

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Tuesday, April 27, 1965

The Senate was called to order by the President at 11:00 A.M. The following Senators were recorded present:

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
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44. A quorum present.

Prayer by the Reverend J. D. Bowen, Chaplain:

Dear Father, in the quiet of this moment, we stand before thee, an imperfect lot. At times selfishness and jealousy might be seen written all over us. Yet, in our better moments we can see our fellow man's rights, and thine. O, Father, may we experience many of these better moments today. For Christ's sake. Amen.

Senator Melton introduced to the Senate Messrs. Jack Shinholser of Tallahassee and Jack Edwards of Tampa, currently attending Florida State University, and members of its famed Seminoles, and Larry Dupree of Macclenny, now attending the University of Florida and on its equally famous football team, the Florida Gators, recounting their brilliant athletic achievements. On motion of Senator Melton that a Committee be appointed to escort Messrs. Shinholser, Edwards and Dupree to the rostrum, the President appointed Senators Melton, Carraway and Gautier. The young athletes were escorted to the rostrum where they were greeted by applause of the Senate.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Journal of April 20 was further corrected and approved as follows:

Page 112, column 2, between lines 16 and 17 insert the following: The bill was certified to the House.

The Journal of April 23 was further corrected and approved as follows:

Page 150, column 1, line 32, strike "by title" and insert the following: in full

Page 151, column 1, line 19, strike "278.04" and insert 378.04

Page 152, column 2, line 11, strike "601.01" and insert 601.10

The Journal of April 26 was corrected and approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Claims recommends the following pass:

SB 140 with 2 amendments

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Claims recommends the following pass:

HB 13 with 2 amendments

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Reorganization recommends the following pass:

SB 318 SB 319

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Governmental Reorganization recommends the following pass:

SB 484

The bill was referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation under the original reference.

The Committee on Governmental Reorganization recommends the following pass:

SB 339

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary "A" recommends the following pass:

SB 323 with 3 amendments	SB 368 with 2 amendments
SB 320 with 3 amendments	SB 408 with 2 amendments
SB 22 with 1 amendment	SB 454 with 2 amendments
SB 358 with 1 amendment	SB 474
SB 450 with 2 amendments	SB 452 with 1 amendment
SB 517 with 2 amendments	SB 125
SB 516 with 1 amendment	SB 335 with 1 amendment

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Judiciary "A" recommends the following pass:

SB 383 with 2 amendments

The bill was referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation under the original reference.

The Committee on Judiciary "A" recommends the following pass:

HB 390	HB 166 with 1 amendment
HB 389 with 1 amendment	HB 168 with 1 amendment

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Livestock recommends the following pass:

SB 413

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation recommends the following pass:

SB 514

The bill was placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Pensions and Retirement recommends the following pass:

SB 18

The bill was referred to the Committee on Appropriations under the original reference.

The Committee on Pensions and Retirement recommends the following pass:

SB 499

The bill was placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Pensions and Retirement recommends the following pass:

HB 171 HB 209

The bills were placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on State Institutions recommends the following pass:

SB 4

The bill was placed on the Calendar.

The Committee on Transportation and Highway Safety recommends a Committee Substitute for the following:

SB 212

The bill with Committee Substitute attached was referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A" under the original reference.

The Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation recommends the following not pass:

SB 250

SB 251

SB 252

The bills were laid on the table.

ENGROSSING REPORTS

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred—

SB 321 with 3 amendments SB 524 with 1 amendment

—reports that the Senate amendments have been incorporated and the bills are returned herewith.

EDWIN G. FRASER
Secretary of the Senate

The bills were certified to the House.

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred—

SB 338 with 2 amendments

—reports that the House amendments have been incorporated and the bill is returned herewith.

EDWIN G. FRASER
Secretary of the Senate

The bill was ordered enrolled.

INTRODUCTION

By Senator Davis—

SB 557—A bill to be entitled An act relating to alcoholics, involuntary treatment and rehabilitation; amending chapter 396, Florida Statutes, by adding sections 396.131, 396.141, and 396.151; providing for involuntary treatment and temporary care for alcoholics; providing the procedure to be followed for such involuntary treatment; providing for financing from state alcoholic beverage tax funds to accomplish the purposes of this act; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on State Institutions; and Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Thomas—

SB 558—A bill to be entitled An act relating to nonpoisonous drugs, prohibited uses; prohibiting the placing of such drugs into the food or drink of another person; providing that violation is a misdemeanor; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Health "B".

By Senators Thomas and Johnson (19th)—

SB 559—A bill to be entitled An act relating to jurors and jury lists, qualifications; amending section 40.01(1), Florida Statutes, by striking the proviso requiring a female person to register with the clerk of the circuit court; providing that expectant mothers, and mothers with children under eighteen (18) years of age, upon their request, may be exempted from grand and petit jury duty; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A".

By Senator Thomas—

SB 560—A bill to be entitled An act relating to salt water fisheries and conservation, seafood dealers; amending section 370.07, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (6); prohibiting purchase of salt water fish or salt water products from unlicensed commercial fishermen; providing a penalty; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Salt Water Conservation.

By Senators Melton, Askew and Mathews—

SJR 561—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Article XII of the State Constitution adding a section to be numbered by the secretary of state relating to education, county school tax, trustees, millage elections; abolishing the office of county special tax district trustee; eliminating special school tax district millage elections; providing for a referendum.

