Jacksonville, Assistant State Attorney, Fourth Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

Ben Daniel, Jr., Ocala, Assistant State Attorney, Fifth Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

H. T. Cook, Bunnell, Assistant State Attorney, Seventh Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

Edward L. Bush, Palatka, Assistant State Attorney, Seventh Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

W. Wm. Ellsworth, Jr., Lakeland, Assistant State Attorney, Tenth Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

John H. Treadwell, III, Arcadia, Assistant State Attorney, Twelfth Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

B. C. Nichols, Sarasota, Assistant State Attorney, Twelfth Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

R. J. Fegers, West Hollywood, Assistant State Attorney, Fifteenth Judicial Circuit, for a term ending on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in January 1965.

Edwin L. Madill, Dade City, Member, Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission, First Congressional District, for a term ending January 6, 1963.

Ronald Wise, DeFuniak Springs, Member, Game and

Fresh Water Fish Commission, Third Congressional District, for a term ending January 6, 1967.

Earle M. Fain, Leesburg, Member, State Welfare Board, Fifth Congressional District, for a term ending July 2, 1965.

Dr. J. W. Annis, Lakeland, Member, State Welfare Board, Seventh Congressional District, for a term ending July 2, 1964.

Joe C. Wise, Gainesville, Member, State Welfare Board, Eighth Congressional District, for a term ending July 2, 1965.

Mrs. Katie Seaton, Valparaiso, Member, State Welfare Board, Third Congressional District, for a term ending July 2, 1966.

Raymond E. Barnes, Orlando, Member, Florida State Turnpike Authority, Fifth Congressional District, for a term ending January 10, 1966.

Sam L. Pyles, Member, State Racing Commission, Fifth Congressional District, for a term ending on the first Monday in January 1963.

John Fite Robertson, Sarasota, Member, Florida Board of Parks and Historic Memorials, Third Region, for a term ending July 12, 1965.

Harold B. Crosby, Gainesville, Commissioner for the Promotion of Uniformity of Legislation in the United States, for a term ending June 5, 1963.

Hugh A. Wilson, Jr., Lake City, Member, State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers, State-at-Large, for a term ending July 17, 1965.

J. Orrie Blackburn, Sr., Chipley, Member, State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers, First District, for a term ending July 23, 1965.

R. Cecil Johns, Stuart, Member, State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers, Fifth District, for a term ending July 22, 1964.

Mrs. Thelma P. Nettles, Ocala, Member, State Board of Beauty Culture, District Two, for a term ending June 27, 1964.

Miss Lee Que Renfroe, Pensacola, Member, State Board of Beauty Culture, District Three, for a term ending June 27, 1965.

Henry W. McMillan, St. Augustine, Adjutant General, State of Florida, during pleasure of the Governor.

Charles F. Riggle, Jr., St. Augustine, Brigadier General, Line, Assistant Adjutant General for Air, during the pleasure of the Governor.

Louie C. Wadsworth, St. Augustine, Brigadier General, Line, Assistant Division Commander, 48th Armored Division, during the pleasure of the Governor.

Robert A. Ballard, St. Augustine, Brigadier General, Line, Commanding General, 51st Infantry Division, during the pleasure of the Governor.

Riley S. Miles, Kissimmee, Member, Governing Board, Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District, for a term ending July 12, 1964.

Stanley W. Koller, Melbourne, Member, Governing Board, Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District, for a term ending July 12, 1963.

William Wade Hampton, III, Gainesville, Member, Board of the Alachua County Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, for a term ending September 9, 1965.

C. A. Pound, Jr., Gainesville, Member, Board of the Alachua County Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, for a term ending September 9, 1964.

A. W. Craven, Hernando, Member, Board of the Tsala Apopka Basin Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority in Citrus County, for a term ending December 31, 1962.

M. F. Zellner, Floral City, Member, Board of the Tsala Apopka Basin Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority in Citrus County, for a term ending December 31, 1962.

L. E. Jones, Pensacola, Harbor Master for the Port of Pensacola, for a term ending May 20, 1963.

Francis E. Usina, St. Augustine, Harbor Master, Port of St. Augustine, St. Johns County, for a term ending March 6, 1964.

Jerome Fugate, Jr., Boca Grande, Harbor Master for the Port of Boca Grande, Lee County, for a term ending November 21, 1963.

Jim Quinn, Tampa, Member, Hillsborough County Port Authority, for a term ending November 25, 1965.

William F. Poe, Tampa, Member, Hillsborough County Port Authority, for a term ending November 16, 1965.

E. J. Burrell, Eustis, Member, Board of the Oklawaha Basin Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority in Lake County, for a term ending July 13, 1965.

James R. Carson, Jr., Leesburg, Member, Board of the Oklawaha Basin Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority in Lake County, for a term ending July 13, 1964.