Was read the first time in full and referred to the Committees on Constitutional Amendments; and Education—Public Schools and Junior Colleges.

By Senators Melton, Edwards, Friday, Whitaker, Spottswood, Cleveland and Covington—

SB 562—A bill to be entitled An act providing for the assessment of a compensatory road tax upon motor carriers operating for compensation over the public highways of Florida; the method of collection and distribution of such tax; amending sections 323.15, 323.16, and 350.78, Florida Statutes, and changing the phrase "mileage tax" to "road tax" wherever it appears in the statutes.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Motor Vehicles; and Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Friday—

SB 563—A bill to be entitled An act relating to elections; amending section 97.041, Florida Statutes, relating to qualifications to register; amending section 98.111, Florida Statutes, relating to registration form, information required; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

By Senators Johnson (6th) and Friday—

SB 564—A bill to be entitled An act relating to real property, marketable record titles; amending section 712.04, Florida Statutes, to include certain state agencies in the exemption provision.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B".

By Senators Price and Mathews—

SB 565—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the board of regents; repealing the educational extension act of 1963; providing for coordination of continuing education; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education—Higher Learning.

By Senator Dressler—

SB 566—A bill to be entitled An act amending section 4 of chapter 59-1121, Laws of Florida, special acts of 1959 relating to the creation and incorporation of the Cape Canaveral hospital district, Brevard county, Florida, by providing for the issuance of revenue certificates; and for the payment of principal thereof and interest thereon from the operation of hospital facilities in such district; and providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to SB 566.

On motions of Senator Dressler, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and SB 566 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Cleveland	Gautier	Johnson (6th)
Askew	Covington	Gibson	McCarty
Barber	Cross	Griffin	McDonald
Barron	Daniel	Haverfield	McLaughlin
Bronson	Davis	Henderson	Mapoles
Carlton	Dressler	Hollahan	Mathews
Carraway	Edwards	Johns	Melton
Clarke	Friday	Johnson (19th)	Pearce

Pope	Ryan	Tapper	Whitaker
Price	Spottswood	Thomas	Williams
Roberts	Stratton	Usher	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

By Senator Cleveland—

SB 567—A bill to be entitled An act relating to reciprocal support of dependents; amending the introductory paragraph of section 88.171, Florida Statutes, designating the statutory revision department as the state information agency; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A".

By Senator Roberts—

SB 568—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the stephen foster memorial commission; authorizing the board of commissioners of state institutions to acquire and construct certain buildings and other facilities for use by the stephen foster memorial commission; authorizing the stephen foster memorial commission to acquire necessary rights of way for access to the memorial and other facilities operated by said commission; authorizing the stephen foster memorial commission and the board of commissioners of state institutions to enter into a lease purchase agreement with the Florida development commission and to pay rentals pursuant to such agreement; authorizing the issuance of bonds or revenue certificates to finance such acquisition and construction; and, providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Carlton—

SB 569—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; amending section 320.08, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (13); permitting automobile owners, receiving state welfare relief as a recipient of old age assistance, a special license fee; providing that there be no distinguishing markings on said tags; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Williams—

SB 570—A bill to be entitled An act for the relief of Irene Mayo; making an appropriation to compensate her for the death of her husband; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Claims and Appropriations.

By Senators Hollahan and Ryan—

SB 571—A bill to be entitled An act relating to auto transportation between county airports in any county in the state having a population of not less than 300,000 nor more than 350,000 and any county having a population greater than 900,000, according to the latest official decennial census; authorizing the board of county commissioners to enter into contracts with automobile transportation companies to provide transportation to and from county airports; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

By Senators Hollahan, Edwards and Mathews—

SB 572—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporations; amending section 608.03, Florida Statutes, pertaining to the information required in articles of incorporation; adding a new section 608.032 to require regulatory agency approval prior to incorporating; amending section 608.18 relating to acknowledgment of amendments; amending section 608.27(1) to require the corporation to publish preliminary notice of dissolution; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Senator Carraway presiding.

By Senators Johns, Askew, Barber, Barron, Bronson, Carlton, Carraway, Clarke, Cleveland, Connor, Covington, Cross, Daniel,

Davis, Dressler, Edwards, Friday, Gautier, Gibson, Griffin, Haverfield, Henderson, Hollahan, Johnson (19th), Johnson (6th), McCarty, McDonald, McLaughlin, Mapoles, Mathews, Melton, Pearce, Pope, Price, Roberts, Ryan, Spottswood, Stratton, Tapper, Thomas, Usher, Whitaker, Williams and Young—

SR 573—A resolution in commemoration of Honorable Cecil M. Webb.

WHEREAS, in departing on February 4, 1965, for "that bourn from which no traveler returns," Cecil Mayo Webb left his state and his nation bereft of a highly gifted and talented business executive devoted with equal intensity to inimitable service in the role of private as well as public citizen, and

WHEREAS, he left his innumerable friends "mute, motionless, aghast"; plunged in an abysmal grief in contemplation of the colossal loss that had come to them, and

WHEREAS, he left a family immersed in eternal sorrow for the going out of one whose love of his family was to him a ritual and upon whose escutcheon there could be found no blot in his role of counselor, provider and protector to the ends of honesty, integrity, forthrightness of purpose and good citizenship, and

WHEREAS, his contributions to the welfare of society, his works and achievements, are so numerous and so great in degree that the recording thereof could do naught but serve as an inspiration to posterity, and

WHEREAS, those who held him in the warm embrace of friendship, and knew him for the true friend and unalloyed gentleman that he was, would pay respect to him in memory of his innate modesty, his honor and integrity, his loyalty and uprightness, his vision and ability that raised him above the common walks of man, his greatness and goodness, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Senate of the State of Florida:

That there be recorded upon the pages of the Journal of the Florida Senate that which is more fully set out in the records indelibly inscribed upon the hearts of his friends:

IN MEMORIAM

CECIL MAYO WEBB

No circumstance of affluence attending his birth contributed to the phenomenal pecuniary and pro bono publico achievements and successes of Cecil Webb. He was born on December 16, 1906, in the town of Richland, Georgia, of a family wealthy in spirituality but of very indifferent financial status. As a result of the latter condition his scholastic training was curtailed at an early age and without completing grammar school he set forth in the business world.

He moved to the State of Florida in his early years and became one of its most influential and respected citizens.

His health was not always good but surmounting all obstacles he persevered to a point at the date of his untimely demise where "nature might stand up and say to all the world, 'This is a man'" for as founder and President of the Dixie Lily Milling Company, he caused extensive research to be conducted at his own expense for the purpose of arriving at a cure or alleviation of heart ailments.

He also became a commercial cattle rancher. An ardent lover of nature, he made a discovery at his ranch in Marion County that is perhaps the most outstanding contribution to wildlife conservation made in the United States in recent years. He observed that since Man's advent into the wilderness, the cycle of continuous adequate supply of Nature's food for quail had been so seriously disrupted, that regardless of the limited hunting privileges, quail were diminishing in number. He instituted a series of experiments and developed a system of quail feeding stations for year-round supplemental food for wild quail, which system fitted in with the basic biological principal that the amount of wildlife directly depends on the amount of food continuously available, and proved that the supply of wild quail can be vastly increased in any area regardless of shooting, by the maintenance of the "Webb Feeder Plan." Not content with the discovery and proof of such plan, he devoted his enormous energy and persuasive ability to make said plan an integral part of Florida Conservation. Mr. Webb was able to convince the public of the merits of his plan and this system

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He endeavored to make the wildlife resources of the State available without hindrance to all citizens, regardless of financial status, and to that end fought vigorously for a system of public hunting grounds throughout the State of Florida, resulting in developing over 2,000,000 acres of managed public hunting grounds in Florida.

He was appointed to the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission by Governor Caldwell in 1947 and served as Chairman of that Commission under Governor Warren and Governor McCarty. While Chairman, he originated and carried out a program whereby the State acquired nearly two million acres of land for game management purposes. The Commission honored him by naming the State owned management area in Charlotte County the "Cecil M. Webb Game Reserve."

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Senator Johns presented to the Senate Mrs. Cecil M. Webb of Tampa, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb of Chipley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webb of Williston, Mr. Ray Webb of Jacksonville, widow, sons, daughters-in-law and brother, respectively, of the late Honorable Cecil M. Webb; and Mr. and Mrs. Bart Peardon of Jacksonville, Mr. B. J. Phelps of Orlando, Mr. Jim Statum of Williston, Mr. Oscar Cashwell of Orlando, Mr. Earl Streach of Columbus, Georgia, and Mr. and Mrs. John White of Spartanburg, South Carolina, who, during his lifetime, were counted among his close friends.

They were recognized by the Senate standing.

Following a eulogy by Senator Johns, Senators Edwards, Usher, Connor, Tapper and Whitaker each in turn arose and paid tribute to the exceptional qualities of the late Honorable Cecil M. Webb as a kindly neighbor, loyal friend, gracious host, munificent philanthropist and local, state and national business executive without peer.

The President in the Chair.

At the request of the President, the Senate stood for a period in silent prayer for the late Honorable Cecil M. Webb.

By Senator Johnson (6th)—

SB 574—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education; designating Gadsden county as a location of a vocational-technical school; providing effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education-Public Schools and Junior Colleges.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 575—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Chapter 601, Florida Statutes, by adding thereto a section to be designated as Section 601.153; providing for a national educational and advertising program to be conducted by the Florida citrus commission for the purpose of encouraging the sales and use of Florida oranges and orange products and preventing the deception and confusion of consumers in the sale and marketing of orange products; providing for the imposition and collection of an excise tax to carry out the foregoing; providing for incentive refunds based on advertising expenditures in furtherance of advertising orange products processed in Florida; granting to the Florida citrus commission the power to promulgate and enforce rules and regulations to carry out the terms and provisions of this act; creating a processors advertising committee; providing penalties for the violation of this act and any rules and regulations of the commission pertaining thereto; and repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing for an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 576—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.60, Florida Statutes, by providing that

previously issued licenses may be reviewed by the commission in accordance with the standards prescribed for the original issuance of new licenses if, during any shipping season, there is any change in the ownership, officers, managership, or stockholders of any co-partnership, association, corporation or other business unit which previously was granted a license; granting the commission power to recommend to the commissioner of agriculture that the said license be suspended or revoked; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