Joseph F. Marques, Jr., Pensacola, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Pensacola, Escambia County, for a term ending June 6, 1965.

Darrell D. Polk, Boca Grande, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Boca Grande, Lee County, for a term ending November 11, 1963.

Dr. Jose C. Sanchez, Key West, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Key West, Monroe County, for a term ending June 19, 1965.

Mr. Lou Smith, Key West, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Key West, Monroe County, for a term ending June 19, 1965.

Ralph Faraldo, Key West, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Key West, Monroe County, for a term ending June 19, 1965.

Dewey Riggs, Key West, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Key West, Monroe County, for a term ending June 19, 1965.

C. M. Harris, Panama City, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Panama City, Bay County, for a term ending June 14, 1965.

Harold C. Pope, Panama City, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Panama City, Bay County, for a term ending June 14, 1965.

Alvin Cook, Panama City, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Panama City, Bay County, for a term ending June 14, 1965.

Fred Gainer, Panama City, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Panama City, Bay County, for a term ending June 14, 1965.

T. Y. Bingham, Panama City, Pilot Commissioner for

the Port of Panama City, Bay County, for a term ending June 14, 1965.

Jackson J. Woodward, Fernandina Beach, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Fernandina Beach, Nassau County, for a term ending September 27, 1965.

Thomas J. Clark, Fernandina Beach, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Fernandina Beach, Nassau County, for a term ending September 27, 1965.

Dr. James B. Stewart, Fernandina Beach, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Fernandina Beach, Nassau County, for a term ending September 27, 1965.

I. W. Hardee, Jr., Fernandina Beach, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Fernandina Beach, Nassau County, for a term ending September 27, 1965.

H. F. Sahlman, Fernandina Beach, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Fernandina Beach, Nassau County, for a term ending September 27, 1965.

R. E. Word, Oxford, Member, The Board of the Sumter County Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, District No. 1, for a term ending November 9, 1962.

G. B. Tompkins, Coleman, Member, The Board of the Sumter County Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, District No. 2, for a term ending November 16, 1965.

A. W. Lee, Jr., Wildwood, Member, The Board of the Sumter County Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, District No. 3, for a term ending December 3, 1965.

Colin Beville, Bushnell, Member, The Board of the Sumter County Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, District No. 4, for a term ending October 9, 1965.

B. M. Hewitt, Webster, Member, The Board of the Sumter County Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, District No. 5, for a term ending December 1, 1963.

R. E. Word, Oxford, Member, The Board of the Sumter County Recreation and Water Conservation and Control Authority, District No. 1, for a term ending November 9, 1966.

Mr. Carroll Anderson, Fort Lauderdale, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, Broward County, for a term ending August 16, 1963.

John W. Oakley, Miami, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, Dade County, for a term ending October 2, 1963.

Tommy Bronson, Moore Haven, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, Glades County, for a term ending February 9, 1964.

G. E. Etherton, Clewiston, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, Hendry County, for a term ending August 15, 1963.

R. J. Hargrove, Venus, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, Highlands County, for a term ending August 7, 1963.

James M. Myers, Jr., Indiantown, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, Martin County, for a term ending August 7, 1963.

Lester W. Jennings, Jr., Okeechobee, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, Okeechobee County, for a term ending August 7, 1963.

Fritz Stein, Jr., Belle Glade, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, Palm Beach County, for a term ending August 15, 1963.

Horace B. Jones, Ft. Pierce, Member, Board of Commissioners of the Everglades Fire Control District, St. Lucie County, for a term ending August 7, 1963.

E. D. Anthony, Jr., West Palm Beach, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Palm Beach, for a term ending September 12, 1965.

F. J. Rief, Sr., Palm Beach, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Palm Beach, for a term ending August 29, 1965.

Claude L. Shirley, Sr., Pahokee, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Palm Beach, for a term ending September 12, 1965.

Thomas H. Johnson, Riviera Beach, Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Palm Beach, for a term ending September 29, 1965.

John Rybovich, Jr., West Palm Beach, Pilot Commis-

sioner for the Port of Palm Beach, for a term ending August 29, 1965.

The Senate in Executive Session on August 9, 1962, upon the recommendation of the Governor, removed from office:

George A. Harris, Justice of the Peace in and for District No. Four, Duval County.

C. Robert Stuler, Member of the Board of County Commissioners, Pinellas County.

Henry P. Sauls, Constable in and for District No. One, Taylor County.

The Senate in Executive Session on August 9, 1962, refused to remove from office as recommended by the Governor Martin Kellenberger, as Sheriff of Palm Beach County, Florida.

The Senate in Executive Session on August 9, 1962, also refused to remove from office as recommended by the Governor W. T. Woodward, as Constable in and for District No. Twelve, Duval County, Florida.