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SB 577—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending paragraph (a) of subsection (3) of Section 601.15, Florida Statutes; repealing subparagraph 601.15 (3)(a)2. thereof; increasing the excise tax on oranges from 6¢ to 8¢ per standard packed box and repealing the 3¢ per box additional excise tax on oranges; and providing for an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 578—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending sub-section (7) of Section 601.15, Florida Statutes, by limiting to twenty-four percent of the Florida citrus advertising trust fund all expenditures for activities authorized by Section 601.13 and 601.14, Florida Statutes, and for the cost of those general overhead, maintenance, salaries, professional fees, enforcement costs, and other such expenses which are not related to advertising, merchandising, public relations, trade luncheons, publicity and other associated activities; providing an appropriation; removing the limitation upon the time during which excise taxes on oranges are appropriated to the emergency reserve fund and increasing such appropriation from 20% to 25% of the excise taxes imposed on oranges by Section 601.15, Florida Statutes; terminating refunds for brand advertising of fresh grapefruit with respect to grapefruit first handled in the primary channel of trade subsequent to July 31, 1965; and providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 579—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending subsection (2) of Section 601.14, Florida Statutes, by eliminating the maximum amount appropriated for investigating transportation problems affecting citrus, providing an appropriation, and providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 580—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.601, Florida Statutes, so as to apply also to persons engaged in weighing citrus fruit under specified circumstances; and providing for an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 581—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending subsection (2) of section 601.03, Florida Statutes, by amending the definition of "Agent"; providing for an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 582—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Florida agricultural experiment station; providing an appropriation from the state general revenue fund to university of Florida agricultural experiment station located at Lake Alfred, Polk county; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 583—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Chapter 601, Florida Statutes, by adding a new section to be designated as Section 601.0115, authorizing the modification of the requirements of Sections 601.0104 through 601.0108 within specified limitations by regulation promulgated by the commission after published notice, public hearing, affirmative vote of nine members of the commission, and approval of three-fourths of the members of the applicable quality committee; creating a concentrate quality committee, a canned juice quality committee, and a chilled juice quality committee; and providing for the appointment of the members thereof; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 584—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.291, Florida Statutes, relating to filing reports of sale of citric acid with the commissioner of agriculture; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 585—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.641, Florida Statutes, by making it unlawful to fraudulently claim or represent to be an agent of a licensed citrus fruit dealer; by making it unlawful to make false claims as to status of seller of citrus fruit or as to condition, grade, quality, quantity, grove origin, or producer's name and address of any citrus fruit sold; and providing for an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 586—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending section 601.10, Florida Statutes, by adding a new sub-section (8) to empower the commission to determine when the tax revenues collected pursuant to Chapter 601, Florida Statutes, are not immediately needed for the purpose for which such funds are provided and to withdraw such idle funds from the state treasury and invest them in United States government securities, notwithstanding the provisions of Chapters 18, 215 and 216, Florida Statutes, and unless reinvested, to pay the principal and interest collected into the Florida citrus advertising trust fund, and providing for an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 587—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Chapter 601, Florida Statutes, by adding a new section to be designated as Section 601.0116; authorizing the commission to issue experimental permits for the processing, shipping and sale of 100,000 cases of frozen concentrated orange juice to which a sweetening ingredient has been added; providing for additional experimental permits for frozen concentrated orange juice to which a sweetening ingredient has been added to be issued during the 1965-66 shipping season of not to exceed 10% of the packer's previous seasons volume after a public hearing; further providing for the issuance of additional experimental permits during the 1966-67 shipping season after public hearing for not more than 20% of the packer's previous seasons volume; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 588—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.72, Florida Statutes; providing for penalties for violation of Chapter 601, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 589—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Chapter 601, Florida Statutes, by adding a new section designated as Section 601.471, by providing that the term "canned or concentrated products of citrus fruit" as used in Sections 601.48 through 601.54, Florida Statutes, shall be deemed to include chilled citrus juice, chilled citrus sections, or otherwise processed products of citrus fruit; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 590—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.64, Florida Statutes by adding thereto subsections (6) and (7) relating to and defining unlawful acts of licensed citrus fruit dealers; covering violations of any law of Florida governing or applicable to citrus fruit dealers, including any provision of Chapter 601, Florida Statutes, not specifically otherwise set forth in Section 601.64, Florida Statutes; and also covering and including violations by any citrus fruit dealer of any rule or regulation duly promulgated by the Florida citrus commission; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 591—A bill to be entitled An act relating to motor vehicle licenses; amending subsection (19) of Section 320.01, Florida Statutes, relating to general definition of farm tractor and farm trailer; changing the definition of farm trailer; providing effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 592—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending section 601.70, Florida Statutes, relating to inspection of records of licensed citrus fruit dealers by the commissioner of agriculture; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 593—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending paragraph (b) of subsection (8) of Section 601.15, Florida Statutes, providing that the Florida citrus commission is authorized to spend such sums as it deems advisable in connection with guests involved in promotional activities in the sale of Florida citrus fruits and products and providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 594—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.06, Florida Statutes, to provide that the commission members shall receive the sum of \$25 per day to cover personal expenses while attending commission functions or business, together with transportation, telephone and telegraph expenses, and providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 595—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.59, Florida Statutes, by providing that the annual fee for a citrus fruit dealers license shall be \$10 if paid prior to September 1 in the season for which the license is granted and, commencing September 1 of each season, the annual fee shall be periodically increased at the rate of \$5 per month for the remainder of the season; providing for an agent's registration fee; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 596—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending section 601.69, Florida Statutes, relating to records required to be kept by citrus fruit dealers, so as to add thereto subsections (8) and (9) so as to require records to be kept showing the sale or disposition of citrus fruit by a dealer when purchased for purpose of resale or commercial disposition by such dealer so purchasing the same initially, and any such other or further records which may be required to be kept by rule or regulation of the Florida citrus commission duly promulgated; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 597—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.13, Florida Statutes, by eliminating the maximum amounts appropriated for citrus research based upon percentages of the money derived from advertising excise taxes levied upon citrus fruit, providing an appropriation, and providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 598—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Chapter 601, Florida Statutes, by the addition thereto of a section to be designated Section 601.151 relative to excise taxes levied on grapefruit, oranges, temples, murcotts and tangelos; providing for an additional excise tax of 2¢ per box on grapefruit, oranges, temples, murcotts and tangelos sold or delivered for shipment in fresh form; providing for a reserve fund for rebate for brand advertising pursuant to regulations of the Florida citrus commission; providing for application of certain provisions of said Chapter 601 to this act; and providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

By Senators Covington and Griffin—

SB 599—A bill to be entitled An act relating to citrus; amending Section 601.152, Florida Statutes, concerning special campaigns and relating to policy decisions, handlers, committees, time during which funds may be expended, effective date of orders, time for filing protests, procedure for amendments, maximum limitations upon assessments, disposition of unused funds, and providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Citrus Fruits.

On motion of Senator Ryan, SB 543 was withdrawn from the Committee on Transportation and Highway Safety.

Unanimous consent was granted Senator Ryan to take up out of order—

SB 543—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Broward county; providing for the appointment of sub-agents by the county judges of Broward county, for the sale and issuance of driver's licenses; setting the amounts of service charges permitted and ratifying service charges heretofore made by sub-agent; prescribing who may be appointed as sub-agents; and providing an effective date.

On motions of Senator Ryan, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and SB 543 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
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Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

On motion of Senator Mathews, SB 42 was withdrawn from the Committee on State Institutions.

On motion of Senator Cleveland, Senate Bills 367 and 369 were withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary "A". By permission, Senator Cleveland withdrew Senate Bills 367 and 369 from the Senate.

On motion of Senator Askew, the Committee on Claims was granted an additional five days for the consideration of all bills now in the Committee.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following messages were read:

The Honorable James E. Connor April 27, 1965
President of the Senate

Sir:

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

SB 256

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

The bill, contained in the above message, was ordered enrolled.

The Honorable James E. Connor April 26, 1965
President of the Senate

Sir:

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

By Representative McPherson of Broward—

HB 213—A bill to be entitled An act relating to county public schools, sick leave of instructional personnel; amending section 231.40(1), Florida Statutes, relating to accumulated sick leave allowable; authorizing county boards of public instruction to grant to all teachers two (2) days emergency leave to be counted as sick leave, such leave to be noncumulative.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HB 213, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education-Public Schools and Junior Colleges.

The Honorable James E. Connor April 26, 1965
President of the Senate

Sir:

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

By Representative Basford of Duval and others—

HCR 460—A concurrent resolution directed to the West German government to dispense with the limitations on the prosecution of capital crimes.

WHEREAS, the limitations provision observed by the west German government places a limitation on the prosecution of capital crimes which will prevent the ultimate apprehension and trial of Nazi war criminals responsible for horrible atrocities during the preceding World War II, and,

WHEREAS, these crimes are offenses against humanity and not limited to any country or people, and,

WHEREAS, many residents of Florida were affected by these atrocities, either personally or through relatives and friends, and,

WHEREAS, the legislature of the state of Florida desires to have all persons responsible for the extreme atrocities and genocide punished, and,

WHEREAS, there is no limitations period for the punishment of capital crimes in the state of Florida, United States of America, and,

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that west Germany should remove their limitations provisions, and,

WHEREAS, it appears to the legislature of the state of Florida that those charged with the above crimes are tried by juries composed of the German people which gives the accused his fairest forum, and,

WHEREAS, this limitations provision becomes effective May 8, 1965, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

That the legislature of the state of Florida hereby urges the west Germany government to extend its limitations provision applying to Nazi war atrocities for an indefinite period and make appropriate provision for the complete and ultimate prosecution of all persons responsible therefor, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Chancellor of the West German Government, the President of the United States, the President of the United States Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States Congress, and to members of the Florida delegation in Congress.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HCR 460, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Resolutions and Memorials.

The Honorable James E. Connor April 26, 1965
President of the Senate

Sir:

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

By Representatives McDonald of Suwannee and Lancaster of Gilchrist—

HM 751—A Memorial to the Congress of the United States to continue to provide technical assistance to soil and water conservation districts and their cooperating landowners and operators without cost in accordance with a long-established policy, and to increase technical assistance requested by the soil and water conservation districts in Florida and throughout the nation needed by landowners and operators to accelerate the planning and application of conservation measures on their privately owned land.

WHEREAS, the Bureau of the Budget has proposed that the Soil Conservation Service appropriation for assisting locally managed Soil and Water Conservation Districts be reduced by twenty million dollars and that Soil and Water Conservation Districts and cooperating farmers, ranchers and other landowners shall pay the Federal Government up to fifty per cent of the cost of technical assistance furnished in the design, layout and installation of planned soil and water conservation practices on their lands, and

WHEREAS, the Federal Government has, for some thirty years, provided technical assistance to owners and operators of privately owned lands believing that it is in the total public interest, and one of the most urgent national needs to protect and improve the soil and water resources of this Nation, and

WHEREAS, over ninety per cent of Florida's privately owned land is included in its fifty-nine Soil Conservation Districts, and nearly one third of Florida's farmers and ranchers are annually using the technical assistance in the design, layout and installation of planned soil and water conservation measures on their lands, and

WHEREAS, the Supervisors of such Districts have continuously requested additional technical assistance to meet the needs of farmers and ranchers to accelerate the application of conservation practices, and

WHEREAS, state-wide storms and floods of disastrous proportions have resulted in heavy erosion and loss of valuable top soil, in heavy sediment deposits in our lakes, streams and rivers which also have spread over valuable bottom lands and other flood damage to both public and private property together

with destruction or severe damage to thousands of water control and use structures, requiring greater rather than reduced efforts in the application of soil and water conservation practices, and

WHEREAS, if this proposal is adopted it would break faith with the Legislature of Florida which has been providing State funds for soil and water conservation with the understanding that the local-state-federal team effort would be maintained as a team effort for the universal good of the Nation and all its people, and

WHEREAS, such assessments of payments to the Federal Government will discourage and seriously curtail the application of soil and water conservation measures on lands so vital to the strength and welfare of the State of Florida and the Nation and will seriously affect the harvest on family farms and the holdings of small operators, and

WHEREAS, this proposed additional burden added to the costs of farmers and ranchers already in a depressed economic condition would limit the ability of these people to participate in the existing Soil and Water Conservation District programs and similar programs which have in the past contributed substantially to conservation development, and prudent use of these soil and water resources, NOW, THEREFORE,

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

That the Legislature of the State of Florida respectfully makes application to the Congress of the United States to continue the long-established policy of providing technical assistance to Soil and Water Conservation Districts and their cooperating landowners and operators without requiring them to pay the Federal Government any portion of cost of such technical assistance.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Congress provide the increases in technical assistance requested by the Soil and Water Conservation Districts in Florida and throughout the Nation to meet the needs of landowners and operators to accelerate the planning and application of conservation measures on their privately owned lands.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Honorable Lyndon B. Johnson, President of the United States, the President of the United States Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Administrator of the Soil Conservation Service, and to each Senator and Representative in Congress from the State of Florida.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HM 751, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Resolutions and Memorials.

The Honorable James E. Connor April 26, 1965
President of the Senate

Sir:

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

By Representative Arnold of Duval—

HCR 368—A concurrent resolution to the Florida delegation in the congress of the United States urging them to secure the extension of interstate highway number seventy-five from Tampa to Miami.

Whereas, the national system of interstate highways are becoming the most important network for civilian travel and are also intended to facilitate the defense of the nation, and

Whereas, the present termination of interstate highway number seventy-five at Tampa leaves the two largest populated centers of the state of Florida without such traffic connection for civilian travel and provides no assistance for defense traffic between these major areas except upon already overcrowded and underdesigned highways largely of two lane construction, and

Whereas, the continuing growth of the state and the unimproved international situation under which communist forces

reportedly are based in Cuba and are roaming the Gulf of Mexico makes the lack of major highway facilities in the lower portion of the Florida peninsula a matter of ever deepening concern to all Floridians, Now, Therefore,

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Florida, the Senate Concurring:

That it urges the extension of interstate highway number seventy-five from the vicinity of Tampa to the vicinity of Miami at the earliest possible opportunity and that by this resolution it expresses to the members of the Florida delegation to the congress of the United States the concern of all Floridians with the need for a major highway transportation link between the state's two major population centers.

Be It Further Resolved that copies of this resolution be dispatched to each of the members of the Florida delegation aforesaid.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HCR 368, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Public Roads and Highways.

The Honorable James E. Connor
President of the Senate

April 27, 1965

Sir:

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

By Representative Land of Orange and others—

HB 542—A bill to be entitled An act requiring the fee officers of all counties having a population of not less than two hundred thirty thousand (230,000) and not more than three hundred thousand (300,000) according to the latest official decennial census, to pay each month to the board of county commissioners the surplus funds as defined in the act which the fee officer has on hand as an advance payment of his excess fees for the current fiscal year; providing for a refund to the officer if overpayment has been made and withholding of payment by an officer under certain conditions; providing for an effective date.

By Representative Land of Orange and others—

HB 540—A bill to be entitled An act relating to all judicial circuits in the state having a population of not less than five hundred twenty-five thousand (525,000) and not more than five hundred fifty-seven thousand (557,000) according to the latest official decennial census; authorizing each county affected by this act to supplement the budget of the state attorney for office expenses; providing that the supplement is a proper county purpose; providing for an effective date.

By Representative Land of Orange and others—

HB 557—A bill to be entitled An act creating the position of official court reporter of the criminal court of record in and for Orange County; prescribing the duties, salary and per diem rates for the official court reporter; authorizing the said reporter to appoint one (1) or more deputies; repealing Chapter 61-117, General Laws of Florida, 1961; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Turlington of Alachua—

HB 727—A bill to be entitled An act relating to counties of the state having a population of not less than seventy thousand (70,000) and not more than seventy-four thousand two hundred (74,200) according to the latest official decennial census; providing for payments to legislators as remuneration for expenses of legislative duties; providing an effective date.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HB 542, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Johnson (19th), the rules

were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 542 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

HB 540, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Johnson (19th), the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 540 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 557.

HB 557, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Johnson (19th), the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 557 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

HB 727, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Cross, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 727 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

The Honorable James E. Connor
President of the Senate

April 27, 1965

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

By Representative Crews of Baker—

HB 951—A bill to be entitled An act relating to race track

funds, distribution in any county having a population of not less than six thousand eight hundred (6,800) nor more than seven thousand four hundred (7,400), according to the latest official decennial census; providing for allotment and disbursement of additional moneys distributed to any such county out of revenues produced by the additional tax on dog racing levied by and under the provisions of chapter 29694, Laws of Florida, 1955; repealing chapter 63-1071, Laws of Florida; providing an effective date.

By Representative Lancaster of Gilchrist—

HB 953—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the city of Trenton, mayor and city manager; amending section 11(a) and adding section 11(g) of the city charter, chapter 27940, Laws of Florida, 1951; prescribing powers and duties of mayor-commissioner; providing for appointment, powers and duties of a city manager; providing effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Karst of Indian River—

HB 955—A bill to be entitled An act establishing and fixing the compensation to be paid to the county tax assessor of Indian River County, Florida, for assessing the taxes of the sebastian river drainage district; declaring the same special services and not a part of the general income of the office; ratifying certain acts of the board of supervisors of the sebastian river drainage district in conformity herewith; making the provisions of this act cumulative and providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Roddenberry of Wakulla—

HB 957—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the town of St. Marks in Wakulla county; amending sections 11, 21, 35 and 116 of chapter 63-1872, Laws of Florida, being the charter of said town; providing that the mayor be selected on a rotating basis; clarifying the implication of the town commissioners in presiding at mayor's court; requiring the town attorney to be a member of the Florida bar in good standing; changing the hours the polls shall be open; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HB 951, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Stratton, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 951 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 953.

HB 953, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Usher, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 953 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Cleveland	Gautier	Johnson (6th)
Askew	Covington	Gibson	McCarty
Barber	Cross	Griffin	McDonald
Barron	Daniel	Haverfield	McLaughlin
Bronson	Davis	Henderson	Mapoles
Carlton	Dressler	Hollahan	Mathews
Carraway	Edwards	Johns	Melton
Clarke	Friday	Johnson (19th)	Pearce

Pope	Ryan	Tapper	Whitaker
Price	Spottswood	Thomas	Williams
Roberts	Stratton	Usher	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 955.

HB 955, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Barber, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 955 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 957.

HB 957, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Tapper, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 957 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

The Honorable James E. Connor
President of the Senate

April 27, 1965

Sir:

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

By Representative Simpson of Duval and others—

HB 937—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the closing of county public offices in all counties in the state having a population of 450,000 inhabitants or more, according to the latest official decennial census, and not having home rule under the constitution, authorizing the board of county commissioners to investigate and in its discretion to determine whether to declare certain days to be holidays.

By Representative Land of Orange and others—

HB 940—A bill to be entitled An act extending the city limits of the Town of Apopka City, in Orange County, Florida, so as to include additional territory therein, owned by Eastern States Properties, who have requested and consented, in writing, to their property, which is uninhabited, being annexed to the said city and public property being used for streets or roads, with the consent of the State Road Department and Orange County Commission, and providing an effective date therefor.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Hasson of Sarasota—

HB 941—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Sarasota county, public hospital board; amending chapter 26468, Laws of Florida, 1949, by adding sections 24-26; providing for the construction and operation of parking facilities; providing for lease or franchise agreements and the pledging of revenues

therefrom for loans; providing for a public hearing regarding parking rate; providing an exemption from ad valorem taxation; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Pruitt of Jefferson—

HB 948—A bill to be entitled An act relating to chamber of commerce, compensation in all counties of the state having a population of not less than nine thousand four hundred (9,400) and not more than nine thousand seven hundred (9,700), according to the latest official decennial census; authorizing the board of county commissioners to pay the county chamber of commerce a certain sum on cost of float used in the 1965 governor's inaugural parade; providing an effective date.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HB 937, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Mathews, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 937 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
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Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 940.

HB 940, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Johnson (19th), the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 940 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
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Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 941.

HB 941, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title and placed on the Local Calendar.

HB 948, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Clarke, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 948 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

*The Honorable James E. Connor
President of the Senate*

April 27, 1965

Sir:

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

By Representative Roddenberry of Wakulla—

HB 334—A bill to be entitled An act relating to education, county boards of public instruction in all counties in the state having a population of not less than four thousand six hundred, (4,600) and not more than five thousand three hundred (5,300), according to the latest official decennial census; providing that the county board of public instruction in any such county may supplement the annual salary of the superintendent of public instruction; providing an effective date.

By Representatives Pruitt and Roundtree of Brevard—

HB 628—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Brevard county, registry funds, defining registry funds; providing for deposit of registry funds in savings accounts; requiring the clerk of the circuit court to pay over accrued interest; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representatives Sweeny and Coble of Volusia—

HB 881—A bill to be entitled An act to authorize the DeLand Museum, Inc. to accept donations of funds from public bodies throughout Volusia county and the state of Florida, and elsewhere, and to authorize all public bodies within the state of Florida to contribute funds to said DeLand Museum, Inc.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representatives Sweeny and Coble of Volusia—

HB 882—A bill to be entitled An act amending chapter 57-2085, Laws of Florida, acts of 1957, as amended by chapter 59-1950, Laws of Florida, acts of 1959, and as further amended by chapter 61-2974, Laws of Florida 1961, by providing for the method of nominating, electing and filling the vacancies in the office of commissioner of the board of hospital commissioners; providing for the organization of that board; providing for the appointment of the hospital administrator in place of a superintendent; providing for the selection of a chief of staff in place of a chief surgeon; providing additional power to adopt rules and regulations governing professional and non-professional persons practicing or employed in the hospital, for the welfare and health of the patients and best interests of the hospital; providing a method for signing warrants upon the funds of the hospital district and prohibiting the payment of compensation to members of the board of hospital commissioners.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

HB 334, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Tapper, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 334 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 628.

HB 628, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Dressler, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 628 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
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Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 881.

HB 881, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Gautier, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 881 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to HB 882.

HB 882, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title. On motions of Senator Gautier, the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and HB 882 was read the second time by title, the third time in full and passed, title as stated. The vote was: Yeas—44. Nays—None.

Mr. President	Daniel	Johns	Price
Askew	Davis	Johnson (19th)	Roberts
Barber	Dressler	Johnson (6th)	Ryan
Barron	Edwards	McCarty	Spottswood
Bronson	Friday	McDonald	Stratton
Carlton	Gautier	McLaughlin	Tapper
Carraway	Gibson	Mapoles	Thomas
Clarke	Griffin	Mathews	Usher
Cleveland	Haverfield	Melton	Whitaker
Covington	Henderson	Pearce	Williams
Cross	Hollahan	Pope	Young

The bill was certified to the House.

On motion of Senator Johnson (6th), it was agreed by two-thirds vote that when the Senate adjourns today it adjourn to reconvene at 10:00 A.M., April 28, 1965.

*The Honorable James E. Connor
President of the Senate*

April 27, 1965

Sir:

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

By Representative Bafalis of Palm Beach and others—

HB 150—A bill to be entitled An act abolishing the present municipal corporation known as City of West Palm Beach, Florida, creating a successor municipality to be known as City of West Palm Beach; setting forth a completely revised charter describing the territorial limits of the city, providing for its governance, prescribing its taxing authority, fixing maximum penalties for violations of its ordinances, providing for continuance of existing ordinances, regulations, directives, and municipal court rules not in conflict with the revised charter, and

providing for continuance of officers and employees in office and of existing property interests, other rights, and obligations; repealing all local laws and special laws applying to the city except those specified; validating prior actions of the city and its predecessors; providing for a referendum; and prescribing an effective date.

By Representative Savage of Pinellas and others—

HB 458—A bill to be entitled An act to provide for the rehabilitation, clearance, and redevelopment of slums and blighted areas in the City of St. Petersburg in accordance with urban renewal plans approved by the city council; to define terms used, to define the duties, liabilities, exemptions and powers of said city and standards to be applied in undertaking such activities, including the power to acquire property through the exercise of the power of eminent domain or otherwise, to dispose of property subject to any restrictions deemed necessary to prevent the development or spread of future slums or blighted areas, to issue bonds and other obligations and give security therefor, to levy taxes and assessments and to enter into agreements to secure federal aid and comply with conditions imposed in connection therewith; to provide for the urban renewal commission to exercise powers hereunder if said city determines it to be in the public interest; to authorize said city to furnish funds, services, facilities and property in aid of urban renewal projects hereunder and to obtain funds therefor by the issuance of obligations, by taxation or otherwise; and to provide that securities issued, and properties while held, by a public agency hereunder, shall be exempt from taxation; providing for a referendum; and subject to its approval at said referendum, providing for an effective date.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,
LAMAR BLEDSOE
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

House Bills 150 and 458, contained in the above message, were read the first time by title and placed on the Local Calendar.

SECOND READING

SB 222—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporations

and usury; repealing laws inconsistent herewith; providing an effective date.

Was taken up. On motion of Senator Johnson (6th), the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and SB 222 was read the second time by title.

Senator Johnson (6th) offered the following amendment which was adopted:

In Section 1, page 1, strike: period and insert a comma (,) and add the following: if the contract by the corporation providing for a rate of interest higher than Ten percent per annum is approved by the board of directors of said corporation, and agreed to in writing by said board of directors.

On motion of Senator Johnson (6th), it was ordered that the hour of adjournment be extended until final disposition of SB 222.

On motion of Senator Johnson (6th), the rules were waived by two-thirds vote and SB 222, as amended, was read the third time in full and failed to pass. The vote was:

Yeas—5.

Mr. President Johnson (6th)	Mathews	Melton	Williams
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Nays—39.

Askew	Daniel	Hollahan	Roberts
Barber	Davis	Johns	Ryan
Barron	Dressler	Johnson (19th)	Spottswood
Bronson	Edwards	McCarty	Stratton
Carlton	Friday	McDonald	Tapper
Carraway	Gautier	McLaughlin	Thomas
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Covington	Haverfield	Pope	Young
Cross	Henderson	Price	

The hour of adjournment having arrived, a point of order was called and the Senate stood adjourned at 1:14 P. M. until 10:00 A. M. April 28, 1965.